

GOOCHLAND POWHATAN COMMUNITY SERVICES
MINUTES
March 1, 2021

Goochland Powhatan Community Services Board of Directors held its March 2021 meeting on Monday, March 1, 2021 via zoom.

Present

Jackie Cahill
Angela Cimmino
Parthenia Dinora
Julie Franklin
Erin Harnage
Mariah Leonard
GaElla Matthews
Yvette McDermott Thomas
Crystal Neilsen-Hall
Renee Sottong

Absent

Staff Attending

Stacy Gill
Carinne Kight
Cheryl Smith

Welcome

Stacy Gill welcomed all Board and asked if there were any additions to the agenda. No additions were given, and the meeting was brought to order.

Minutes

February 2021 meeting minutes were reviewed for approval. There were no corrections or additions.

ACTION: Motion to approve February 2021 meeting minutes, was made by P. Dinora, seconded by A. Cimmino. Motion carried by all and February 2020 minutes were approved.

Clinical Director Recruitment

Stacy informed the Board that she, Lateshia Brown, and Carinne Kight interviewed 5 applicants. At this point there were three good candidates. The plan is to conduct second interviews with at least two of them, possibly all three. All candidates were different and had different strengths they would bring to GPCS. The hope is that we will be able to hire one of these candidates, optimistically by April 1st, more likely by May 1st.

Follow up on Village Building Space

Stacy informed the Board that she officially let the Powhatan County Administrator know that GPCS is opting into the 1-year renewal clause of the lease. The County Administrator expressed his disappointment and Stacy reiterated that the timetable was not ideal to move out of the space at this

time. Stacy reminded the Board that the lease allows for three 1-year renewals and let them know the plan at this point is to stay for this year but simultaneously look for space that could work for GPCS in the future.

Regional, State, and Federal Updates

Stacy told the board that the last day of General Assembly is today. Various bills that have been passed will go to the Governor after today to be signed. Many either affect us CSBs or affect agencies and people GPCS works with so the agency is watching those closely.

State hospitals continue to have issues, with the primary issue being continually high census. The only time census comes down is when they stop admission due to covid outbreaks. The census issue is actively being worked on but to date nothing significant has changed, so work continues.

Stacy let the Board know that former clinical director Allison Meyer is transitioning into her new position as compliance director. The position is going to have risk management as its focus due to the many new requirements coming out of DBHDS around risk management.

Robyn Hantelman has filled the position of recovery coordinator. She has both a client focus and a community collaboration focus.

Adjourn 5:25

Erin Harnage, Secretary
EH/ck

Date