



Leadership Development Committee

September 12, 2019
Embassy Suites - Dublin
5100 Upper Metro Place
Dublin, Ohio 43017
9:30am-10:55am

Minutes

Members Present

X Michael Denlinger
X Morgan Gattermeyer
X Rochelle Hall-Rollins
X Karen Kerr
 Blaine O'Leary
X James Plasencia
X Jill Radler
X Rhonda Rich
X Michael Richards
X Jo Spargo
X Marci Straughter
X Dara Walburn
X Brandon White
X Sue Willis
 Victor Wilson

Staff present

Leslie Paull
Carolyn Knight
Paul Jarvis

Special advisor

Linda Kunick

Other council members present

Mindy Vance
Rachel Rice
Brenda Brandon

Guests present

Lisa Marn
Sherrie Carlson
Jeremy Morris
Kraig Walker
Tim Tobin
Jenette Welsh
Mark Seifarth
Ellen Hudson
Diana Cox
Debbie Kunick
Billie McAleer
Christine Brown
Beth Graham

I. Call to order and introductions

- A. Sue Willis, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:30 A.M. with introductions.

II. Approval of the meeting minutes

- A. Sue Willis asked for a motion to accept the July 19, 2019 Leadership Development Committee minutes.
- Rhonda Rich moved to accept the minutes.
 - James Plasencia seconded it.
 - July 19, 2019 minutes were approved. Rochelle Hall-Rollins and Jill Radler abstained.

III. Clear Language Subcommittee

- A. Symbols voted on during last meeting are being used on agendas to signify committees to make agendas more accessible to all council members.
- B. Christine Brown passed around a booklet on MUI asking committee members for comments regarding clarity.

IV. Task Force for Advocacy

- A. Members of the Taskforce for Advocacy, Jeremy Morris and Tim Tobin provided updates on the taskforce and grant activities.
- Michael Richards, chair of the taskforce, informed the committee that the Taskforce believes the DD system needs more IL philosophy to improve services. The final report will provide recommendations and steps to make this happen.
 - Lisa Marn reviewed a PowerPoint explaining the IL philosophy
 - Dara Walburn provided information on the meeting with DODD Director, Jeff Davis.
 - A survey of county boards of DD was completed to determine how many had people with developmental disabilities on their board. There are currently six individuals with developmental disabilities on their board. The survey asked several questions to uncover barriers.
 - The Taskforce for Advocacy will provide a final report to council at the end of the grant.
- B. Sue Willis asked for a motion to approve the State Plan Amendment for the Taskforce for Advocacy to extend grant activities to 12/31/2019.
- Rhonda Rich moved to accept the State Plan Amendment for Taskforce for Advocacy.
 - Rochelle Hall-Rollins seconded it.
 - All agreed. Motion passed. Michael Richards, Michael Denlinger and Dara Walburn abstained.

V. Special Advisor Report

- A. Linda Kunick gave her thoughts and opinions of the Taskforce for Advocacy grant.

VI. Old Business/ New Business

- A. Marci Straughter announced that she is on the ISP Waiver Network to provide input.
- B. Morgan Gattermyer stated she works at an art studio and showed a night light.

VII. Adjournment

- A. Sue Willis asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. James Plasencia moved to adjourn. Dara Walburn seconded the motion. All Agreed. The meeting adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

Next meeting: June 4, 2020

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