

MEETING MIUNTES
San Miguel Behavioral Health Solutions
August 26, 2021 | 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Panel Members Present: Carol Friedrich, Paul Reich, Rob Whiting, Sarah Landeryou, John Pandolfo, Karen Winkelmann,

Panel Members Absent: Pam Stewart-Maddox, Chuck Porth

Other Attendees: Corinne Cavender, TCHNetwork; Greg Fischer, TCHNetwork; Kim Fischer, Norwood Public Schools; Alex Jones, Telluride School District; Jennifer Dinsmore, Telluride School District

Meeting called to order at 9:04am

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Approve July 22, 2021, Meeting Minutes**
 - i. 1st Sarah Landeryou*
 - ii. 2nd Karen Winkelmann*
 - iii. All in Favor*
- 3. Budget**
 - a. Solutions Panel reviewed current budget to inform decision making process
- 4. School Based Annual Report Presentations**
 - a. Presentation for Norwood Public Schools given by Kim Fischer**
 - i. Kim Fischer is the high school English and Spanish teacher and the lead for the Norwood school-based grant for Restorative Practices. Norwood is rolling out Restorative Practices through a 3-year process. This is normally how the school district implements new programs.
 - ii. See attached PowerPoint that was shared during Presentation.
 - iii. Rob Whiting inquired on how the Norwood team is working with teachers and staff who have trouble implementing Restorative Practices. Kim explained the tiered level of support the team offers to staff members.
 - iv. Rob Whiting asked about the underlying issues that has led to high staff turnover at the school and for the restorative practices team.
 - b. Telluride School District presentation given by Alex Jones**
 - i. Alex Jones is the 11th and 12th grade school counselor, department head, and lead for the Social Emotional Learning program. Telluride School District conducted multiple professional development sessions to improve the capacity of district staff. Telluride also conducted surveys of student to assess mental health well-being, which revealed an increase in suicide ideation. Counselors also reported this in their sessions with students.
 - ii. The Telluride School District invested in Source of Strength training, which Alex attended, and will continue to trickle that down to district staff.

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- iii. John Pandolfo explained how the district now has 4 FTE counselors and revised the structure so there is a counselor dedicated to specific grade levels.

5. Crisis Services Annual Report Presentation

- a. Jennifer Dinsmore is the chief administrative officer for the SMC Sheriff's office and presented on the Crisis Services Annual Report.
- b. The sheriff's office is looking to rehire for a CORE responder, as they recently had a resignation.
- c. See attached PowerPoint that was shared during Presentation.
- d. The sheriff's office has seen the expansion of its services through the implementation of the grant and is looking to expand clinicians covered by this grant to 1.5. Jennifer and Corinne will further discuss a new funding application.
- e. Rob Whiting expressed his support for the positive impact the program has had and wants to further discuss the scope of the program.

6. Telluride School District Application for funding for through Dec. 2021

- a. Corinne Cavender elaborated on the circumstances of the funding request and receiving the application from the school district. The school district will resubmit their application in December as part of Panel's effort to align with the County government's fiscal year.
- b. John Pandolfo reiterated the options he shared via email for altering aspects of the grant that the Panel expressed reservations on funding allocated to participating to the college fair.
- c. **Motion to approve Telluride School District Funding as originally proposed**
 - i. *1st Sarah Landeryou*
 - ii. *2nd Karen Winkelmann*
 - iii. *All in Favor*

7. TCHNetwork Contract Discussion

- a. Greg Fischer presented on how Tri-County Health Network administrative work has gone beyond the original specifications on the contract and how additional time will be necessary to administer the sliding scale model.
- b. Carol Friedrich asked for Tri-County to write up the contract addendum with revised scope of work

8. Executive Summary Review

- a. Agency Grants
- b. School Based Grants
- c. Crisis Services Grant
 - i. Corinne Cavender presented the executive summaries for the above grants as well be presented in the BOCC September meeting packet

9. Membership Discussion

- a. Karen Winkelmann shared the news that she is leaving the Telluride Medical Center and will be leaving this panel after this month. The Panel will wait for an update on the representation from the Medical Center.
- b. Corinne Cavender raised concern over attendance as specified in the by-laws, which states a panel members seat is up for evaluation by the panel after three absences in the calendar year.
 - i. Corinne and Carol will speak to the BOCC regarding how to address the circumstance when the absences are from an organization/individual specified to be a permanent member of the panel.

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10. Updates

- a. Spanish Interpretation RFA
- b. Sliding Scale
- c. Suicide Prevention
 - i. Corinne Cavender gave updates on the above initiatives

11. Other Business

- a. Review of the Budget
 - i. Sarah Landeryou supports have a strategy session with the panel before the end of the year to assist in planning

Meeting adjourned at 11:00am

Panel Members:

- Carol Friedrich – San Miguel/Ouray County Social Services Director, Chair
- John Pandolfo—Superintendent, Telluride R1 School District
- Karen Winkelmann – Executive Director, Telluride Medical Center, Vice Chair
- Chuck Porth – Chief Executive Officer, Uncompahgre Medical Center
- Paul Reich – Community Relations Liaison, Center for Mental Health
- Pam Stewart-Maddox – Community Member, Secretary
- Sarah Landeryou – Community Member
- Rob Whiting – Community member

2021 Meeting Schedule

- September 23
 - October 28
 - November 18*
 - December 16*
- *3rd Thursday due to Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays

Attachments:

- July 22, 2021 Meeting Minutes
- Budget
- School Based Annual Reports
- Crisis Services Annual Report
- Executive Summaries

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