Board of Health January 22, 2013 Village Hall – 102 Meeting Minutes

1. Call to Order: @ 6:00 PM

Present: Chair Dr. Mbekeani; Commissioners, Miller, Pimentel, Dr. Grivois-

Shah, Diakite, Rechs Absent: Bernstein

2. Approval of agenda: Agenda approved

3. Approval of Minutes: Minutes of October 23, 2012 meeting approved

4. Public Comment: Michael Gorham and Patricia Cone, 311 N Harvey, Oak Park, IL. 60302, spoke in support of Meatless Mondays.

## 5. New Business:

- Gordana Krkic, CAE, Deputy Executive Vice President of External Affairs, Illinois Academy of Family Physicians spoke on current legislation in Illinois and answered questions from BOH members.
- Meatless Mondays/ Greener Community: Discussion tabled until May, 28, 2013 meeting at which time Nathan Pimentel will report back on efforts at OPRFHS food service to encourage less meat
- ACA forum/Health insurance exchanges: David Rechs provided an update from a training on health insurance exchanges. Consensus of members is to respond to the LWV request that the BOH sponsor a forum on the ACA that the Health Department will put links to information on the Village website as it becomes available; that the BOH does not have expertise or resources for a forum at this time. Margaret will respond in writing to LWV.

## 7. Old Business:

 Vote on proposal by Ravi Grivois-Shah recommending an ordinance Mandating helmet use among 16 years old and younger. Motion by Commissioner Rechs; second by Diana Diakite. Ayes 6; nays 0.
Ravi will present the proposal to the Transportation Commission, for co-sponsorship, on Monday, January 28, 2013. 8. Adjourned at 7:39 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Provost-Fyfe, Health Director