

APPROVED MINUTES

Health and Human Services Committee Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at 5:00 PM Health and Human Services Community Room 303 W. Chapel Street; Dodgeville, Wisconsin

Iowa County Wisconsin

1	Meeting was called to order by Chair Nankee at 5:00 PM
2	Roll Call was taken: Members present: Nankee; Paull; Thomas; Bomkamp. Excused: Mrozinski & Meyer Others present: Allen; Bierke; Leitzinger; Hiltbrand; Matye; Lockhart; Oellerich. Schriefer entered the meeting at 5:07 pm.
3	Approve the agenda for this April 5, 2017 meeting: Motion by Supervisor Bomkamp to approve the amended agenda and move #10, 11 & 12 to below current item #15 for the April 5, 2017 meeting agenda. Seconded by Supervisor Paull. Aye: 4; Nay: 0. Motion carried.
4	Approve the minutes of the March 8, 2017 meeting: Motion by Supervisor Thomas to approve the minutes of the March 8, 2017 meeting. Seconded by Supervisor Paull. Aye: 4; Nay: 0. Motion carried.
5	Comments or reports from the audience or committee members: Paull reported on the last Substance Abuse meeting with the hospital and what can help make the county and hospital work together. Paull recently attended a Richland County Town Hall meeting and after attending that meeting feels the schools need to be included in the Substance Abuse meetings. Nankee attended today's Legislative Conference for HHS. Slaney, Paull, Thomas, Benish, Anderson also attended. Nankee commented on the recent county fundraising Coin Drive for the Humane Society and Suicide Prevention Coalition.
6	Review Public Health Concern for Town of Pulaski Residence. Corporation Counsel Allen reported on resident in Town of Pulaski with hoarding issue. Abatement order has been filed. The resident has been making progress on cleaning up the property and compliance. County services offered and provided were discussed.
7	Bloomfield Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center Staffing Update: Leitzinger reported on staffing – three new staff members have started this week and continuing working on interviews. Still have difficulty on pm shift with nurses and C.N.A.s. Bierke commented the culture at Bloomfield has been changing for the positive.
8	Consider Compensation for Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses and Medication Technicians: Bierke addressed resolution regarding challenges with staffing. Leitzinger said the resolution covers adjustment in pay for RN; LPN & MT & sign on bonus for RN/LPNs and increasing differentials as well as weekend pay. Nankee asked for a grid with average wages in our area similar to what was presented with C.N.A.s. Leitzinger feels the wage is a little behind the area and will put something together. Nankee would like to send this to the executive committee. The Finance Director will be presenting the Bloomfield 1st qtr. numbers to the executive committee at an upcoming meeting. Motion by Bomkamp to forward the RN; LPN & MT wage compensation resolution to the Executive committee. Motion second by Thomas. Aye: 3; Abstain: Paull. Motion carried.

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