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NEWS

HAMILTON COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH COMPLETES ANNUAL REORGANIZATION

HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO – At the March 14 board meeting, the Hamilton County Board of Health completed its annual reorganization, electing Thomas Chatham as the president of the board and Jim Brett as vice president.

Board member Tracey A. Puthoff was reappointed for another five year term by the Hamilton County District Advisory Council. The District Advisory Council is made up of presidents of the township boards of trustees, village mayors and the president of the Board of County Commissioners.

Chatham has been a member of the Board of Health since 1994. He is president of USI Midwest's Commercial Division.

Brett has been a member of the Board of Health since 2002. He is the owner of a manufactured home park, Business Development Manager for National Programs for APEX Corporation as well as a former Whitewater Township Trustee and former District Advisory Council member.

Puthoff was first appointed to the Board in 2006. She serves as a partner in the Business and Finance Department of Taft, Stettinius & Hollister LLP in Cincinnati.

The five-member Board of Health is the governing body of Hamilton County Public Health. In addition to Chatham, Brett and Puthoff, board members include Mark Rippe and Dr. Kenneth Amend. The Board has the authority to adopt public health rules and regulations, which have the same status as law, and to enact policies within Hamilton County Public Health's jurisdiction.

The Board of Health's regular meeting schedule through March 2012 will be on the second Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Hamilton County Public Health, 250 William Howard Taft, in Corryville. All meetings are open to the public.

For more information about the Hamilton County Board of Health, including minutes of Board of Health meetings, visit www.hamiltoncountyhealth.org.

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