

MINUTES  
OF THE  
BOARD OF HEALTH

JEFFERSON COUNTY, COLORADO

**\*\* This meeting was held via Zoom \*\***

On May 13, 2021 at 4:00 p.m., President Greg Deranleau called the meeting to order. Lindsey Gonzales took roll call. The following additional Board members were present: Dr. Harriet Hall, Cheri Jahn, Dr. Kimberley Krapek and Lane Drager. Amanda Cruser, counsel for Jefferson County Board of Health, was also present.

A quorum was established.

Follow-Up Discussion Regarding: The Evolution of the Jefferson County Public Health Workplace:

Dr. Comstock discussed with the Board the Evolution of the Jefferson County Public Health Workplace project. After discussion and review of updated material the Board of Health shared their optimism for the project and thanked Kelly Keenan and her team for all their hard work and attention to detail. The Board would like to see special attention to change management process and engaging the public in who public health is and what specifically public health does. Dr. Comstock invited the Board to sit on various workgroups and a senior advisory group as the project progresses.

Discuss Legal Counsel for Jefferson County Public Health and the Jefferson County Board of Health:

The Board of Health has chosen to use the Jefferson County Attorney's office as their legal representation beginning in July of 2021. Boog and Cruser, P.C. will remain on retainer and Jefferson County Board of Health will keep the current contract with Boog and Cruser, P.C. active for legal consultation when needed due to conflicts of interest. Boog and Cruser, P.C. will work with the Jefferson County Attorney's Office to transition current cases. Boog and Cruser, P.C. will attend the June Jefferson County Board of Health meeting as their legal representation. The Board of Health thanked Boog and Cruser, P.C. specifically Amanda Cruser for her years of service, dedication, trustworthiness and support.

Adjournment:

There being no further business to come before the Board of Health, the meeting was adjourned at 6:45 p.m.