

**Board of Health Department
Monthly Regular Meeting Minutes
Location: Everett City Hall, Health Department, Rm 20
Tuesday, January 26, 2021**

Attendees: Dr. Sean Connolly, Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio, Sabrina Firicano-LoBono, Shenise Maldonado

Minutes Taken by: Caitlin Norden

Motion to Open Meeting 6:01 PM

- **Motion moved by:** Dr. Sean Connolly
- **Seconded by:** Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio
- **All in favor – None Opposed**
- **Motion Carried**

Motion to Accept Minutes from the December, 2020 Meeting

- **Motion moved:** Dr. Sean Connolly
- **Seconded by:** Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio
- **All in favor – None Opposed**
- **Motion Carried**

Motion to Open Citizens Time 6:01 PM

- **Motion moved by:** Dr. Sean Connolly
- **Seconded by:** Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio
- **All in favor – None Opposed**
- **Motion Carried**

Health Department Nurses Update and Director's Report

- Total of 6,903 Confirmed covid cases, with 5,136 recovered. Other individuals are currently isolating and quarantining at home.
- Started vaccinating our first responders in phase 1, on January 12th.
- Phase 2 begins on February First.
- We will be planning vaccination clinics and pushing the information out through communications. Including robo calls, social media, mailers, etc.
- We are still offering covid testing 6 days a week at the Rec center. 47 Elm Street Mon-Thurs 7am-1 pm and 2pm-7pm, and Fri & Sat 12pm – 6pm.
- We did see a surge from the holidays but are now seeing a decrease in positive covid cases.
- Vaccine distribution phases are determined by the state health department and the department of public health.
- There have been zero reports for flu cases this year.

Business which has arisen since the posting of the meeting:

- Shenise Maldonado applied for Body art piercing apprentice and a tattoo practitioner at Ferry Street Ink. Shenise was previously a practitioner in the city of Boston, she has her application in order and all necessary documents. We were awaiting her SORI which came after the posting of the agenda.

Motion to Accept Shenise's Body Art piercing Apprentice and tattoo Practitioner Application:

- **Motion moved:** Dr. Sean Connolly
- **Seconded by:** Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio
- **All in favor – None Opposed**
- **Motion Carried**

Motion to Close Citizens Time 6:09 PM

- **Motion moved by:** Dr. Sean Connolly
- **Seconded by:** Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio
- **All in favor – None Opposed**
- **Motion Carried**

Motion: To Adjourn at 6:10 PM

- **Motion moved by:** Dr. Connolly
- **Seconded by:** Melissa Massua, Joan LaVecchio
- **All in favor – None Opposed**
- **Motion Carried**

The next scheduled Board Meeting will be on Tuesday, February 23, 2021.