



Effingham County Board  
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January 2, 2024 2:30 P.M.  
**Health and Insurance Committee Meeting**

**MINUTES**

Committee Members Present: Doug McCain, Norbert Soltwedel

Committee Members Absent: Tim Ellis

Other Board Members Present: Joshua Douthit

Others Present: Jeff Workman

**Minutes**

- Approval of December 5, 2023 minutes. N. Soltwedel motioned/J. Douthit seconded. Unanimous. *Motion carried.*

**Unfinished Business**

- Health Department Building Update – J. Workman reported building signs will be installed late January.
- Grant Updates – No updates.

**New Business**

**General Information/Public Comments**

- Health Department Update – J. Workman reported vandalism on hoop building and stated gathering estimates for replacement cameras as well as possible installation of garage doors to deter future vandalism. J. Douthit inquired on vinyl doors or other less expensive option for enclosing hoop building. J. Workman to look into other options.
- COVID Update – J. Workman confirmed 45 cases since December 28, 2023 with water testing trending upwards. J. Workman shared increase in RSV along with COVID.
- J. Workman shared Teutopolis anhydrous update with IDPH and IEPA test results confirming acceptable levels. J. Workman reported IEPA continues overseeing contractors on sight for homeowner and insurance company and should provide additional updates.

**Adjournment**

- J. Douthit motioned/ N. Soltwedel seconded that meeting be adjourned. Unanimous. *Motion Carried.*

Respectfully submitted,  
Angie Thompson, County Board Administrator