

CITY OF RACINE BOARD OF HEALTH
APRIL 10, 2018

DEPARTMENT: Administrative Division

PREPARED BY: Dottie-Kay Bowersox, MSA – Public Health Administrator

MONTH: March 2018

Highlights

Date	Meeting	Purpose	Outcome
July 2011 through 2018	Ordinance Revision	Proposed Tobacco Ordinance	The Public Health Administrator will meet with the City Attorney to discuss alternatives.
May 2013 through 2018	City Housing Integration Team	Discuss Integrated Approach to Housing / Structure Inspections	Collaborative efforts with City Attorney / Building, Police / Fire Departments, City Development, Information / Technology, County Housing Authority, and HD.
January 2014 through 2018	City Beach / Shoreline Team	Discuss Integrated Approach to Beach / Shoreline Maintenance and Facilitation	Collaborative efforts with HD, Department of Public Works, Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Services regarding City of Racine Coastal Beaches.
August 2014 through 2018	Racine Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Council	Develop City Master Plan	Development of second draft from Wisconsin Bike Federation.
January 2014 through 2018	Renovation of Clinic	Determine Status	Investigation continues on the circumstances / location of clinic services.
January 2015 through 2018	Racine Mobile Medical Unit	Unit Status	Discussion continues on promotional and service expectations. Knapp School has been identified as the only / primary City of Racine service site. Determined direction through Marketing Grid recommendations to increase participation.
January 2017 Through 2018	North Beach Park Master Plan	Develop City Master Plan	Discussion continues on promotional and service expectations.
January 2018 Through 2021	Rails to Trails Conservatory	Implement Route of the Badger	Continued discussions on the formulation of a comprehensive map / recommendations for connectivity to / for Kenosha, Milwaukee, and Racine counties.
March 15, 2018	Administrative	Determine Tourist Rooming Houses Criteria	Determine current status and potential development / revision of City Ordinance by June, 2018.

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March 8, 2018	Federally Qualified Health Care (FQHC) Center	Approval from City / County Administration	Determine outline of action to engage community discussion on the necessity / probability of establishing a Federally Qualified Health Care Center within the City of Racine for the County.
March 21, 2018	Dr. Brennan	Potential Board Member	Dr. Brennan was interviewed by Dr. Berge and the Public Health Administrator.
March 21, 2018	Customer Service Training	Mandatory Staff Training	Non-management personnel participated in training directed at providing better internal and external customer service.
March 22, 2018	Reuse, Reduce, Recycle	Initiate Strategic Planning	Session to determine future endeavors.
March 27, 2018	HD Strategic Planning Session	Gather Information and Perspectives	HD personnel engaged in discussions to clarify perspectives, determine goals / objectives.

PROGRAM: Emergency Preparedness

PREPARED BY: *Cody Pearce, Epidemiologist / Bioterrorism Preparedness Coordinator*

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March 6 – 7, 2018	Respirator Fit Testing	Ensure personnel are properly fitted for N95 Respirator	Following clearance by the Medical Director, personnel were fitted to various N95 models and sizes using the Portacount machine.
March 24, 2018	Fire / Public Health Departments HazMat Exercise	Test response and coordination capabilities of both agencies	Allowed both agencies to test response capabilities, skills, and collaboration abilities when responding to an “unknown substance” Hazardous Materials incident in City Hall. Revealed strengths, as well as weaknesses to be addressed.

PROGRAMS: Wisconsin Well Woman Program of Racine County (WWWP)

PREPARED BY: *Rosalyn Smith, Public Health Educator*

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March 21, 2018	Wisconsin Breast Cancer Taskforce	Discuss and guide the efforts of the Wisconsin Breast Cancer Taskforce.	Convened by the Wisconsin Comprehensive Cancer Control Program and its partnership organization, the Wisconsin Cancer Council, in collaboration with Wisconsin Well Woman Program and the American Cancer Society. The goal of the Task Force is to improve breast cancer screening rates in Wisconsin.