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Champaign-Urbana Public Health District

**BOARD OF HEALTH
Special Meeting
August 14, 2020**

On August 14, 2020, the Board of Health of the Champaign-Urbana Public Health District (CUPHD) held an electronic Special Meeting via Zoom. The meeting was noticed in the media and public participation was invited.

Ms. Danielle Chynoweth called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM. Upon roll call, the following board members were found to be present: Ms. Danielle Chynoweth, Chair, Mr. Andy Quarnstrom, Secretary, and Mr. Giraldo Rosales.

Public Participation – Mr. Wayne Williams expressed his support of the proposal requiring face masks.

Mr. Jim Roberts presented a Public Health Ordinance on behalf of the Champaign-Urbana Public Health District regarding face coverings and gathering restrictions for discussion. The Ordinance was written based on the Governor's recent Executive Order addressing face coverings and gathering restrictions.

Mr. Andy Quarnstrom made a motion to adopt the State's language (from the Control of Communicable Diseases Code," 77 Ill. Adm. Code 690.50 Pandemic or Epidemic Respiratory Disease – Emergency Provisions) and supports the Ordinance provided with the removal of d)1) No individual shall be held responsible for compliance with this rule on behalf of a business, service, facility or organization even if the individual is an owner, officer, principal or employee of that business, service, facility or organization; and d)2) Enforcing entities shall not enforce this rule against an individual for non-compliance with subsection (c), including but not limited to the penalties set forth in Section 8.1 of the Act. No individual shall be held responsible for compliance with this rule on behalf of a business, service, facility or organization even if the individual is an owner, officer, principal or employee of that business, service, facility or organization. This will allow for enforcement. The motion was seconded by Mr. Giraldo Rosales.

Attorney, Fred Grosser, stated that the Ordinance would need the proper 10-day notice. Ms. Julie Pryde noted that the process would be multi-step consisting of verbal and written warnings and a fine.

The Executive Order issued by the Governor went into effect on August 7, 2020. The Champaign-Urbana Public Health District COVID-19 Face Covering and Gathering Ordinance would go into effect on August 24, 2020 after a 10-day posting requirement.

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After further discussion, Ms. Danielle Chynoweth offered a friendly amendment that in Section 2: Authority, this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form no later than August 14, 2020 and this Ordinance shall be in full force and in effect on August 24, 2020.

The City of Champaign Attorney, Fred Stavins, and the City of Urbana Attorney, James Simon, were also in attendance and provided guidance.

Mr. Andy Quarnstrom withdrew his original motion. Mr. Giraldo Rosales seconded the motion to withdraw.

Ms. Danielle Chynoweth made a motion to approve the Champaign-Urbana Public Health District COVID-19 Face Coverings and Gathering Restrictions Ordinance as it has been posted with the following changes: under Adoption by Reference, we adopt the two Codes with the deletion of d)1) No individual shall be held responsible for compliance with this rule on behalf of a business, service, facility or organization even if the individual is an owner, officer, principal or employee of that business, service, facility or organization; and d)2) Enforcing entities shall not enforce this rule against an individual for non-compliance with subsection (c), including but not limited to the penalties set forth in Section 8.1 of the Act. No individual shall be held responsible for compliance with this rule on behalf of a business, service, facility or organization even if the individual is an owner, officer, principal or employee of that business, service, facility or organization. Additionally, the Ordinance is to include the following: This ordinance shall apply to individuals who shall be responsible for compliance with this rule on behalf of themselves. This ordinance shall apply to businesses who shall be responsible for compliance with this rule on behalf of their employees and customers. Section 2: Authority shall state the following: This Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form not later than August 14, 2020. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effective on and after August 24, 2020. This Ordinance shall be referenced as 2020-08-05. Mr. Giraldo Rosales accepted the motion as presented. Mr. Andy Quarnstrom seconded the motion. Upon a roll call vote, the following board members were present: Ms. Danielle Chynoweth, Mr. Andy Quarnstrom, and Mr. Giraldo Rosales. With all in favor, the motion carried unanimously.

With no further business to be discussed, Mr. Giraldo Rosales made a motion to adjourn the Special Meeting at 3:13 PM. Mr. Andy Quarnstrom seconded the motion. Upon a roll call vote, the following board members were present: Ms. Danielle Chynoweth, Mr. Andy Quarnstrom, and Mr. Giraldo Rosales. With all in favor, the motion carried unanimously.

Chair

Secretary