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WASHINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH
Thursday, July 3, 2025 @8:00PM
Washington County Health Department
MINUTES

Present: D. Meyer, G. Fewell, C. Combs, J. Skorczewski, D. Ibendahl

Non-members present: J Martin, Lori Sea, Bob Sea

- I. Meeting called to order at 8:12 PM by Meyer. Meyer stated that Lori Sea requested she attend the meeting.
- II. Minutes from prior meeting not available.
- III. Activity Report
 - a. Environmental : Tick collection completed
 - b. Clinical:
 - i. 4 Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever cases reported, plus one in Ashley/Jefferson County.
 - ii. There has been an increase in STIs in the county, including more anti-biotic resistant cases. Emily does follow-ups. Dr. Fewell will research having WCHD doing testing for syphilis.
- IV. Old Business
 - a. Facility:
 - i. Two landscapers have come to assess drainage problem on south side of building. Chris Bauza did not follow up. Mike Brammeier came at 5 PM today, discussed exposing foundation and sealing cracks if any found. Will send a quote early next week.
 - ii. Facility improvements requested earlier this year, including paint and carpeting, were discussed. It was suggested that improvements not be made until other repairs are completed, and that Martin get bids and bring them to the next meeting.
 - iii. Oakley finished generator repair, will install alert system next week. Will put up to 2 mobile devices on alert system.
 - iv. Generator repair: Some of the parts for the repair have not yet arrived, and the department will be notified by Oakley's when they have come in.
 - b. Administrative: No further information given on Better Birth Outcomes grant, and no time frame was given on when decisions will be made.
 - c. RN Position: There have been no new applications. There was discussion about where further ads should be placed, including the electronic billboard at Nascote.
- V. Executive Session: Motion to move to closed session by Combs, second by D Ibendahl.
 - a. All present voted aye
 - b. Closed session began at 8:45 PM.
- VI. Regular session resumed at 10:01 PM
- VII. Next meeting: TBD
- VIII. Skorczewski moved/Combs seconded to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:05 PM.

Catherine Combs,
Secretary, Board of Health