

Precautionary Principle Meeting
August 28, 2008
Public Health Room 355

Present: Linda Helland, Phyllis Webb, Paul Cayler, John Morley

A discussion of the draft report to the BOS was held with the following comments noted:

- a few minor changes in wording were agreed upon
- changes to recommendations:
 - #2 – clarification of “moderate risk” also triggering public input and “high risk” requiring that a public workshop be held, all at the discretion of the CH Department Head will be added to the Public Participation Guidelines
 - Add #5 re: PP workgroup continuing under Community Health (talk to Stacey about this)
 - #6 - add healthy to sustainable
- Members felt that building a model in Community Health (our “home” Department) would be appropriate as well as building on momentum that’s already happening around changing policies and procedures to take a more precautionary approach.
- Eventually, the workgroup would offer interactive educational presentations in other departments.

A discussion of changes to the Participatory Guidelines was held and changes were agreed upon.

Paul went over the presentation to the BOS with the group and suggested the following:

- Include Final Report with an Executive Summary and the Guidelines in the packet that goes to the Board.
- Present no more than 12 slides in Power Point with goals bulleted and pictures at the meeting.
- Dates for that presentation were discussed, and October 21st was picked via email.

Next meeting Monday, September 29 from 11-12 at Public Health in conference room 355.

We’ll be reviewing

- the draft Final Report
- Executive Summary
- and a draft Power Point presentation for the BOS meeting