

**GARRETT COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH
GARRETT COUNTY HEALTH PLANNING COUNCIL
May 26, 2022
HYBRID MEETING MINUTES**

BOARD OF HEALTH MEMBERS PRESENT

Commissioner Paul Edwards Commissioner Jim Hinebaugh Commissioner Larry Tichnell
Robert Stephens

PERMANENT MEMBERS PRESENT

Kimi Scott-McGreevy Lisa McCoy Alicia Street Duane Yoder

CONSUMER MEMBERS PRESENT

Edgar Harman Robin McGill Dr. Willis McGill Steve Putnam
William Riley Dr. Karl Schwalm

VISITORS

Corey Edmonds Scott Hollingsworth Diane Lee Fred Polce, Jr.
Dr. Jenny Corder Maria Friend Tiffany Fratz Dr. Bill Pope
Julie Teter Amy Fike Marian Emr

Commissioner called the Board of Health meeting to order at 8:06 a.m.

Steve called the Health Planning Council meeting to order at 8:06 a.m.

The Board of Health, on a motion by Paul Edwards, seconded by Jim Hinebaugh, and made unanimous by the Board, approved the November 18, 2021 minutes.

The Health Planning Council, on a motion by Edgar Harman, seconded by William Riley, and made unanimous by the Council, approved the April 28, 2022 meeting minutes.

STATUS OF HEALTH

Bob presented the 2022 Status of Health, see <https://garretthealth.org/status-of-health/>

MEMBERSHIP

Edgar Harman, Brian Boal, and Dr. Schwalm's memberships are about to expire. Edgar and Dr. Schwalm have agreed to stay on the Council for another three-year term as a Consumer Members. To date, Brian has not responded. The Council has agreed to renew their memberships and a letter will be sent to the Commissioners with the recommendation.

BUILDING LHIC FOOD SECURITY COMMITTEE

To follow the approved funding work plan with the Maryland Department of Health's Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Control (CCDPC), a Garrett County Chapter of the Western Maryland Food Council needs to be formed.

Bob made a motion to establish the Western Maryland Food Council, Garrett Chapter as an official subcommittee to the Health Planning Council, Edgar seconded the motion, and the Council approved the motion unanimously.

AGENCY UPDATES

GC Community Action - They are looking to fill Gregan Crawford's position.

GCHD - They have parted with the existing Medical Assistance Transportation provider and will be rebidding for a new provider

Jim Hinebaugh adjourned the Board of Health meeting at 9:19 a.m.

Steve Putnam adjourned the Health Planning Council meeting at 9:19 a.m.

The next HPC meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 8:00 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert Stephens, MS
GCHD Health Officer
HPC Secretary