

**Willapa Community Network
Minutes
August 2, 2017**

Attendees: Doug Sheaffer, and Bob Powell, O3A & I&A, Mary Goelz, PCHD, Bonnie Ryan, WHMA Food Bank, Emily Popovich, Ray TRL, Carole Halsan, Tim Russ and Marlynn Jenkins of WHH, Hanna Antokol, and Ashley Jarvis, VVHC, Josh Jewell, DSHS/DCFS, Sheri Blakley, DSHS, Jaime Scoones and John O'Lague, CCAP, Becky Fischer, PCYA, Princess Klus, Basics NW, Jeff Cotta and Shannon Edgel, LLC, Tessa Wilson, TAC, Justin Wagaman, CHOICE/CPAA

I Call to Order: 11:12 pm

II Review of the prior meeting minutes: The July minutes were approved as presented

III Roundtable:

- a Bonnie Ryan, WHMA Food Bank: We are still waiting to get our 501(c)3 status. We will soon be known as North Pacific County Food Bank.
- b John O'Lague, CCAP: We have been busy getting ready for the Medicaid Demonstration previously Medicaid Waiver.
- c Tim Russ, WHH: Nothing to report
- d Doug Sheaffer, O3A & I&A: Medicaid funding for MAC and TASOA programs should be starting mid August. SHIBA Medicaid Fraud information was handed out.
- e Bob Powell, O3A: Just started as the Coordinator for the Family Care Support Program. Flyers were handed out.
- f Jaime Scoones, CCAP: Work in the South Bend office for Family and Community Services and Grays Harbor doing transfer grants.
- g Princess Klus, Basics NW: The Open House will be Wednesday August 16th from 5-7pm. Flyers were passed around.
- h Sheri Blakley, DSHS: We have a new resource WorkSource Program Specialist Lou Ann Fetters that started a couple of weeks ago and transferred here from Grays Harbor.
- i Emily Popovich, TRL: Handouts were passed around. There will be a person from the Library at the Pacific County Fair with lots of information to hand out and a big book sale at the Willapa Harbor Festival this weekend.
- j Mary Goelz, PCHD: We are looking for 2 RN's in our Long Beach office, a health educator at both offices, and an HR specialist in the Long Beach office. DVHR Grant for South Bend School that has been identified as one of the top 20 schools at risk of opioid addiction. We should hear in the next couple of week is we received the grant. We do have vaccines for kids available before they start school.
- k Tessa Wilson, TAC: We will have a table at the Willapa Harbor Festival and the Pacific County Fair. We just hired a new coordinator that will start August 14th.
- l Becky Fischer, PCYA: We have four or five placements left for the AmeriCorps positions. We are looking for housing for the AmeriCorps members at the max of \$400 per month for all the cost. Handouts were passed out.
- m Justin Wagaman, Choice/CPAA: We received an implementation grant for operations and have started hiring for positions. We are doing project planning and setting up workgroups. The next meeting will be at the Willapa Harbor Community Center in South Bend August 10 from noon to 3pm. Bring your own lunch. Carole Halsan asked how much is the grant and Justin stated 1M and it is in the bank and the max is 85M.
- n Hannah Antokol, VVHC: We are in the process of a really big remodel project. Judy Dant has returned to Valley View seeing pediatric and acute care walk-ins Tuesday

through Thursday. Dr. Hollan will be moving to the Chehalis Clinic and we are looking for a part-time licensed clinical social worker.

- o Ashley Jarvis, VVHC: Nothing to report
- p Josh Jewell, DSHS/DCFS: Childrens Administration has a plan to leave DSHS and start their own department sometime in 2018. When I have more information I may be able to do a demonstration on this.
- q Jeff Cotta, LLC: As of Monday our South Bend office will be open for services.
- r Shannon Edgel, LLC: Presentation later.
- s Carole Halsan, WHH: Dr. Dutkiewicz (Dr. D) started July 10th and doing very well. He is working Tuesdays through Fridays and will take walk-ins.

IV Old Business: none

V New Business: none

VI Presentation for the month: Jeff Cotta and Shannon Edgel from Lifeline Connections

VII Topic for next month presentation: Mitchell Riese, Assistant Attorney General in the Civil Rights Unit to speak about the Civil Rights Unit of the AG's office. Some areas include resources and enforcement priorities, complaints of violations of civil rights of Washington residents, discrimination in employment, housing, education, credit and insurance transactions and at public accommodations, voting rights and veteran's rights. Also the new Pregnancy Accommodation law passed by the Washington Legislature this year, SB 5835, which becomes effective July 23.

VIII Next Meeting: September 6, 2017

IX Adjournment: 12:30