



MINUTES

June 03, 2026

BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

A special meeting of the Central District Health Department (CDHD) Board of Health was held Wednesday, June 03, 2026, 5:30 p.m. at 1137 S. Locust St, Grand Island, NE. President Debb Niles called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m. and announced the location of the Open Meeting Act. Legal notification of the meeting was published June 02, 2026, in the Omaha World Herald.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Debb Niles, Pam Lancaster, Cody Rush, Roger Wiegert, Pat O'Neil, Kenneth Wiemers, Rich Fruehling, Yetzira Calvillo Bermudez, Francis McDonald, Mark Stelk. A quorum was established.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Paul Lacore (excused).

CDHD EXECUTIVE ADMINISTRATION: Teresa Anderson, Karly Simonson, Jonna Mangeot, Jacqueline De Leon

CDHD STAFF: None

RESERVATION TO SPEAK: None

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Pat O'Neil (Fruehling) moved to enter closed session to discuss general litigation strategy at 5:32pm. Roll call vote: Aye – Niles, Rush, Stelk, Wiegert, Lancaster, Wiemers, McDonald, Calvillo Bermudez. Motion carried.

Pat O'Neil (Lancaster) moved to leave closed session 5:48pm. Roll call vote: Aye – Niles, Rush, Stelk, Wiegert, Fruehling, Wiemers, McDonald, Calvillo Bermudez. Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Debb Niles (McDonald) moved to enter closed session to discuss personnel at 5:49pm. Roll call vote: Aye – O'Neil, Rush, Stelk, Wiegert, Lancaster, Wiemers, Fruehling, Calvillo Bermudez. Motion carried.

Pat O'Neil (Lancaster) moved to leave closed session at 8:10pm. Roll call vote: Aye – Niles, Rush, Stelk, Wiegert, Fruehling, Wiemers, McDonald, Calvillo Bermudez. Motion carried.



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CONTINUE SUSPENSION PENDING SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING WITH LEGAL: Pat O'Neil (Rush) moved to approve continued suspension of T.Ponson pending a subcommittee meeting with legal counsel. Roll call vote: Aye – Niles, Fruehling, Stelk, Wiegert, Lancaster, McDonald, Calvillo Bermudez, Wiemers. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Adjournment at 8:15 p.m.

Mark Stelk, Secretary Board of Health

By: Karly Simonson, Deputy Director