

CHILDREN'S SERVICES COORDINATING COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday, October 6, 2016

2:00 p.m.

SJCOE Wentworth Education Center, Greenwood 3, 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton

MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting was called to order at 2:04 p.m. by Michelle Scott, Chair.

ROLL CALL/INTRODUCTIONS

Roll call was taken and a quorum was established.

Commissioners Present: Doug Bonnet, Dawn Custer, Dave Erb, John Harris, Patricia Hill, Evelyn Moore, Kathy Morrissey, Kristine Reed, Rene Roddewig, Michelle Scott, and Tony Yadon

Commissioners Excused: Capt. Jerry Alejandre, Becky Fitzgerald, and Edith Izaguirre

Commissioners Not Present: Mikey Habbestad, Matt Kozina, Rev. Dwight Williams, and Mark Yost

Contractors Present: Stephanie McCoy, Aronie Warren, Laprice Brown, Jami Alexander, Frank Gilson, Ofelia Delgado (CAPC), Ashton Datcher (WCYFS), and Ginger Estopare (HSA)

Contractors Not Present:

Guests Present: Dawn Arlt (First 5), Mai Vang (Community for Partnership for Families SJ), and Tyra Vickers (Haven of Peace)

Staff Present: Cathy Long Page, Brandi Harrold, Jamie Baiocchi, and Melinda Stapleton

Staff Excused:

III. CONTRACTOR COMMENTS

A. Child Abuse Prevention Council

Stephanie introduced Laprice Brown, new Director of Education who will oversee the Respite contract and thanked Kathy Morrissey for her assistance in setting up a meeting with the St. Joseph's Social Worker staff to share the CAPC services and streamline the referral process for families. She feels that since that meeting the process and triage has improved.

Frank shared a Safety Net services success that was an open CPS case of a mother of four children and sexual abuse by the father who has been sent to prison. The children were removed and placed in foster care, while the mother had been living with her sister in Pittsburg, working in San Francisco, and taking classes for parenting, sexual abuse, and counseling as directed by the court for all her family needs. The children were in foster care. She was able to acquire the youngest of her children and she moved to a motel. Frank suggested that she seek assistance from Haven of Peace, homeless shelters, and her church. This young mother was very willing to persevere through any struggle to get her family back together. She was able to build great relationships at her church. She continued to seek closer employment and found jobs in sales in the Stockton area. After some time, she found a sales associate job in Stockton, was able to rent a four bedroom house, and acquired all of her children. She continues on a good path with her children, her church, and her self-improvement. He was very impressed at how well she followed through on all her goals to bring her life back together.

Family Intervention success story was shared regarding a mother of a 14 year old daughter who began having behavior problems. The mother found out that her daughter had been bringing young men in the family house, and had a fake social media account. Stockton PD recommended that the mother to seek assistance from CAPC FI program. Family Intervention was able to connect the

daughter to the Crossroads program and the Straight Life program in Tracy. They also provided parent coaching through CAPC and parenting classes from the Catholic Charities. They are very happy to report that the daughter is doing well with the Crossroads program and the mother has learned some strict rules from her parenting classes. The mother also notices a difference in her daughter who is more willing to communicate and ask for help from her mother.

Pat asked for information on the Crossroads program. It is a mentoring probation program with four social workers who work with pre-delinquent children to mentor/counsel and prevent them from entering the juvenile system.

Aronie Warren, Child Care Coordinator shared child care successes while working respite care at Baby Steps. A mother with children ages 11 years old (son with special needs), 3 year old girl, and 1 year old son arrived that had been living in their van. The program set the mother up with the Lodi Safe Families Program where the children were found temporary placement. The children are receiving behavior services and have adjusted well after some difficult times. The mother is working to get into a drug recovery program.

There was no discussion regarding the monthly report sent out via email prior to the meeting.

B. Child Death Review Team

There was no discussion regarding the monthly report sent out via email prior to the meeting.

C. Foster Youth & Family Services

There was no discussion regarding the monthly report sent out via email prior to the meeting.

D. Women's Center Youth & Family Services

There was no discussion regarding the monthly report sent out via email prior to the meeting.

E. One Time Funding Updates – None at this time

F. HSA Contract Supervisor – Nothing to share.

IV. EXECUTIVE BOARD/STAFF COMMENTS

Cathy shared the following:

- The Government Leadership Training Program Meeting offered by the Board of Supervisors. Rene, Kristine, and Doug were able to attend and stated that this would be beneficial for the whole group to attend. Hopefully there will be future training dates to follow. Cathy will share this information when received.
- The form 700, Cathy fills in the blanks, asks the Commissioners to review them, make any changes, and then to sign them. She then turns them in to the Board of Supervisors office.
- The completion of the Annual Report. HSA will need to add a PSSF portion before submitting. Thanks to all of the contractors for submitting information. The Efforts to Outcomes (ETO) system was challenging to enter the information.
- Symposium update:
 - Still need some names for presenters
 - Topic suggestions include: Cutting, and Suicide awareness
 - Date is set for April 19, 2017, location TBD.

V. RESOURCE SHARING

Stephanie announced the following:

- Site visit at New Vision in Weston Ranch with full day openings.
- Diablo Homes is licensed with part day and part year.

- Some topics include: Preschool to Prison, Suicides, Cutting, Father Boyle, Secondary Trauma, Vicarious Trauma and Self Care, JC Duggard, or Elizabeth Smart.
 - Cathy read all of the themes from the past 15 years
 - Michelle will reach out to other Public Health for possible presenters
- **Car Seat Safety Program**
Cathy is waiting for the CA Highway Patrol to schedule a date for a parent meeting in the Thornton area; 15 families have already signed up to participate.
 - **One Time Funding RFP**
Cathy has received one application so far. The deadline to submit is October 17th. The application review date is October 20th at 11:00 a.m. at SJCOE. The quick turnaround is to be able to bring back to the Commission at the November meeting for voting.

HOPE ministries has submitted an invoice for the 2015-16 One time funding that does not meet their approved proposal. This invoice came in very late and has now been denied. No funds were expended.

X. LEGISLATIVE UPDATES

XI. COMMUNITY COMMENTS

XII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 3:07 p.m.

M. (D. Custer)

S. (R. Roddewig)

The next meeting will be November 3, 2016 at SJCOE, Emerson Conference Room (upstairs), 2707 Transworld Drive, Stockton.