

MINUTES
Saratoga County Community Services Board Meeting
September 29, 2022

Present: Edmond Amyot, M.D., James Colamaria, Maureen Lewsey, Lillian McCarthy and RJ Stutzmann. Also present: Megan W. Johnson and Cari Abatemarco from the Mental Health Center.

Absent: Erin Christopher-Sisk, Ph.D., Christina Holst, Amy Hughes, Paul Morcone, Captain Dan Morley, Michaelah Townley and Nicole Tremblay, M.D.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Amyot called the meeting to order at 4:22 p.m.

II. ROLL CALL

Roll call was taken. A quorum was **not** established.

III. MINUTES

A motion to accept the minutes from July 28, 2022 could not be made due to the lack of establishing a quorum.

IV. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD

None present.

V. DIRECTOR'S REPORT/OLD BUSINESS

A. Opiate Settlement/Proposals – A proposal to support Family Support Navigator and educational supplies (resource books) for families will be presented at Health and Human Services next week, discussing additional needs with SOS.

B. EMS Support Update – Members of the following agencies have received individual support: Wilton, Cambridge, Malta-Stillwater, Clifton Park Halfmoon. Debriefing conducted for Galway FD following fatal MVA involving a member. Debriefing of tow truck company whose driver was killed on Northway recently. Debriefing planned for Malta-Stillwater and Fuller Road FD following recent death of member by suicide. Post Critical Incident Seminar for law enforcement is scheduled for next week. Critical incident stress management training for EMS and law enforcement staff is scheduled for the week of Columbus Day.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. Budget Summary – There is a new budget process in place this year. Our financial Analyst, Ms. Banden, and our Administrative Officer, Cari Abatemarco, did an

excellent job providing early feedback. There were a few budget cuts and Dr. Prezioso plans to meet with the Finance Director to advocate.

- B. Local Services Plan Input – Each year, we try to identify needs and solutions for the Local Services Plan and we welcome any and all feed back from the CSB members. This annual process is moving to a four-year plan which is due at the end of October. The main focus is workforce, housing and transportation.
- C. CIT Training – The Sheriff’s Office, SSPD, Skidmore, Park Police and Mechanicville all participated and was a great success. There was a packed agenda identifying several resources and NAMI was an invaluable resource for individuals. Ms. Lewsey attended this training and was quite impressed.

VII NEXT MEETING

Schedule End of Year Meeting.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Dr. Amyot, seconded by Mr. Colamaria. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 5:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Cheryle Ellsworth