



City of Ashtabula

Ashtabula City Council

Community Development/Economic Development/Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting

Tuesday, January 9, 2024 at 4:30 PM

4717 Main Avenue, Ashtabula, OH 44004

Agenda

- 1. Opening of Committee Meeting**
 - a. Call to Order
 - b. Roll Call
 - c. Sunshine Law Certification
- 2. Welcome and Acknowledgement of Visitors**
- 3. Special Guest Presentation**
 - a. Ashtabula City Health Department - Christine Hill, Health Commissioner & Peggy Ducro, RN, DON
 1. Presentation
- 4. City Manager's Report**
- 5. Parks & Recreation Committee Report**
 - a. January 3, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- 6. Unfinished Business**
- 7. New Business**
- 8. Next Meeting**
 - a. February 27, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.
- 9. Adjournment**

Public Health in The City of Ashtabula

Ashtabula City Council Economic and Community
Development Committee

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Ohio's Public Health System

- Authorities and mandated programs, services, and functions set forth in Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Chapter 3707 and Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Chapter 3701-36
- 113 local health departments statewide each a separate political subdivision with an appointed Board of Health
- Funding
 - Local – levies, permit fees
 - State – grants, contracts, per capita subsidy
 - Federal – grants

Ohio Department of Health

O.R.C. Chapter 3709
establishes power and duties

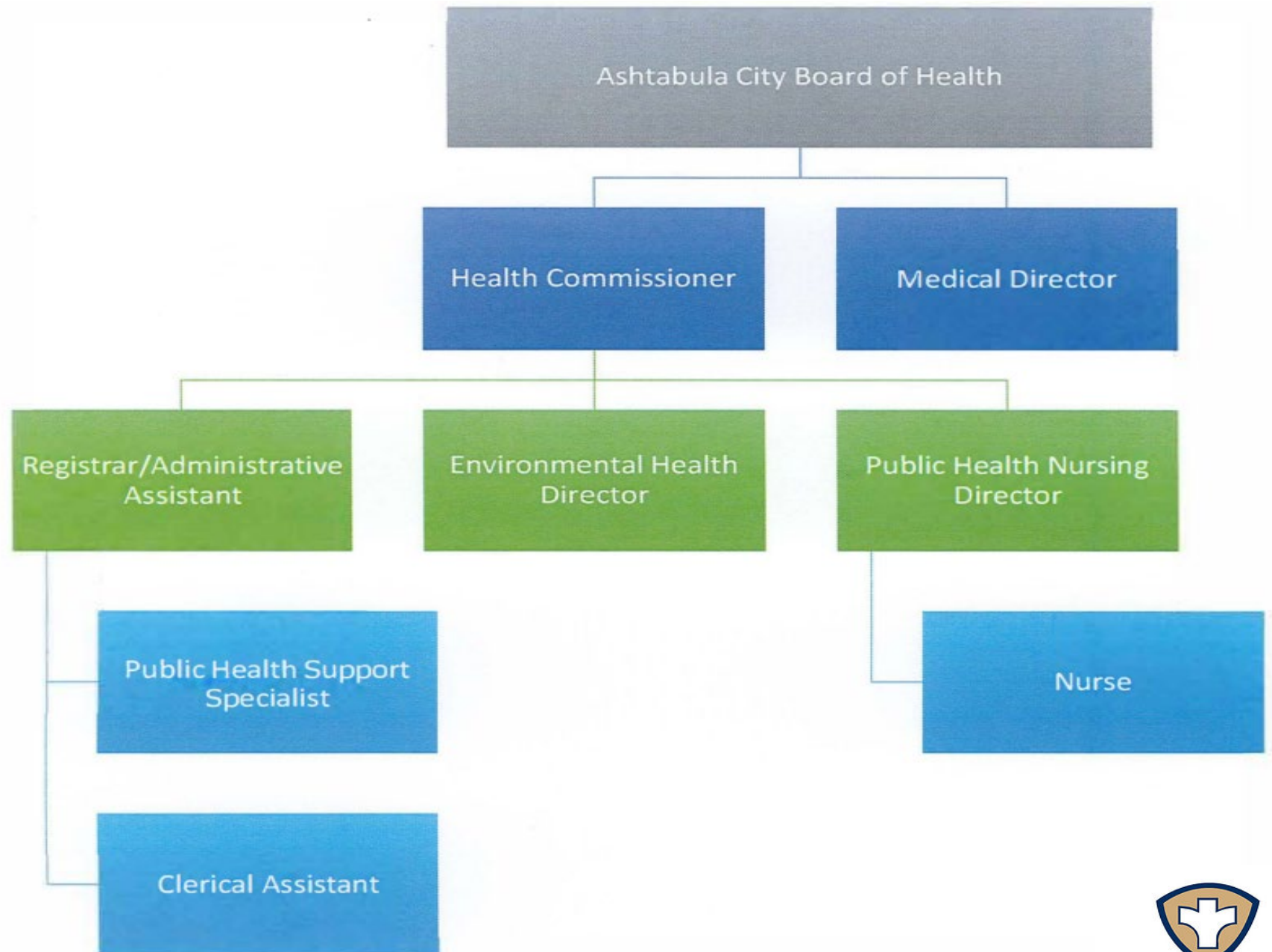
Funds local health
departments through
contracts and grants

