


ZMCHD Board Meetings Quarterly Review

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 Zanesville-Muskingum County Health Department

Stop the spread of germs that make you and others sick!

- * Cover your cough.
- * Cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve, not your hands.
- * Clean your hands after coughing or sneezing.
- * Wash with soap and water or clean with alcohol based hand cleaner.

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Environmental Health

- The Board of Health approved Resolution 08-11-2 Retail Food Fees Third & Final Reading.
- Resolution 09-1-2 Small Flow On Site Sewage Treatment Systems Third & Final Reading was approved. It allows ZMCHD to take over authority for small flow onsite sewage treatment systems.
- The Solid Waste Contract was approved. ZMCHD receives \$7,500 from Southeastern Ohio Solid Waste Management District to help defray local program enforcement of nuisances, inspections, and registration of haulers.
- Resolution 09-3-3 Public Bathing Beach Permit First Reading was approved. It's an amendment to existing bathing beach permit fee allowing Lake Isabella to pull its own weekly water samples to reduce costs.
- Bob Brems, Epidemiologist, and Ed Shaffer, supervising sanitarian, were featured in the book "GIS for Decision Support and Public Policy Making." The book includes 27 case studies and eight exercises that demonstrate the positive impact of including GIS methodology in daily operations. The case study from ZMCHD features the project of incorporating GIS in sewerage management.



Stop the spread of infection with proper hand hygiene including hand washing.

Administration, Health Education & Vital Statistics

- The renovation project has come to an end and there are only a few items to be finished. An Open House was held April 7, 2009 from 2:00-6:00 p.m.
- The Board of Health approved the State Subsidy Allocation for Fiscal Year 2009. This is an annual report that ZMCHD is required to submit to draw down its state subsidy which is \$24,000 per year.
- The 2009 Cardiovascular Service Contract Renewal with Perry County Health Department was approved to provide services set forth in Cardiovascular Health Grant Application from Ohio Department of Health.



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Public Health Nursing

- The Board of Health approved Resolution 09-2-2 Clinic Fees as an emergency measure with a provision that fees be reviewed and adjusted monthly based on wholesale costs.
- Child & Family Health Service Grant Services Contracts were approved to contract with Muskingum Valley Educational Service Center to help fund assets survey and contract with Family & Children First Board related to Search Institute Asset Development Survey.
- CFHS Grant Service Contract- Parent Resource Guide was approved to print resource guides for area professionals and fund the new ZII service.
- Schedule of Records Retention Disposition and Amendments were tabled for clarification from the Records Commission regarding the format and procedure for deletion of amendments from the original schedule.
- Dr. Vicki A. Whitacre retired from seeing patients at the Muskingum Valley Health Centers effective April 1, 2009. Dr. Whitacre remains as Medical Director with ZMCHD.



- Vaccines keep children safe from serious diseases like mumps, whooping cough and measles. Make sure your children are protected by getting all of their childhood vaccines before they are two-years-old. Ask your doctor or nurse if your children are up-to-date on their immunizations.