



COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

November 17, 2020
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Virtual Meeting

Members Present

Joseph Allen
Lee Cantrell
Zohir Chowdhury
Cliff Hanna
Ruth Heifetz
David Kellum
Carlos McCray
Doug Roff
Malcolm Vinje
Mike Vizzier
Stephen Zolezzi

Members Excused

Barbara Bradley
Robert Logan
Byron Simpson

Members Unexcused

Others Present

Ana Becker, DEH
Heather Buonomo, DEH
James Cheng, DEH
John-Ross Glueck, DEH
Amy Harbert, DEH
Rebecca Lafreniere, DEH
Kameisha Nichols, DEH
Sande Pence, DEH
Steven Tamayo, DEH
Linda Turkatte, DEH

I. CALL TO ORDER

The virtual meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m., with eleven members present.

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The October 21, 2020 meeting minutes were approved.

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no comments from the public.

IV. UPDATES FROM DEH EXECUTIVE OFFICE

- **2020 EHAB Annual Report**

The draft 2020 EHAB Annual Report was discussed. Revisions will be made based on the comments and feedback that was received. An updated draft report will be emailed to members with the objective of having the 2020 EHAB Annual Report approved during the December meeting.

- **Announcements**

Introduced James Cheng, new IT Group Program Manager

- **Discussion**

- Community Needs Assessments
- Proposal to Retitle the Department and Organizational Changes
- DEH's COVID Response Efforts
- 2021 EHAB Meeting Topic Calendar Ideas

- **Vacancies**

DEH has a 11% vacancy rate. During this time of economic uncertainty and downturn, it is not unexpected to have a higher rate of vacant positions.

V. ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m. Next meeting will be held Wednesday, December 16, 2020.