

**CARVER COUNTY LAC Meeting**

**DATE: May 9, 2023**

**LEADER: Kelly Brenny**

**TIME: 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

**RECORDER: Stephanie Combey**

COUNCIL MEMBERS			LIAISON MEMBERS			GUESTS
Name	P	A	Name	P	A	Name
Derek Gunderson		x	Stephanie Combey	x		
Sara Bot		x	Commissioner Tim Lynch		x	
Ellie Krug	x		Melissa Hanson	x		
Kelli Brenny	x		Beth Fagin	x		
Judy Kieffer	x		Richard Scott			
Kayla Pascoe	x		Diane Pagel	x		
Sandy Menzel	x		Melanie Warm	x		
Lindsay Konchar		x				
Mike Duzan	x					
Michelle Iversen	x					
Charles Lawler	x					
Stacy Zellmann		x				
Vacant						
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Agenda	Activity/Discussion	Decision/Action
<b>Agenda Item 1:</b>	<p><b>Call to Order: Kelli Brenny: 4:04 p.m.</b></p> <p><b>Approve May Agenda:</b> Motion was made to approve the May agenda; seconded. Approved by consensus</p>	<p>Approved by consensus</p>

<b>Agenda Item 2:</b>	<b>Approval of April Minutes:</b> Motion was made to approve the April minutes; seconded. One correction was requested.	Approved by consensus
<b>Agenda Item 3:</b>	<b>New Business</b> 1) Updates from any Carver County staff or representatives a) Beth Fagin and Lindsay Jayawardena met with Kelli, and the Equity Director of ECCS to discuss PD around ACES/Resilience and restorative schools to address trauma, staff support and school climate. Also discussed making Stigma 180 a community resource to expand beyond children and youth. b) On May 4th Sandy, Kelli and Melissa met with Pat Stieg to collaborate on focus groups for surveying unmet mental health needs. It is noted that the thought was to start in August with CC Fair booth and targeting agencies such as ARMHS providers, etc. c) Sandy inquired as to whether Teacher Appreciation week is being recognized. It was noted that all schools do a variety of activities to recognize staff. d) RE: Presenting to CC Board of Commissioners. Kelli noted that in her discussion with Commissioner Lynch, he indicated that it would be ok to provide the presentation on unmet mental health needs at the February 2024 board meeting. e) Kelli inquired as to whether members would be available to possibly attend the August 15 <sup>th</sup> board meeting to be introduced as LAC members to the board. Several members indicated an openness. Melissa H will reach out to Heather Goodwin, HHS Division Director about the possibility of being on the agenda for that purpose on 8/15.	Information

<p><b>Agenda Item 3: continued</b></p>	<p>2) Updates from subcommittees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) Legislative action and local impact updates-Kayla noted that she did not have an update at this time.</li><li>b) Upcoming events: There are several trainings coming up as part of May Mental Health month. The trainings are sponsored by the Crisis program. LAC members are encouraged to attend and share the information with their contacts. Trainings are open to the public.</li><li>c) NAMI Affiliation: Discussion about establishing a NAMI affiliation in Carver County. Michelle and Kelli explored options and inquired if CCBH could sponsor NAMI affiliation. Sandy noted that there continue to be NAMI sponsored groups in CC.</li><li>d) <b>Motion:</b> Charlie L moved that LAC pursue a NAMI Affiliate option. Sandy seconded. Motion carried. Kelli encouraged members to look at individual member options.</li><li>e) Sneak peek at the “Toolbox” draft for our Carver County LAC Handbook. Charlie L shared a draft of the document. Members noted that it was very helpful and would be especially helpful to new members. Charlie indicated that he would continue working on the document.</li><li>f) Minnesota 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline Grant-discussed a new grant that is time limited. Stephanie C. noted that there have been several grant options available to the Crisis program recently that have included time limited funds. Where possible, these grants have been sought to address short term needs and noted that a recent grant allowed us to increase a number of crisis positions. Recent short-term grants have also allowed for investment in technology and training for the Crisis Program.</li></ul>	<p>Information</p>
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<p><b>Agenda Item 4:</b></p>	<p>1) Old Business updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Review backward map:</li> <li>b) 4/11/23 Kelli met with Heather Goodwin, Commissioner Lynch and Richard Scott.</li> <li>c) 4/11/23 Kelli observed the Scott County LAC. The Scott County Government center provides coffee, water, treats, nametags, agendas, and the secretary takes notes/minutes of the team. Also, they had a guest speaker from the county share about the changes to Legislation regarding marijuana and possible local implications. Scott County has Twitter and Facebook accounts there they will be tweeting/posting throughout the month of May regarding Mental Health Awareness Month.</li> <li>d) On 5/18, Kelli will observe Henn. Co. LAC</li> <li>e) 6/18-Kelli will be out of town and unable to chair the LAC meeting.</li> <li>f) Open forum</li> <li>g) Richard noted that RMC has announced a plan to develop mental health services.</li> <li>h) Brief updates regarding upcoming community events.</li> <li>i) Pride picnic hosted by Chaska Human Rights Commission on 6/17/23</li> </ul>	<p>Information</p>
<p><b>Adjournment</b></p>	<p><b>Meeting adjourned: Motion to adjourn by Ellie Krug seconded by Mike Duzan.</b></p>	<p>Adjourn Meeting</p>
<p><b>Next Meeting</b></p>	<p><b>June 13, 2023</b></p>	