# SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SALT LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

January 18, 2022 – 8:30 AM County Government Center, N2-800

Due to the health and safety risks related to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, and the recent increase in COVID-19 cases, the Salt Lake County Board of Health will be conducting this meeting electronically. Consistent with the provisions of the Utah Open and Public Meetings Act, Utah Code Ann. § 52-4-207(4), the Salt Lake County Board of Health will provide space and facilities at the anchor location so that interested persons and the public may attend and monitor the open portions of the meeting. However, due to the high rate of COVID-19 transmission in the County, members of the public are strongly encouraged to attend the Board's electronic meeting as described below, rather than attending in person.

WebEx (toll free in the U.S.): Phone: 1-415-655-0003 Access Code: 2486 499 7042 Meeting Password: 11822

## **BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Kalina Duncan, Chair
Roderic Land
Stacey Bank, MD
Pimmie Lopez
Councilmember Arlyn Bradshaw
Leticia Medina
Michele Corigliano
Dr. Dan Poulson
Rylee Curtis
Mimi Shen

Dan Eckersley

## **EXCUSED/ABSENT:**

Mayor Robert Dahle Mollie Nordgren

Kencee Graves, MD

#### **GUESTS/STAFF:**

Dr. Angela Dunn, Executive Director

Amelia Self, PH Director

Stacia Sidlow, Deputy Dist. Atty.

Karen Crompton, HS Director

OGabriel Moreno, PIO

Erin Litvack, Deputy Mayor
Debby Vanetti, Admin

Heather Edwards, Admin.

# **CALL TO ORDER:**

The meeting was called to order at approximately 8:33 AM by Kalina Duncan, Chair, of the Salt Lake County Board of Health.

### STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER OF CONSTRAINT 2022-1:

Kalina Duncan, Chair, presented a draft statement in support of the Public Health Order of Constraint 2022-1, which was issued by Dr. Angela Dunn on January 7, 2022; the Board received the draft statement prior to the meeting. The Board discussed the best way to message the statement and the need for a public messaging that encourages residents to wear masks and provide information on the best way to stay healthy, with the Board understanding that the law does allow the state legislature to overturn the order. After further discussion it was determined that the statement would be signed by the Board chair and sent to the Governor, Senate President, and the House Speaker, and the department was asked to prepare a public message that encourages residents to continue wearing masks and the importance of how this, along with other mitigation efforts, can help residents stay healthy.

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Kalina Duncan asked if there was a motion to approve the Board statement in support of the Public Health Order of Constraint and forward it to the Governor and legislative leadership, along with a public message asking for residents to support mask wearing. A motion was made by Dan Poulson, seconded by Pimmie Lopez, to approve the Board statement in support of the Public Health Order of Constraint and a public message asking for residents to support mask wearing. The motion passed unanimously, showing that all Board members present voted "Aye."

For more detailed information, please see a hardcopy of the statement included in the Board of Health meeting folder.

Kalina Duncan adjourned the meeting at approximately 9:02 AM.