**SISKIYOU COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES BOARD MINUTES**

**May 16, 2022; 3:30 p.m.**

Behavioral Health Services

2060 Campus Drive, Yreka

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| **Board Members Present** | |
| Lise Rogers  Dee Mcguffey  Donna Mathwig  Sup. Nancy Ogren |  |

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| **Staff Present** |
| Sarah Collard, HHSA Director  Samantha Schlieter, MHSA  Tracie Lima, Clinical Director BHS  Laura Price, Executive Secretary |

**Guest: Tawnya Fuentes, Earl Chancellor**

1. Call to Order: Director Collard called the meeting to order at 3:35 PM
2. Roll Call: Board members and staff answered in the affirmative to the roll call taken by Executive Secretary Laura Price. Due to Covid-19 precautions, Board member Ogren, and Board member Mathwig participated in the meeting by Zoom.
3. Minute Approval: Board member Ogren motioned, and Board member Mathwig seconded. All in favor, none opposed.
4. Public Comment: Juene Kennedy asked that assessment hours be extended because of people’s work schedules. It is hard for most people to take time off of work to attend. Juene stated she knows someone who killed himself that could have used Behavioral Health help but couldn’t get the time off of work.
5. Substance Use Disorder Program Presentation: Administrator Toby Reusze presented.
   * 1. Now a Medi-Cal provider.
     2. Outpatient is offered 5 days a week in this building for an hour and a half per group.
        1. Relapse prevention
        2. Life works
        3. Parenting group
        4. Education class
        5. Seeking safety
     3. There is an initial assessment to determine what level of care is needed.
     4. Regular urine analysis
     5. Sober living in Redding – Visions of the Cross
     6. Waterfront for co-occurring diagnosis in Humbolt
     7. Behavioral Health serves the entire community for substance use disorders.
     8. Transformation group for youth and prevention services in the schools.
     9. The Substance Use Disorder department works closely with the jail and Fairchild Medical Clinic.
     10. Working on hiring a Care Coordinator to make sure people are being released from jail and linked to all necessary resources.
     11. Substance Use Disorder department has partnered with Partnership to offer telehealth through Brightheart, who also offer assessments.
6. Action Item:
   1. Resolution # 11-01 – Board member Ogren motioned, and Board member Mcguffey seconded. All in favor, none opposed to continuing meeting remotely.
   2. Chair nominee tabled until next meeting.
7. Chair Report:
   1. Vote on possible new member, Earl Chancellor, tabled until next meeting.
8. Department Report:
   1. Budgets: Departs have submitted the preliminary budgets, final due in September. The mental health budget is the largest budget, MHSA is mostly contracts. Budgets will be sent out and if there are any questions we can address at the next meeting.
9. Other/Identification of Future Agenda Items:
   1. Future agenda item: Children’s System of Care Program
10. Next Meeting: A regular meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 20, 2022, at 3:30 p.m., Yreka location/Zoom. The venue will be determined based on possible ongoing Covid-19 restrictions.
11. Adjourned: Meeting called to a close at 4:35 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

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| Vacant  Vacant, Chair  Behavioral Health Services Board | Signature on file  Laura Price, Board Secretary  Health and Human Services Agency |