

APPROVED: MAY 26, 2026
WEST WINDSOR TOWNSHIP COUNCIL
BOARD OF HEALTH
February 9, 2026

CALL TO ORDER: President Mandel called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Charles, Gawas, Geevers, Mandel, Weiss

STATEMENT OF ADEQUATE NOTICE

Statement of Adequate Notice – January 23, 2026 to The Times and the Princeton Packet, filed with the Municipal Clerk and posted at the Municipal Building and on the Township web-site.

ATTENDEES: President: Gawas; Council: Charles, Geevers, Mandel Weiss; Mayor: Marathe; Business Administrator: Schmid; Township Attorney: Herbert; Township Clerk: Sheehan; Acting Health Officer: Nikita Patel

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

Ms. Sheehan led the salute to the flag.

Ceremonial Matters and/or Topics for Priority Consideration

Proclamation Recognizing Jill Swanson's Years of Service to West Windsor Township

President Gawas read the Proclamation and presented a plaque and flowers to Ms. Swanson.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

FOR ACTION

Approval of Minutes:

Board of Health – November 10, 2025

Motion to approve: Mandel

Second: Geevers

RCV: Abstain Charles

Aye Geevers

Aye Mandel

Aye Weiss

Aye Gawas

For Discussion

Mayor/Administration:

Mayor Marathe thanked Ms. Swanson for her long career and for keeping everyone safe during the COVID 19 Pandemic.

Councilmember Geevers also thanked Ms. Swanson and noted they had been working together for over 20 years. She wished her well in retirement.

Councilmember Mandel thanked Ms. Swanson and noted how the Health Officers job was not easy during COVID 19.

Council President Gawas thanked Ms. Swanson for always helping her as a newly elected Councilmember during the Pandemic and wished her well.

Updates from Acting Health Officer:

Nikita Brancato introduced herself as the acting Health Officer and provided updates:

- Announced the 2025 Annual Report was released and is on the Township website.
- Noted Council has the Quarterly 2025 Report.
- Provide a status update on Influenza, COVID and Measles in New Jersey.
- Noted Dog Licensing is still going on and provided licensing information.

Chief Garofalo updated Council on feral cats. He noted they are currently working on the issue with the Animal Control Officer, Health Department and multiple animal shelters.

Ms. Wang and Ms. Haque, staff from the Health Department, presented on West Windsor Community Partners. Topics covered were:

- Health Programming & Partnerships
- School Events
- Outdoor Events
- Vaccination Clinics
- Blood Pressure Screenings
- Health Fair & Presentations
- Outreach & Material Distribution

Public Comment

Matt from 412 Village Road E., asked for another update on the feral cats in a few weeks.

Mayor Marathe said they will update the residents but noted the situation will take time.

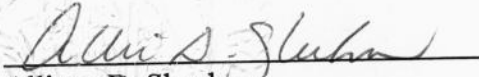
ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn: Geevers

Second: Weiss

VV: All approved

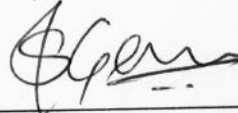
The meeting was adjourned at 7:33 p.m.



Allison D. Sheehan

Township Clerk

West Windsor Township



Sonia Gawas

Council President

West Windsor Township