

Middle-Brook Regional Health Commission
Meeting (via phone)

July 7, 2020

1. Call to Order

The meeting of the Middle-Brook Regional Health Commission was held on the above date via phone and called to order by President Mr. Greg Riley by reading the Sunshine Law Statement at 7:00pm

2. Roll Call

Green Brook: Dr. Jon Fourre

South Bound Brook:

Warren: Mr. Greg Riley, Mr. Malcom Plager, Ms. Laura Burger

Watchung: Ms. Julie Gunther

Others in attendance: Mr. Kevin Sumner, Health Officer

3. President Opening Remarks

President Mr. Greg Riley advised Commission Members that this meeting will follow the similar format as prior remote meetings.

4. Bridgewater Township – Proposed Shared Service Agreement for 2020

President G. Riley advised members that an agreement had been reached between Bridgewater and the Commission to provide Health Officer and other public health services for the balance of the year. This agreement covers Health Officer services and oversight, part-time REHS services, and minimal administrative support. It is hoped that this will pave the way for a longer term agreement beginning in 2021 and possible Bridgewater joining the Commission as a member. Currently the services are being provided through a contractual arrangement. G. Riley asked for support of this agreement. J. Fourre provided a motion to enter the agreement, with second by M.Plager. All were in favor,

5. COVID 19 data report

K. Sumner reviewed the statistical data report for the Commission; there were a total of 939 confirmed cases ranging in age from 2 years old to 115 years old. The percentages that were male and female and how many deaths had been recorded as well as how many have recovered were reported. He informed the Commission Members that there continues to be a decline in new cases and the curve is flattening. He informed the Commission Members that he has been fielding questions on steps to reopening, particularly for school reopening, camps, pools, beaches, and outdoor dining. President Mr. Greg Riley opened the meeting for comments and questions.

There being no specific comments of further business Mr. Malcolm Plager made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 pm, seconded by Mr. Jon Fourre. Vote: All in favor. Motion adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kevin G Sumner', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized with a large initial 'K' and a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Kevin G Sumner, Secretary