

August 15th 2024

Meeting of the Coalition of Local Health Officials

Meeting Began: 11:47 AM

### **Executive Members:**

<u>Present:</u> Jocelyn Warren, Past CLHO Chair, Lane; Carrie Brogoitti, Vice-Chair, Center for Human Development Union; Dr. Pat Luedtke, Health Officer's Rep; Jackson Baures, Large County Representative, Jackson; Katie Plumb, Small County Representative, Crook; Joseph Fiumara, Coalition of Local Environmental Health Specialists, Umatilla <u>Absent:</u> Philip Mason-Joyner, Secretary/Treasurer, Clackamas; Shane Sanderson, Medium County Representative, Linn; Lindsey Manfrin, Public Health Administrators of Oregon, Yamhill;

# **Members Present (x if present)**

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| X  | Baker – Meghan Chancey                    | X   | Hood River - Trish Elliot                      |   | Multnomah – Andrea Hamberg   |
| X  | Benton – Sara Hartstein                   | X   | Jackson - Jackson Baures*                      | X | North Central PHD (Sherman, Wasco) - Shellie Campbell & Martha McInnes     |
| X  | Clackamas – Philip Mason-Joyner* ARMANDRO | X   | Jefferson - Mike Baker- KATIE<br>RUSSELL PROXY | X | Polk – Kari Wilhite  |
| Χ  | Clatsop – Jill Quackenbush                | Х   | Josephine – Janet Fredrickson                  |   | Tillamook - Marlene Putman   |
| Χ  | Columbia – Jaime Aanensen                 | Х   | Klamath - Jennifer Little                      | X | Umatilla - Joseph Fiumara  |
| Χ  | Coos – Tim Lynch                          |     | Lake - Judy Clarke                             | X | Union - Carrie Brogoitti*  |
| X  | Crook – Katie Plumb*                      | X   | Lane - Jocelyn Warren*                         | X | Washington – Marie Boman-Davis* was absent; Erin Jolly attended as proxy   |
| X  | Deschutes – Heather Kaisner               | Х   | Lincoln - Florence Pourtal                     | X | Wheeler - Shelby Thompson  |
| X  | Douglas - Bob Dannenhoffer                |     | Linn – Shane Sanderson*                        | X | Yamhill - Lindsey Manfrin was absent;<br>Bill Michielsen attended as proxy |
|    | Gilliam – DaiLene Wilson                  | Χ   | Malheur - Rebecca Stricker                     | X | HO Caucus - Pat Luedtke*   |
| Χ  | Grant – Jessica Winegar                   |     | Marion – Wendy Zieker                          | X | CLEHS Caucus - Joseph Fiumara*   |



| Χ | Harney – Kelly Singhose | X | Morrow – Robin Canaday |  | PHAO - Lindsey Manfrin* |  |
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Public Health Division: Danna Drum

**Coalition of Local Health Officials:** Sarah Lochner, Executive Director; Allison Mora, Program Manager; Kate Szrom, Rural Public Health Communications Coordinator

Guests: Dr. Paul Halverson & Maureen Flannigan

**Motion:** Jennifer Little made a motion to approve the June minutes. Jocelyn Warner seconded the motion. 0 opposed, 0 abstained, all remaining present in favor, motion passed.

### **Agenda Items**

## **CLHO Exec Elections- VOTE (Sarah Lochner, CLHO ED)**

- Executive Chair: Jennifer Little nominated Philip Mason-Joyner and Jackson Baures seconded the motion. Carrie Brogoitti abstained. Motion passed.
- Secretary Treasurer: Jennifer Little nominated Shane Sanderson. Jackson Baures seconded the motion, Heather Kaisner thirded the motion. No opposition. Motion passed.
- Position 2: (eligible counties: Sarah Lochner mentioned the eligible counties, and specified that Linn, Umatilla and Yamhill are already represented so the other ones are left to be eligible). Armando would like to nominate Jeniffer Little, and Heather Kaisner seconded the motion. Jennifer abstained. Motion passed.

OHSU-PSU School of PH Dean - Meet and Greet, Introduction (Dean Dr. Paul K. Halverson)



• Introduction: Dean Halverson shared that he wants to learn from LPHAs on what their pressing issues are so he can help guide their strategic plans, that he would love to be a partner with LPHAs on workforce development, and mentioned that distance based course work is important and needs to be relevant and pertinent.. He was also willing to share his contact info with LPHAs (this was shared in the meeting chat and in a post-meeting email).

#### Discussion/Q&A:

- **Florence Pourtal** said that performance management and quality improvement is helpful to include in public health education and training, and said it should be less academic focused and more practice focused.
- Sarah Lochner shared that CLHO is working on a Workforce Development Report and will share that with Dean Halverson once it's ready to go out. Dean Halverson followed up by saying that he would like to meet with Sarah to talk more about this and how he can help CLHO.

## "Shot in the Arm" Documentary Film Support- Introduction (Maureen Flannigan, Documentary Filmmaker)

- Maureen shared the following information:
  - The documentary will be on PBS in November after the election.
  - One of the key parts of their request is to facilitate a conversation at the documentary showings.
  - o They are getting sponsors right now so they can have the documentary play on PBS for three years.
  - Note: The sponsorship packet was shared in a post meeting email.

## Legislative Committee Recommendations- Discussion & Update (Sarah Lochner, CLHO ED)

- AOC Conference Panel Nov. 20 in Eugene- the proposed topic and format is "The Invisible Crisis: The Surge in Communicable Diseases & the Humans Most Affected"
  - Sarah said that we want to be thoughtful about not stigmatizing homeless folks further and we don't want to
    weaponize public health to sweep camps. Sarah also said that we want to highlight how much of a struggle it is
    to keep up this work in communicable disease and to better support the advocacy work to increase funding.
     CLHO is looking for panelists to talk about the outreach LPHs are doing to reach these at-risk communities.



- CCO 3.0 Statue Change Proposal: Washington County authored a proposal and AOC decided to take lead on it for Rep. Nosse's CCO Salon. Sarah gave a summary on the CLHO Executive Committee vote in support of the proposal and next steps.
- Advocacy Agenda Updates
  - CLHO Funding Priorities:
    - Communicable Disease (via Modernization): Awaiting POP approval.
    - Addiction Primary Prevention (via Modernization): Sponsor is pending.
    - Early Childhood: Strengthening NHV and expanding WIC are at the budget request stage.
    - Workforce Incentives: Sponsor and cosponsor secured.
  - o Legislator Meetings: 8 completed, 5 pending.
  - o Partner Meetings: 11 completed.

### WD Report Update- Update (Allison Mora, CLHO PM)

 Allison shared an update on where the current status is for survey completion and shared that updates to the survey instructions have been made based on user feedback. Allison also emphasized the importance of each LPHA completing the survey since the number of completed surveys hadn't reached 50% yet for 33 LPHAs.

### **Member Announcements- Update (Sarah Lochner + All)**

• Meghan Chancey shared that she will be stepping down from her PHAB role and that position will open up soon.

Adjourn: Meeting adjourned at 1:30pm.