Public Health – Ashtabula City Health Department

- Population served: 18,171
- Employees:
 - 4 Full time (2 positions increased to full time with grant funding)
 - 1 Part time
 - 1 Contract
 - 2 Contract (grant funded)
- Annual Budget: \$570k
- Governance:
 - Local Board of Health
 - City Council
 - Not centralized under the Ohio Department of Health, but acts under delegated authority to perform some programs, services, and functions.
- Part of the North East Region with the Cuyahoga County Board of Health as regional lead for emergency preparedness
- Health departments of Ashtabula County (HDAC)
 - Ashtabula County Health Department
 - Ashtabula City Health Department
 - Conneaut City Health Department



Ashtabula City Health Department Organizational Chart



Ashtabula City Board of Health

President & City Manager:

James Timonere

President Pro-Tem:

David DeGeorge

Members:

Terence Guerriero — Position to be filled

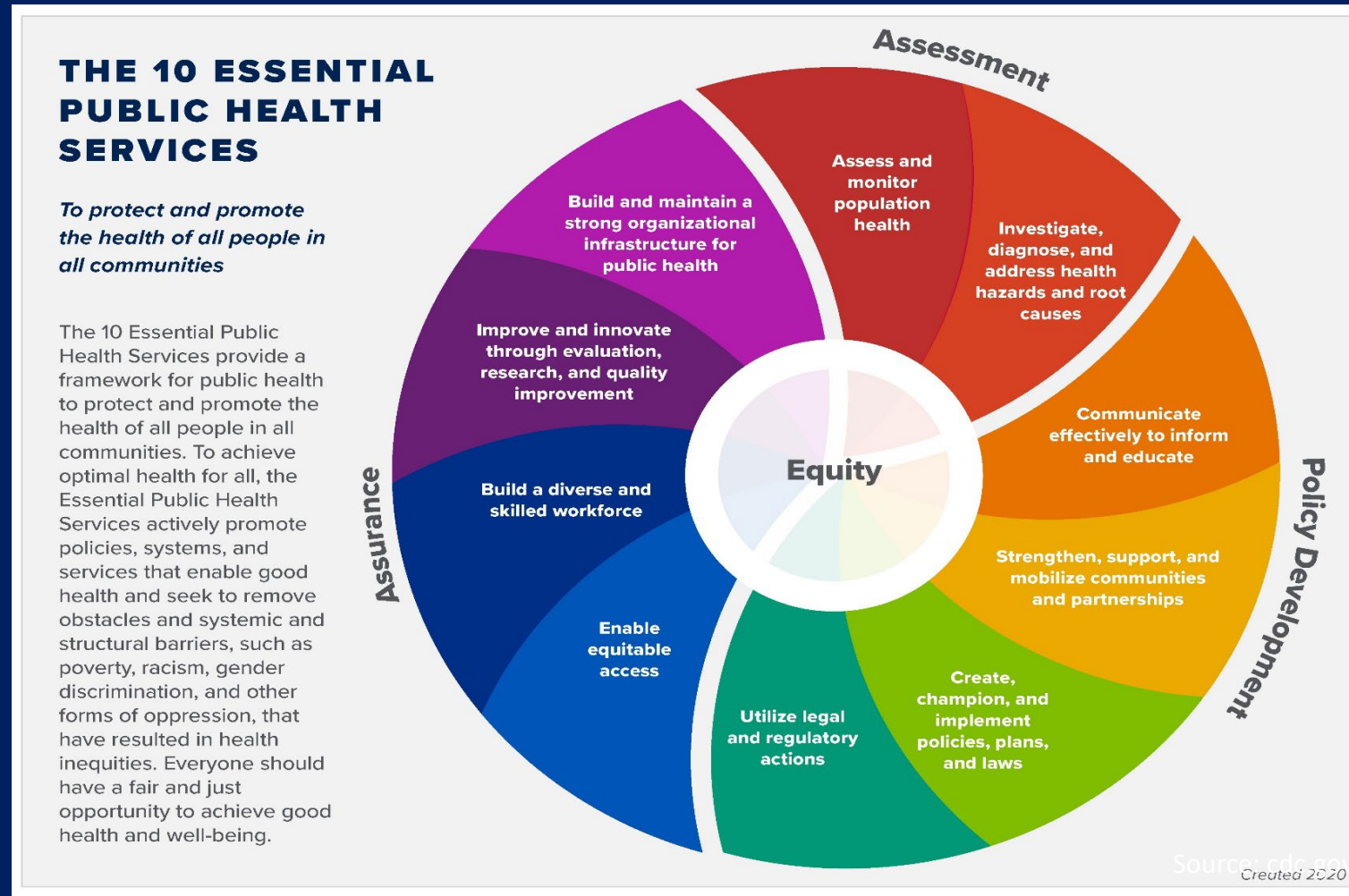
Ruth Simon

Maria Fowler

Christine Seuffert



The 10 Essential Public Health Services



National Public Health Accreditation

Goal:

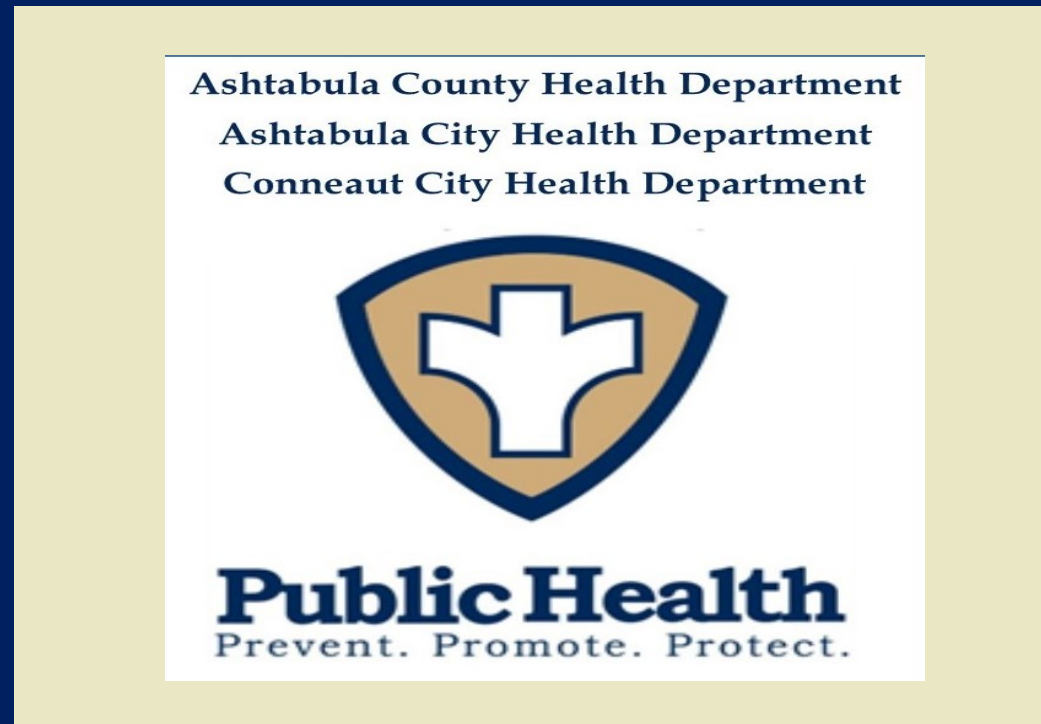
To improve and protect the health of the public by advancing the quality and performance of ***all*** health departments in the country.



