



**BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND RECOVERY SERVICES (BHRS)
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BOARD (BHB)
May 26, 2022**

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting convened at 5:00 p.m. and called to order by Kathy Rupe, Chair.

Cynthia Bocage conducted member roll call and Kathy Rupe, Chair, led the board members and the audience in the pledge of allegiance.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Madalynn Baker, Megan Belair, Larry Bolton, Christopher Costin, Peter Dean, Shehu Hassan, Annie Henrich, Margie Johnson, Loren Mannard, Jerold Rosenthal, Kathy Rupe, Margorie Sturdy, Jack Waldorf, and Terry Withrow.

MEMBERS ABSENT

Captain Frank Martinez, Charmaine Monte, Officer Thomas H. Olsen, Frank Ploof, Gloria Vallin, Keryn Whitlow.

STAFF PRESENT

Cynthia Bocage, Kara Anguiano, Sara Jacobo, Kevin Panyanouvong, Carlos Cervantes.

GUESTS PRESENT

Alex Silva and Loretta Carhart.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Action: Megan Belair made a motion to approve the Behavioral Health Board minutes of April 28, 2022. Marjorie Sturdy seconded the motion.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS (BOS) REPORT

Terry Withrow reported the Board of Supervisors will be using \$15 million dollars from federal and state funds for unincorporated areas within the county. He and other Board of Supervisors are conducting two site visits per district to identify areas of need and priority. Terry also revealed the James Street 7-unit housing project had their ribbon cutting event today, June 26, 2022 offering permanent housing to clients who need housing and mental health support. A future 14-studio unit housing project led by Center for Human Services will be coming soon to 9th Street.

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ACT (MHSA) ANNUAL UPDATE FY 2022-2023

Carlos Cervantes, Manager for Mental Health Services Act (MHSA), provided a PowerPoint presentation focusing on Mental Health Services Act Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Annual Update for Public Hearing concluding the 30-day public review:

- Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Annual Update
 - Annual Update Purpose
- Strategic Initiatives
 - Strategic Plan/Strategy: Core Treatment Model
 - Core Treatment Model Capacity Building
 - CalAIM Behavioral Health Initiatives
- Actual Results for Fiscal Year 2020-2021
 - Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Actual Results

PUBLIC HEARING

Kathy Rupe called the public hearing to order regarding the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Annual Update FY 2022-2023. Kathy opened the floor to those present who wished to comment. There being no further comments, the hearing on the MHSA Annual Update FY 2022-2023 closed.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: GENERAL, CONSUMER, FAMILY

Alex Silva, a representative from the LGBTQ Collaborative, distributed a flyer for Stanislaus 2022 Pride Events.

RECOMMENDATION: INITIATIVES DEPARTMENT REPORT

Megan Belair reviewed the recommendations given by the Housing Initiative Committee. Behavioral Health board made the motion to support recommendations.

DEPARTMENT REPORT

Kara Anguiano, BHRS Chief Fiscal and Administrative Officer, provided a Power Point presentation in the following areas:

- May 2022 as Mental Health Awareness Month in Stanislaus County
 - Access to Treatment
 - Innovations Community Planning Process May-August 2022
 - Strengthening the Community System of Care
- Mental Health Clinician and Coordinator Base Salary
 - 5% Base Salary Increase- Board of Supervisors Approved 05/24/22
- Youth Behavioral Health Outreach Workers
 - Partnership with El Concilio
 - YHBOW Services
- New Permanent Supportive Housing Project
 - James Street, Modesto
- Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Proposed Budget

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annie Henrich announced there will be an Asian Youth and Family Cultural Fair on Saturday, June 18th, from 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Davis Community Park located on 2701 College Ave, Modesto.

Movie focused on mental health titled "Benevolent Neglect" will be showing at the State Theatre, today, May 26, 2022, at 6:30pm.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:15 p.m. The next meeting will be June 23, 2022, 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. at the Stanislaus Veterans Center, 3500 Coffee Rd., Ste.15, Modesto.

Respectfully Submitted by Sara Jacobo, Confidential Asst IV