



Family Care Council Area 1

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Thursday, July 16, 2020

Minutes

Virtual Meeting

Members Present:

Dina Justice
Patty Houghland

Mary Thomas
Danny Parker

Members Absent:

Jim Howard
Debbie Moore

Katie Chapman
John Collins

Nancy Cherry

Guests:

Annette Zeeb
Debbie Goldberg
Missy/Capstone

Octavius Jackson
Linda Donar
Shynashia/Capstone

Rand Fernandez
Lacey Golden

The meeting was convened at 12:33 p.m. by Chair Patty Houghland. Patty welcomed everyone.

Patty reviewed the minutes from the June meeting. Dina Justice motioned to approve minutes. Danny Parker seconded.

Dina gave an update and on Area 1 banner, tablecloth and brochures. They been ordered and we are waiting to receive shipment from our liaison.

Dina gave an update on the Transition Training Seminar for Waiver Support Coordinators and Job Coaches. Area 2 is on board to participate and share costs. Dina made a motion to move forward with Area 2 and spend \$3,000 to match their \$3,000 for the spring training seminar. Patty Houghland seconded. Discussion on a date commenced and Thursday, April 8 was chosen.

Linda Donar, ROM, gave a brief update on Agency for Persons with Disabilities, their staff and COVID-19. APD state offices are still closed and visitation orders have not been lifted. There have been more positive cases in the region. There are systems in place that are being implemented for positive cases. A discussion was had regarding group homes and providers. ADTs are receiving guidance from the Department of Health.

Dina shared information on the ADA Celebration in July. Area 1 will be walking prior to the virtual event on Friday, July 24 at 8 a.m. in downtown Pensacola. All are welcome to join. She will continue to share with on social and promote.



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Discussion was had on future meeting space, day and time. It was decided to keep same day and time as well as using the downtown library when they open. Dina will reach out to schedule meetings in the fall should the library open and be available.

Next meeting will also be virtual; link will be sent via email - Thursday, August 20 at 12:30 p.m.

Chair adjourned the meeting at 1:45 p.m.

Dina Justice, Vice Chair
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