Benefits:

- High Performance and Quality Improvement
- Recognition, Validation and Accountability
- Improved Communication and Collaboration
- Potential Increased Access to Resources

Health Departments of Ashtabula County



Programs & Services

Mandated Programs: *

Nursing:

- Disease Surveillance *
- Epidemiology*
- Maternal Child Health
- Immunizations*
- Well-child
- TB Case Management*
- Preventative Health Screenings
- Lead Poisoning Case Management*
- Health Education*
- Partnership with RN & LPN Program at ATECH
- BCMH – Children with Medical Handicaps
- Tobacco Education
- Narcan Distribution & Clean Needle Exchange

Vital Statistics:

- Birth Certificates*
- Death Certificates*
- Permits*
- Genealogy

Administration:

- Leadership (CHIP & Strategic Priorities)
- Financial Management
- Policy Development
- Child Fatality Review*
- PHAB Accreditation*

Environmental Health:

- Food Service Operations/Mobile*
- Retail Food Establishments/Mobile*
- Campgrounds/RV Parks*
- Animal Bites*
- Vector Control
- Household Sewage Systems-Septic*
- Marina Inspections
- Swimming Pools/Beaches*
- Nuisance Complaints*
- Plumbing Permits & Inspections*
- School Inspections*
- Jail/Prison Inspections*
- Tobacco Enforcement*/Smoke Free Ohio*
- Body Art Establishments*
- Environmental Health Education
- Manufactured Home Parks
- Lead Poisoning Case Management*
- Private Water Systems*
- Landfill*

Emergency Preparedness*:

