

**Minutes Maplewood Board of Health  
August 6, 2019**

Present: Ms. Adams, Mr. Dafis, Mayor De Luca, Mr. Lembrich.

Absent: Mr. McGehee.

A resolution was read by the Clerk stating that as permitted by the Open Public Meetings Act, stipulating that active participation by the public is limited to observation as set forth in the Agenda.

Ayes: Ms. Adams, Mr. Dafis, Mayor De Luca, Mr. Lembrich.

Nays: None.

Motion made to approve the minutes of July 2, 2019.

Ayes: Ms. Adams, Mr. Dafis, Mayor De Luca, Mr. Lembrich.

Nays: None.

Mr. Roe, Health Officer, reported that two Resolutions are required to continue the summer breakfast/ lunch program. Mr. Roe thanked Rent Party for their generosity in paying for the additional two weeks of the program.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 184-19; AUTHORIZATION OF SUMMER 2019 BEAKFAST/LUNCH PROGRAM WITH RENT PARTY made and seconded.

Ayes: Ms. Adams, Mr. Dafis, Mayor De Luca, Mr. Lembrich.

Nays: None

RESOLUTION NUMBER 185-19; PROGRAM SUPERVISOR BREAKFAST LUNCH PROGRAM made and seconded.

Ayes: Ms. Adams, Mr. Dafis, Mayor De Luca, Mr. Lembrich.

Nays: None.

Ms. Davenport, Nurse Supervisor-Health Educator-Assistant Health Officer, reported on the summer breakfast/lunch program. She presented numbers of persons served and meals served. She thanked the Irvington Recreation Department for their sponsorship of the program.

Two representatives of the American Foundation of Suicide Prevention Program, AFSP, made a presentation on the risk factors of suicide and methods of prevention. They

invited Maplewood residents to participate in the "Walk to Fight Suicide" to be held on Sunday October 20, 2019.

Mr. Roe reported that he had completed and submitted the Municipal Alliance Grant year end July 2018 through June 2019 report.

Mr. Roe reported that a blood donation drive will be held this coming Friday August 9, 2019 from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at The Woodland.

Mr. Roe reported that he had received a complaint concerning a yellow jacket nest under a public sidewalk in front of a house. He notified the homeowner to do extermination since the homeowner is generally responsible for maintenance of public sidewalks in front of their homes. Members of the Board agreed with this assessment.

Mr. Roe reported on recent nation-wide news reports that during the period of 2006 to 2012 that 76 Billion opioid pills had been manufactured and sold during these years. During these years about 100,000 Americans died of opioid overdoses. Mr. Dafis asked if this was 76 Billion with a "B." Mr. Roe replied that yes it is a "B."

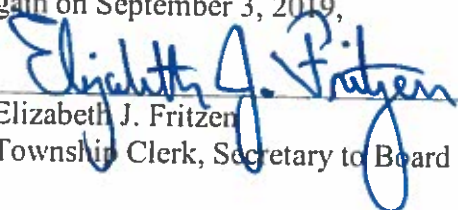
Mr. Lembrich thanked the Rent Party for their generosity in paying for the two additional weeks of the summer breakfast/lunch program. He thanked this organization for all the work they do in helping to provide needed food at many venues.

Invitation was given for the public to speak. Hearing no one, motion made to adjourn.

Ayes: Ms. Adams, Mr. Dafis, Mayor De Luca, Mr. Lembrich.

Nays: None.

The meeting was adjourned to meet again on September 3, 2019.

  
Elizabeth J. Fritzen  
Township Clerk, Secretary to Board of Health