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#### DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES BOARD

#### **MINUTES**

# February 13, 2013

#### CALL TO ORDER

Chair Jensen called the meeting to order at 6:03 P.M.

#### MEMBERS PRESENT

Chairperson Marilynn Jensen; Vice Chairperson, Becky Heimerl, Cheryl Drozdowicz, Nancy Lannert, Lynda Olson, Louis Peer, Ed Brandsey, Terry Fell

### **MEMBERS ABSENT:**

**Bridget Rolek** 

#### STAFF PRESENT

John Hanewall, Director; Susan Armstrong, DD Financial Worker

### ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved on a MOTION BY Terry Fell, SECONDED BY Becky Heimerl MOTION CARRIED.

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from January 23, 2013 were approved on a MOTION BY Louis Peer, SECONDED BY Ed Brandsey. MOTION CARRIED.

## CITIZENS PARTICIPATION, COMMUNICATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

None

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### 1. BILLS

 2012 Bills in the amount of \$117,439.22 and 2013 Bills in the amount of \$257,579.06 were approved on a MOTION BY Cheryl Drozdowicz, SECONDED BY Terry Fell. MOTION CARRIED.

### 2. APPROVAL OF CONTRACTS/ADDENDUMS

• 2012 Addendum: Catholic Charities increase Line Item #62604 (CIP 1B) from \$1,225,371 to \$1,225,733 (+362) due to a two week emergency respite care for one

current CIP 1B client. Additionally increasing Line Item #62620 (CIP 1A) from \$115,802 to \$122,046 (+6,244) due to housing startup costs for one current CIP 1A client to relocate into the community from an institution. This addendum was approved on a MOTION BY Ed Brandsey SECONDED BY Louis Peer. MOTION CARRIED.

- 2012 Addendum: Positive Living Inc. increase Line Item #62604 (CIP 1B) from \$684,281 to \$697,564 (+13,283) due to 6 weeks post surgical care for one current client and two clients moving into services. This addendum was approved on a MOTION BY Becky Heimerl SECONDED BY Lynda Olson. MOTION CARRIED.
- 2012 Addendum: Paragon Community Services LLC increasing Line Item #62620 (CIP 1A) from \$19,000 to \$19,765 (+765). Additionally decreasing Line Item #62627 (Brain Trauma) from \$21,500 to \$20,735 (-765) due to a need in day services for one current CIP 1A client and a decrease in need in day services for one current Brain Trauma client. This addendum was approved on a MOTION BY Terry Fell SECONDED BY Louis Peer. MOTION CARRIED.

# 3. ENCUMBRANCES

None

# 4. LINE ITEM TRANSFERS

None

### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT ON PROGRAM ACTIVITIES**

- 1. Department Updates:
  - The Department is a developing Memo of Understandings with the ADRC regarding how we will interface with each other.
- 2. Budget Updates:
  - The RFPs for Birth to Three Program have been returned and are now being evaluated. Once that is complete the data will be complied by Purchasing and a Provider will be selected. Tentatively this information will be brought before this Board for approval on the February 27<sup>th</sup> meeting.
- 3. Residential Placements
  - We relocated an individual from SWC back to the community on January 30<sup>th</sup>. CCLS is the residential provider. Mr. Hanewall shared pictures of the new residential placement with the modifications.
  - The consolidation of the LSS Crosby home is going as planned. We anticipate all the relocations to be completed by the end of the month.
- 4. Consumer Updates
  - On Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> we had one of our people pass away in Rock Haven. He was 64 and had resided there since 1992 and had complex medical issues.
  - We placed a 74 year old female at Rock Haven for a 30 day rehab stay following what appeared to be a stroke last week. Plans are for her to eventually return back to the community.
- 5. Providers' Updates
  - Riverfront was featured in an article in the Janesville Gazette on Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup>.
- 6. Staff Updates

None

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

Mr. Peer suggested the Board review setting a time limit of five to ten minutes to Citizen Participation. Chair Person Jensen disagreed and reminded the Board that members of the Board are paid \$50 plus travel to attend the meetings. Mr. Peer said the limit can be used as a tool when meetings get out of control. Other Board members agreed that having a time frame is needed. It would give the meetings a sense of control and professionalism. After much discussion by all Board members, Chair Person Jensen made a MOTION to limit Citizen Participation to 10 minutes SECONDED BY Louis Peer. MOTION CARRIED.

# ITEMS FOR FUTURE BOARD MEETING CONSIDERATION

Mr. Hanewall said Riverfront would be willing to host a Board meeting in the spring. The date will be set at a future meeting.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, February 27, 2013 at the Rock County Health Care Center 3<sup>rd</sup> floor Conference room at 6:00 P.M.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned on a MOTION BY Becky Heimerl, SECONDED BY Nancy Lannert at 7:12 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, Susan Armstrong, DD Financial Worker

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