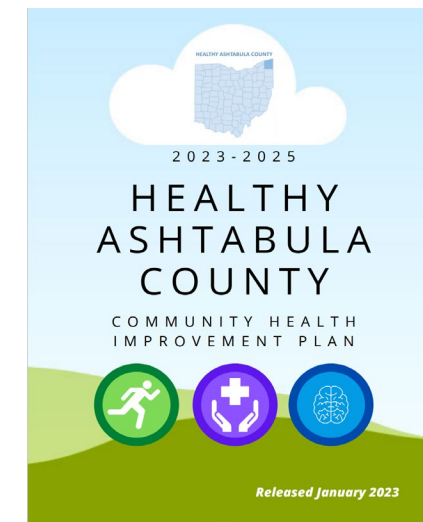
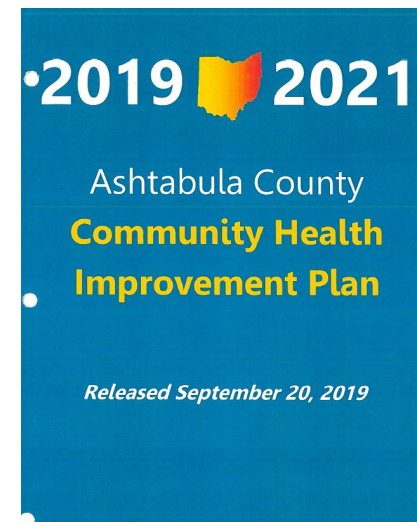
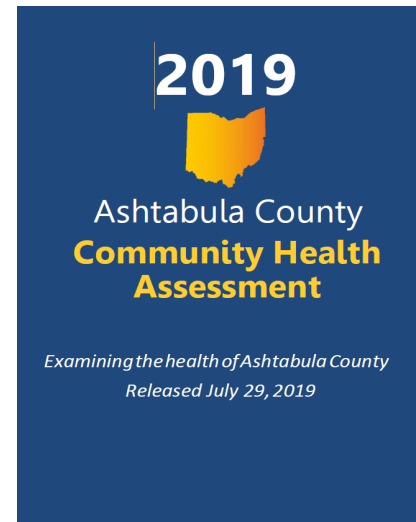
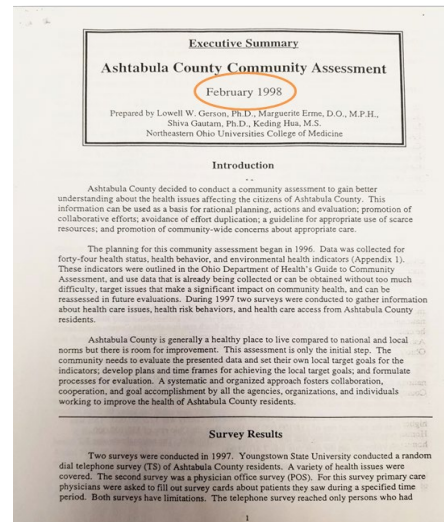
- Test communication systems (OPHCS, MARCS, GETS)
- Facilitate drills, exercises, and discussions
- Emergency Plans
- AAR/IP
- Medical Reserve Corps (Volunteer Management)

Non-mandated programs/services may not be offered by all health departments.



