



The Contra Costa County Mental Health Commission has a dual mission: 1) To influence the County's Mental Health System to ensure the delivery of quality services which are effective, efficient, culturally relevant and responsive to the needs and desires of the clients it serves with dignity and respect; and 2) to be the advocate with the Board of Supervisors, the Mental Health Division, and the community on behalf of all Contra Costa County residents who are in need of mental health services.

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION Thursday • August 25, 2011 • 4:30-6:30 p.m.

John Muir Behavioral Health * LECTURE ROOM * 2740 Grant * Concord

AGENDA

The Commission will provide reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities planning to participate in Commission meetings who contact the Executive Assistant at least 48 hrs. prior to the meeting at 925-957-5140.

Participants agree to follow the Mental Health Commission Meeting Decorum Policy.

Public Comment on items listed on the Agenda will be taken when the item is discussed. Times are approximate; items may be taken sooner than noted or out of the order listed. To obtain a copy of the full packet, contact the MHC staff, Karen Shuler at 925-957-5140.

1. 4:30 CALL TO ORDER / INTRODUCTIONS

2. 4:35 PUBLIC COMMENT

The public may comment on any item of public interest within the jurisdiction of the Mental Health Commission. In the interest of time and equal opportunity, speakers are requested to observe a 3-minute maximum time limit (subject to change at the discretion of the Chair). In accordance with the Brown Act, if a member of the public addresses an item not on the posted agenda, no response, discussion, or action on the item may occur. Time will be provided for Public Comment on items on the posted Agenda as they occur during the meeting. Public Comment Cards are available on the table at the back of the room. Please turn them in to the Executive Assistant.

3. 4:45 ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. Peter Bagarozzo's resignation from the Commission.
- B. Executive Assistant status: Transfer from Linda Cipolla to Karen Shuler.
- C. Redistricting map will be effective on September 9th. Discussion regarding protocol for advisory body member's whose district has changed is planned for the September meeting of the Internal Operations Committee.

4. 4:50 CONSIDER APPROVAL OF MINUTES

June 29, 2011 Special Monthly Meeting July 28, 2011 Monthly Meeting

5. 4:55 ACTING MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTOR'S REPORT - Dr. Suzanne Tavano



The Contra Costa County Mental Health Commission is appointed by the Board of Supervisors to advise them on all matters related to the county's mental health system, in accordance with mandates set forth in the California State Welfare & Institutions Code, Sections 5604 (a)(1)-5605.5. Any comments ore recommendations made by the Mental Health Commission or its individual members do not represent the official position of the county or any of its officers.

- 6. 5:10 MHSA funding process and Consumer/Family involvement CONSIDER next steps and APPROVE prioritizing within standing committees or task force
- 7. 5:40 **STAKEHOLDER REPORTS** CPAW Teresa Pasquini and Annis Pereyra
- 8 5:55 APPROVE Stakeholder report expectations and parameters for MHC meetings regarding invitations, frequency, timing, length and possible written reports as a requirement.
- 9. 6:10 **STANDING COMMITTEE UPDATES**

(Criminal Justice and Capital Facilities committees did not meet in August)

- A. Nominating Committee
 HEAR update from the Nominating Committee Commissioners, Yoshioka,
 O'Keeffe & Overby
- B. Quality of Care

 HEAR update from the Quality of Care Committee Commissioners Kennedy,

 McKindley-Alvarez, O'Keeffe & Overby

 HEAR update from the Consumer Workforce Supportive Service Task Force

10. 6:30 ADJOURN MEETING

The next scheduled meeting will be Thursday, September 22, 2011 from 4:30-6:30 pm at the John Muir Behavioral Health Center, 2740 Grant Ave., Classroom A, Concord.

Upcoming scheduled MHC meetings are posted at: http://www.cchealth.org/groups/mental_health_com/meeting_schedule.php

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