The Weld County Board of Health met May 28, 2019, at 9:00 a.m. in the second-floor hearing room of the Weld County Department of Public Health and Environment.

Those present included:

Board Members: Nicholas Berryman, Fred Hepner, Linda Kautz, Sandra Owens, Jim Rohn and Joyce Smock

Others: Lauren Light, Katie Sall, Environmental Health Services, Luke Bond Veris Environmental and Scott McDonald McDonald Farms Enterprises and several members of the public

APPROVAL OF AGENDA
A motion was made by Joyce Smock to approve the agenda as presented. Linda Kautz seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES
A motion was made by Fred Hepner to approve minutes from April 23, 2019. Jim Rohn seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

BUSINESS

VERIS ENVIRONMENTAL, LLC – Katie Sall presented Two new biosolids applications.  
DS-1900006 - Public comment from Henry Lyn irrigation 100 feet set-back tilled in ground. Katie Sall recommends approval.  
A motion was made by Fred Hepner to approve new biosolid. Jim Rohn seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

DS-1900007- Public comment from Jamie 1008 CR 61 and Henry Lyn irrigation 100 feet set-back tilled in ground. Katie Sall recommends approval.  
A motion was made by Linda Kautz to approve new biosolid. Fred Hepner seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

McDonald Farms Enterprises – Katie Sall presented two new biosolids applications.  
SS-1900002 – Ira Tangle 2869 Matthews Ave complained of smell and lots of traffic from the oil and gas trucks. Scott McDonald explained that they a switching to a lighter material soil and will stay on top of the ground and absorb some of the odor. Mr. Perez 2929 Matthews also complained about the smell and asked about the impact to the wells. Scott McDonald said should have no impact on the
wells and suggested that the odor coming from other farmers who are using a different weed seed. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Joyce Smock to approve new biosolid. Linda Kautz seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

SS-1900003- No public comments. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Fred Hepner to approve new biosolid. Jim Rohn seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

Veris Environmental, LLC Katie Sall presented 15 biosolids renewal applications. No public comments or concerns were received. Environmental Health recommends approval.


A motion was made by Jim Rohn to approve the renewals. Linda Kautz seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

McDonald Farms Inc - Katie Sall presented 8 domestic Septage renewal applications

SS-1500004- No public comments. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Joyce Smock to approve the renewal. Fred Hepner seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

SS-1500001 – No public comments. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Fred Hepner to approve the renewal. Linda Kautz seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

SS-200404- SS-200405 – No public comments. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Fred Kepner to approve the renewal. Joyce Smock seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

SS-201201 – No public comments. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Joyce Smock to approve the renewal. Fred Kepner seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

SS-201401- Public comment from Courtney 14743 CR 20 (via e-mail) Complained of smell, lots of flies. Said that her kids did not want to go out to play or do the chores because the smell and the flies were so bad. Katie Sall recommends approval.

A motion was made by Fred Kepner to approve the renewal. Linda Kautz seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

SS-201202- SS_201203 - No public comments. Katie Sall recommends approval.
A motion was made by Joyce Smock to approve the renewal. Sandra Owens seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

Metro Wastewater Reclamation – Katie Sall presented 4 renewal application. No public comments or concerns. Katie recommends approval.

DS-200510, DS-200516, DS-200616, DS-200808

A motion was made by Jim Rohn to approve the renewals. Linda Kautz seconded the motion and the motion was carried unanimously.

PRESENTATIONS

Valerie Smith – Communicable Disease Program Supervisor, Public Health Education and Nursing. Influenza Vaccine: Why Doesn’t it Just Work?

What caused us to be sick? – Virus – Bacteria – Protozoa

Influenza:

Symptoms- fever, cough, body aches, headache, chills and sore throat.
Spread- through droplets when you cough, sneeze or talks
Infectious period- 1-2 days before symptoms to 5-7 after being sick
Prevention – vaccination, handwashing with soap & water, stay home
Treatment – antivirals within 48 hours

Leslie Beckstrom- Healthy Eating and Active Living Coordinator

Whose Lane is it? Sharing the road with bicyclists!

Driving with bicyclists is the same as driving with other cars- A bicycle is a vehicle and is required by law to follow all rules of the road.
Why bicyclists take the lane- It is often the safest place (not sidewalks) they can also trigger the light or signals.

Key Points:

Treat bicyclists as drivers of vehicles
Both road users can take action to avoid crashes
Pay attention at intersections and driveways
Understand when and why take the lane
Abide by the 3’ rule when passing
Roadways users are all people – Share the road to keep PEOPLE safe
A motion by Nick Berryman to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by Fred Kepner. Meeting was adjourned at 11:07 am. Next meeting is Tuesday, June 25th, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Beebe