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Queens Community Board 11

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Michael Budabin, Chair / Joseph Marziliano, District Manager

TO: All Board Members
FROM: Eileen Miller, Health Committee Chair
RE: COVID-19 Updates
DATE: December 18, 2020

On December 16, 2020, the Health Committee held a Zoom teleconference meeting to discuss test and trace information, new updates regarding COVID-19 and input from Committee Members.

Present

Eileen Miller, Committee Chair
Christine Haider, 1st Vice Chair
Henry Euler, 3rd Vice Chair
Susan Cerezo, Committee Member
Michael Golia, Committee Member
Christina Scherer, Committee Member

Elected Officials

David Fischer representing Assembly Member Braunstein

CB11 Staff

Joseph Marziliano, District Manager
Christina Coutinho, Community Associate

Mrs. Miller opened the meeting with the importance of COVID-19 contact tracing. She discussed how this helps with limiting the spread of the disease. Mrs. Miller informed the members of different location sites for testing. Each location has a different cost depending on insurance. There are some sites that offer free testing. The lines are very line long but everyone seems to patient while waiting.

The next topic Mrs. Miller discussed was the chemical make-up of the vaccine and how it will be distributed. To the best of her knowledge the vaccine will be available to most in February 2021. She mentioned the possible side effects. Mrs. Miller expressed the importance of washing hands and wearing a mask properly.

The final segment of the meeting was Committee Members speaking openly regarding their experiences with COVID-19.

The meeting adjourned at 8:13 pm.