

Meeting Minutes on Commission on Community Health  
February 17, 2021 – 6:30 P.M. – Meeting Via Zoom  
Farmington Hills City Hall – Viewpoint Room

**Called Meeting to Order:** Joseph Curran called the meeting to order at 6:37 pm.

**Members Present via Teleconference (Zoom):** Joseph Curran MBA- Farmington Hills, MI, Fareeha Shuttari MPH- Farmington Hills, MI, TR Carr PhD- Farmington Hills, MI, Jeannette Carney- Farmington Hills, MI, Charles Starkman PsyD- Farmington Hills, MI, Eunice Jeffries MBA- Farmington Hills, MI, Alexander Mott- Farmington, MI

**Members Absent:** Andrea Anderson, Julia Mantey, Eunice Jeffries

**Others Present:** Teresa Jergovich

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion by T.R. Carr, support by Charlie Starkman to approve the minutes as published.

**Approval of Agenda:** Motion by Fareeha Shuttari, support by Alexander Mott to approve the agenda as published.

**Remaining Number of Vacant Positions on the Commission:** Teresa Jergovich stated she has another FH resident interested in becoming a Commissioner. The lady will introduce herself at the March meeting. The potential new Commissioner has an extensive background with the VA system in Ann Arbor and is a business owner in Farmington. Teresa also stated if the board approves this new Commissioner then the only open spots are an alternate for Farmington and an alternate for Farmington Hills.

**Election of Officers:** Commission voted to keep Curran, Mantey, and Shuttari in their current positions for the upcoming years.

**Roll call Vote:**

**Yeas:** Curran, Carr, Carney, Starkman, Patel, Mott, Shuttari,

**Nays:** None

**Absent:** Jeffries, Mantey, Anderson

**Abstentions:** None

**Motion Carried:** 7-3

**2021 Commission Goals:** Commission voted to keep the Commission goals of 2020 i.e., mental health.

**Roll call Vote:**

**Yeas:** Curran, Carr, Carney, Starkman, Patel, Mott, Shuttari,

**Nays:** None

**Absent:** Jeffries, Mantey, Anderson

**Abstentions:** None

**Motion Carried:** 7-3

**Appointed New Council Liaison – Mary Newlin:** Teresa Jergovich will contact Mary again to invite to the March meeting.

**Commission Collaborative Efforts:** In 2021 the CCH would like to partner with the following organizations: Oakland County Community Health Network, Beaumont Healthy Community, Schoolcraft College Nursing dept., Healthy Alliance Coalition.

**Public Comments:** None

**Member Comments:** Joe stated he will be getting married January 2021. Commissioners all congratulated him. Cheryl Patel stated all direct care workers will be receiving a \$2.00 an hour wage increase. Alexander Mott expressed concern regarding the uneven sidewalks/pavements in Farmington. He stated he is concerned regarding the older adult population. Teresa Jergovich referred him to Farmington City Council and Farmington DPW department. Alexander Mott stated that his mother is a teacher at Schoolcraft college with the Nursing Dept and perhaps we can connect the college's nursing dept with the Commission on a future project. He also stated his mother is interested in joining this Commission, but he took her Farmington position on the Commission. Teresa Jergovich stated his mother could fill the alternate Farmington position and encouraged Alex to have his mom contact Farmington City Manager's office to submit her resume.

**Next Meeting:** March 17, 2021

**Adjournment:** Motion by T.R. Carr, Second by Cheryl Patel

**Roll call Vote:**

**Yeas:** Curran, Carr, Carney, Starkman, Patel, Mott, Shuttari,

**Nays:** None

**Absent:** Jeffries, Mantey, Anderson

**Abstentions:** None

**Motion Carried:** 7-3