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**March 12, 2019**

The regular meeting of the Valley County Board of Health was held Tuesday at 5:15pm in the Annex Meeting room. Board members present, Health Officer Dr. Anne Millard, Chairman Clay Berger, Maggan Walstad.

Others in attendance: Cam Shipp RS, Crystal Alvarado, Ella Tweten, Teri Long

The minutes of the December 11, 2018 were reviewed, Clay Berger moved to adopt the minutes, Dr. Millard seconded, and it was carried.

**Old Minutes**

No old business to report.

**New Business:**

Crystal Alvarado: The renewal of the Master contract between the Health Department and DPHHS, seven-year agreement that will expire on June 30, 2019. A copy of the rough draft was sent to board members as well as the commissioners to review.

**Sanitarian Report:**

Cam Shipp, RS reported that he did 11 sanitarian inspections for the last quarter. He attended various trainings, programs and meetings.

14 systems were permitted for 2018 and 7 installed for 2018. Seven subdivisions reviewed for the quarter. Final payment was received in the amount of \$10,992 on Feb 4, 2019 for the licensed establishment inspections from the 2018 COOP Agreement. 100% pay out was received to Valley County.

**Health Department Report:**

Crystal Alvarado reported that FICMMR/Red Thumb Reminder Day will take place May 14, 2019. It is the 4<sup>th</sup> annual event and Nemont Telephone is paying for a driving simulator. A presentation will take place at the Glasgow high school and surrounding schools have been invited to participate as well.

Immunizations – 1,173 flu vaccines given this season. Dr. Millard stated that she had several older patients that had the flu, but they had had the flu shot and did not get as ill. On May 1 staff will be going to the Glasgow Middle School to immunize students going into the 7<sup>th</sup> grade.

Communicable Disease: Ella Tweten, RN stated that there are no measles cases in the state of Montana. There are 19 (?) in 10 other states. Washington and Oregon having the most cases. The cases of flu for last week were 14 and this week 6. Most that had the flu were not immunized, there were clusters in the schools. Dr. Millard suggested keeping the health department open later to give access to school-aged families to receive flu shots. Ella stated this has been tried previously but had little turn out when the department stayed open later.

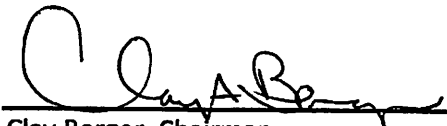
Cardiac Ready has been planning an award presentation for April 27, a moving event with stations set up for healthy living, exercise and nutrition. It is planned to be held at Stat Air. Signs will be put up when weather is better.

Debbie Brown from Riverstone had reached out to us and planned a HIV/Hep C presentation on April 3. Tom Boyer and his staff, as well as anyone interested has been invited to attend.

Teri Long gave an overview of the activities that has been happening with the Tobacco Prevention Program. She had done presentations of Tobacco Prevention at two Valley County Schools.

**Other Business: None**

Motion to adjourn by Clay Berger, seconded by Dr. Millard. The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 11, 2019, at 5:15pm at the Annex Meeting room.

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Clay Berger, Chairman