

**CITY OF NORWALK  
BOARD OF HEALTH  
REGULAR MEETING  
APRIL 28, 2026**

**ATTENDANCE:** Kenneth Lalime, RPh, Anthony Santella, DrPH, Janet Karpiak, MD (arrived at 8:11 a.m.), Deanna D’Amore, Director of Health

**OTHERS:** Aniella Fignon, Project Coordinator, Darleen Hoffler, Supervisor of Clinical Services, Theresa Argondezzi, Assistant Director of Health, Community Health

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 8:05 a.m. A quorum was not present at the start.

**ROLL CALL**

Members present as noted above.

**ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**

Due to lack of quorum, this item was moved to later in the meeting.

Later in the meeting:

DR. SANTELLA MOVED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF MARCH 24, 2026.

MR. LALIME SECONDED.

MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

One member of the public spoke regarding the department budget, lead inspector staffing, and community outreach.

Public participation was closed.

**COMMUNITY HEALTH SPRING PREVIEW**

Staff provided an overview of upcoming community health programs, outreach activities, and communications for the spring and summer.

No action was taken.

**VACCINE FEES**

Staff presented proposed increases to select vaccine fees to align with current costs and noted that a consultant will review long-term fee methodology.

DR. SANTELLA MOVED TO APPROVE THE PROPOSED VACCINE FEE INCREASES.  
MR. LALIME SECONDED.  
MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

## **REPORTS**

### **Director's Report**

The Director provided updates including:

- Epidemiologist position recruitment
- Appointment of new Chief of Community Services
- Public Health Preparedness activities
- Volunteer recognition
- Budget process status
- Ongoing policy discussions

No action was taken.

## **DISCUSSION**

No additional discussion.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION TO ADJOURN.  
MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

The meeting adjourned at 8:43 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jada Caballero