



COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

June 24, 2020
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Virtual Meeting

Members Present

Joseph Allen
Bob Barrios
Barbara Bradley
Lee Cantrell
Zohir Chowdhury
Cliff Hanna
Ruth Heifetz
Robert Logan
Doug Roff
Byron Simpson
Malcolm Vinje
Mike Vizzier

Members Excused

David Kellum

Members Unexcused

Stephen Zolezzi

Others Present

Ana Becker, DEH
Heather Buonomo, DEH
Amy Harbert, DEH
Kameisha Nichols, DEH
Sande Pence, DEH
Michelle Price, DEH
Lars Seifert, DEH
Linda Turkatte, DEH
Ron Yonemitsu, DEH

I. CALL TO ORDER

The virtual meeting was called to order at 8:33 a.m., with twelve members present.

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The May 27, 2020 meeting minutes were approved.

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no comments from the public.

IV. RADIOLOGICAL HEALTH PROGRAM PRESENTATION

Ron Yonemitsu, Sr. Health Physicist, Community Health Division

The Environmental Health Advisory Board (EHAB) acted at the May 27, 2020 meeting to send a letter to the Board of Supervisors to convey their support for the Radiological Health Program and DEH's revenue agreement with the State.

V. UPDATES FROM DEH EXECUTIVE OFFICE

- **Announcements**

Congratulations to Robert Barrios for his 25 years of service on the Environmental Health Advisory Board as the Retail Food Representative for District 4.

- **DEH Legislative Log**

Updates were given by the division Chiefs.

- **Board Letter Log**

Board Letter Log was reviewed.

- Cliff Hanna will provide a letter of support for HMD Streamlining

- **Vacancies**

DEH has a 11% vacancy rate. During this time of economic uncertainty and downturn, we expect to have a higher rate of vacant positions.

- **Summary of DEH's efforts in response to the COVID-19 pandemic**

VI. ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 9:43 a.m.