HDAC HAS A LONG HISTORY OF COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENTS AND IMPROVEMENT PLANS

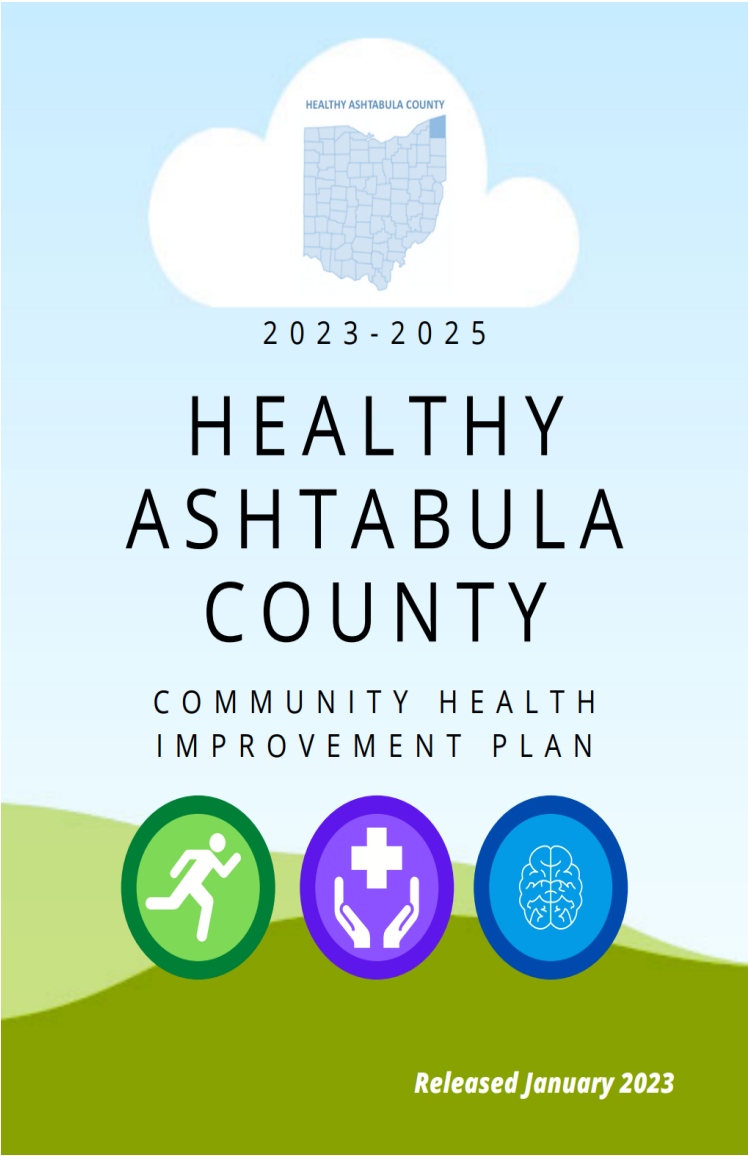
CHA's and CHIP'S through the years



Ashtabula County Health Department
Ashtabula City Health Department
Conneaut City Health Department



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Improving Community Health

Using data from the CHA and other
sources to from strategies to
improve the health of residents.

Executive Summary

Priority Areas

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Obesity



Access to Care



**Depression and Anxiety
Prevention and Treatment**

CHIP Development Process, Implementation, and Monitoring

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- ✓ Collective Impact
- ✓ Policy, Systems, and Environmental Change (PSE)
- ✓ Alignment of CHIP priorities with state and national goals
- ✓ Impact of Social Determinants of Health

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2023 – 2025 CHIP Health Priorities

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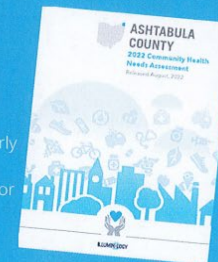
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Healthy Ashtabula County



ASHTABULA COUNTY COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLAN CHIP QUARTERLY REPORT-Q3 2023



Prepared by



Access to Care



Healthy Ashtabula County Access to Care Assessment Report 2023

Prepared by
*Conneaut City
Health Department*

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Thank You



Questions and Comments



Park and Recreation Board Meeting

January 3, 2024

Members present: Ken Vanyo, Earl Tucker, Margaret Distler (Emery Moore absent)

Councilors present: Jane Hayes- DiGiacomo, Jodi Mills

Meeting called to order 5:02 pm

October meeting minutes approved. No meetings in November or December.

Discussed needing more board members and if anyone knew anyone that might be interested.

The beach mats were brought up because wheelchair bound people cannot make it to the waters edge at Walnut Beach. Will see if there are possible portable mats that could be put out and taken back in.

Earl mentioned the tree that is blocking part of the Walnut Beach sign and if that could be taken care of.

Margaret mentioned that there are over 500 million pickleballs manufactured in a year and the majority end up in landfills. There is a company that will send you a bin (for free) to put at your courts, then when you fill the bin, they will send you a postage paid mailing label so that the balls can be recycled. The only thing you would need is a box to mail them in. She said that she would send everyone the information on the company.

The group was inquiring if it was known when Smith Field was going to go out for a re-bid.

Earl mentioned that the pavilion at Smith Field needs cleaning, especially for all the bird droppings. Margaret mentioned that it would be nice if the city could purchase the small nail like things that don't allow birds to land on beams, etc. like under the roof of the pavilion. Earl also mentioned that there is a company, B.Y. O., playground equipment that will sometimes help pay for any playground equipment, and it would be nice to have ADA type playground equipment.

Signage at Lake Ave. and W.9th. St. was brought up again by Margaret.

Jodi said that she and Jane have been starting to work on the city clean up and that the date this year is April 20th, and it would be great if they could get more groups together to help. If anyone knows any Boy Scouts, or any other type of group that would like to join in the clean up to send them their way.

Margaret brought up again that the Hulett at Point Park needs sand blasted or some way cleaned along with the information plaques that are hard read to do deterioration.

Meeting adjourned.

Next meeting is February 6th.