CARVER COUNTY LAC Meeting

DATE: October 11, 2016 **LEADER:** Lisa Gjerde

TIME: 4:00-6:00 p.m. RECORDER: Becky Maas

COUNCIL MEMBERS			LIAISON MEMBERS			GUESTS		
Name	Р	Α	Name	Р	Α	Name		
Caroline Beise	٧		Michelle Faith	٧		Mark Anderson		
Sam Deweese	٧		Melissa Hanson	٧		Sgt. Tony Kjorstad		
Lisa Gjerde	٧		Angie Laschinger	٧		Patrol Sgt. Kyle Gibbons		
Lisa Inman		٧	Gary Norman	٧				
Sue Kunitz	٧		AnnMarie Sowieja	٧				
Becky Maas	٧			٧				
Noah McCourt	٧							
Becky Sorenson		٧						
Eddie Tipton	٧							
Virginia Wright	٧							

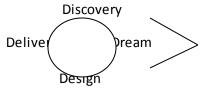
Agenda	Activity/Discussion	Decision/Action
Agenda Item 1:	Call to Order: Lisa called the meeting to order; Noah seconded.	
	Approve October Agenda: The motion was made by Noah to approve the October agenda, Caroline seconded.	Approved by consensus
Agenda Items 2	Introduction of Guest: Mark Anderson, Executive Director of the Barbara Schneider Foundation, Sgt. Tony Kjorstad and Patrol Sgt. Kyle Gibbons were guests at our October meeting.	Welcome

Agenda Items 3: Presentation -

Barbara Schneider Foundation:

Barbara died as a result of a mental health crisis/confrontation. Mr. Anderson is involved in:

- C.I.T. (Crisis Intervention Team) training, model started by Memphis Police Department
- Partnership between first responder, mental health professionals, and community advocacy
- More than a training (community-wide program)
- De-escalation is important
- Has been doing C.I.T. training with correction facilities (even implemented on Ryker's Island)
- Training hospitals and educators, also Native American population
- Mental health issues are complicated
- Challenge of first responder to overcome lack of trust of authority
- De-escalation starts with crisis - want to get to behavior change
- Steps to accomplish this:
 - Listening / Empathy / Rapport (trust) / influence = Behavior change
 - These model steps take time
- Community people usually don't have experience. De-escalation model on a community level:



Came out of dealing with Native American Community Memphis Model: 40 hour C.I.T. training

Agenda Item 4: Group Discussion on C.I.T. training for local law enforcement -

Q and A with Guests:

Actors are used in C.I.T. training, which is better than a video. C.I.T. = gold standard

Sam: How do you determine how much C.I.T. training is enough? (Prioritize C.I.T. training as a high priority. What is the minimum?)

 $Tony: \ \ They are \ looking into grants for C.I.T. \ training, de-escalation, slowing down so important.$

Tony: I would have one or two of us (LAC members) view this training so we know what we are recommending to the Commissioners.

Tony: Law enforcement is usually called because crisis workers aren't available.

Sam: (Tony) is your training enough?

Tony: We would like all of our officers to have at least some training.

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Discussion

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Group Discussion- cont.	Angie: Does dispatch get training? AnnMarie: We are working toward that; we did a little training already. Paramedics can't go in	
cont.	until law enforcement is there.	
Agenda Item 5:	Approve September Minutes:	
	Noah made a motion to approve September minutes; Sue seconded.	Approved
Agenda Item 6:	Roundtable Discussion:	
	NAMI Scholarship -	
	 Lisa discussed the scholarships for NAMI conference on 11/5/16, 8:30 AM-4:45 PM. Lisa might attend. 	Discussion
	 Motion made to provide scholarship. Noah made motion; Sue seconded. 	
	Eddie will drive if he goes.	
	"Natural Therapies" Workshop –	
	 "Natural Therapies for Mental Health" is a one-day workshop through PESI offered the first week of December; cost of conference is \$199.00. 	
	New ARMHS worker –	
	 Michelle introduced Angie, an ARMHS worker who will come to meetings while Michelle is on leave. 	
	Discussion of Presentation –	
	 There was a short discussion of our presentation. 	
	 Angie gave a favorable report on how C.I.T. trained officers really helped in her work experience in Minneapolis. She said Ramsey County was different – "bad", no C.I.T. training. 	
Agenda Item 7:	Adjourn	Adjourn
	Lisa moved to adjourn the October meeting; Noah seconded. Motion passed.	