

**BOROUGH OF RARITAN
BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING
MARCH 11, 2026~7:00PM**

This Meeting of the Borough of Raritan Board of Health was held Wednesday, March 11, 2026, in the Municipal Building, 9 West Somerset Street, Raritan, New Jersey 08869 at 7:08 pm.

I. STATEMENT OF PUBLIC NOTICE

This meeting is called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Law. Notice of this meeting was sent to The Courier News and The Breeze News. In addition, copies of notices were posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building, on the Raritan Borough website. Notices on the bulletin board have remained continuously posted. Proper notice having been given; the secretary is directed to include this statement in the minutes of this meeting.

ROLL CALL

Present: Constance Del Rocco, Nina Dorey, Gennifer Hoffmeister, Preni Nair,
Carol Werner

Absent: Anna Bongiovi (excused), Kathryn Mastice (excused)

FLAG SALUTE

President Dorey

PUBLIC COMMENTS

At this point the Board of Health welcomes comments from any member of the public. To help facilitate an orderly meeting and to permit the opportunity for anyone who wishes to be heard, speakers are asked to limit their comments to 5 minutes. If reading from a prepared statement, please provide a written copy after making your comments. Please sign in by printing your name and address.

None Offered

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

January 14, 2026

Board Vice President Hoffmeister motioned to approve January 14, 2026, minutes, seconded by Board President Dorey. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
	X	Dorey	X			
X		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
		Nair	X			
		Werner	X			

APPROVAL OF REGISTRAR’S REPORT

January 2026
February 2026

Board President Dorey motioned to approve January and February Registrar’s Reports, seconded by Board Member Nair. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
X		Dorey	X			
		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
	X	Nair	X			
		Werner	X			

BOARD OF HEALTH FINANCIAL REMITTANCE

January 2026
February 2026

Board President Dorey motioned to approve January and February Financial Remittance, seconded by Board Member Nair. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
X		Dorey	X			
		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
	X	Nair	X			
		Werner	X			

HEALTH INSPECTOR'S REPORT

January 2026

February 2026

M. McCarty gave the following report.

Somerset County has been getting a lot of calls about "bird flu" refer these types of calls to New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, SCHD. Advise they should not touch dead birds, even though human transmittal is very low if at all. Advise to call this number 1-877-WARNDEP (1-877-927-6377)

Possibility of Senior Programming the Raritan all purpose room/Senior group meetings

1. Keeping Mind Sharp
 2. Get Fit
 3. Standing Tall against Falls
 4. Keeping Mind Fit,
- these are just a few programs available. Health Educators will be in touch with Raritan Borough to schedule with Senior Group.

Vaccines for children's clinics at SCHD or Schools, mostly were ever needed. Vaccines are requested by the State and stored till needed.

SCHD is resubmitting the Public Accreditation Board Application. With a couple hundred items SCHD has 22 that will need to be cleaned up before site visits and accreditation completion.

Once a year the State approves an 8-week Diabetes course and there must be at least 12 people for the course to be approved. This is under Chronic Disease Self-Management Programs.

SCHD is happy to report since Covid they now have a full staff.

Board President Dorey motioned to approve January and February Health Inspector's Report, seconded by Board Member Werner. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
		Dorey	X			
		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
X		Nair	X			
	X	Werner	X			

LIAISON'S REPORT

Councilman Agrawal gave the following report.

He spoke about housing commitment to the State and the number of projects that were being considered by Mayor and Council. He noted with this comes a lot of problems. He added in a way it's like being related to health and well-being issues of the residents as they are dealing with having hundreds and hundreds of apartments in a Town which is a small space.

RESOLUTION

2026-04 Revised 2026 Annual Meeting Schedule

Board President Dorey motioned to approve, Resolution 2026-04, seconded by Board Member Werner. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
X		Dorey	X			
		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
		Nair	X			
	X	Werner	X			

OLD BUSINESS

Communications between SCHD and Raritan Borough.

This issue has been discussed and is resolved.

ABC Grading Food Business

Will be discussed in further detail at the April 8, meeting. Some information needs to be acquired to better understand this issue.

Board President Dorey motioned to approve, seconded by Board Member Nair. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
X		Dorey	X			
		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
		Nair	X			
	X	Werner	X			

NEW BUSINESS

IV-Hydration Centers

It was noted SCHED does not have inspections rights, but because of the medical implications (IV therapy) the State would.

It was also noted Hand Healing Spa remains closed at this time.

Board Member Weiner motioned to approve, seconded by Board President Dorey. Motion was carried by the following roll call vote.

Motion	Second	Name	Yeas	Nays	Abstain	Absent
		Bongiovi				X
		DelRocco	X			
	X	Dorey	X			
		Hoffmeister	X			
		Mastice				X
		Nair	X			
X		Werner	X			

ADJOURNMENT

Board Member Werner motioned to adjourn, seconded by Board President Dorey. Motion carried out at 8:00pm. All BOH Members present in agreement.

Approval Date: April 08, 2026