

Meeting Minutes

LOCAL HUMAN SERVICES & JUSTICE COORDINATING COMMITTEE HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS

February 3rd, 2021 at 3:00 PM

Via zoom

Member Attendance P=Present / R=Regrets

Andrew Hodson, Co-Chair	P	Laura Mount, Admin Assistant	P
Timothy Tofflemire, Co-Chair	P	Madisyn Coy	R
Lisa Loader	P	Tina Jackson	P
Amanda Wells	R	Lori Sargent	P
Liane Spong-Hooyenga	R	Jennifer Lopinski	P
Susan McClean	P	Zoe Fennel	P
Darlene Smith-Harrison	P	Amanda Gilbert	R
Marion Willemsen	R	Jared Harrington	R
Vicki Hoare	P	Tricia McCarthy	R
Emma Ritter	P	Janie Hodgson	P
Lora Keitel	R	Rachel Petty	R
		Steve Martin	R
Mary Sisson Point In Time - Youth Hub	P	Jackie Smith- Client Service Worker Kawartha Lakes Housing	P

ZOOM

Join Zoom Meeting (through Wi-Fi):

KL Board Room CMHA HKPR is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Agenda Item	Who	Time
a) Welcome and Introductions Jennifer Lopinski, Youth Trustee Worker, A Place Called Home HSJCC Member representing APCH. Clients 16yrs-18yrs to apply to OW, must have a Trustee so they can meet the requirements, provide help to complete documents, manage	All	5 min

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<p>financials, ensure school attendance, have the correct ID and provide food resources.</p>		
<p>b) Approval of Minutes from January 20th , 2021 Motioned by, Tim second by Tina, All Approved</p>	<p>All</p>	<p>≤ 5 min</p>
<p>c) Approval of February 3rd Agenda</p>	<p>All</p>	<p>≤ 50 min</p>
<p>d) Round Table Updates Provincial/Regional/Local All Agencies are doing a tremendous job during covid-19 times. SIRCH has freezer meals available in Haliburton at the Silver Maple Hotel for those staying there, as well as at Parkside. No emergency accommodations in Tory Hill- usually go to Bancroft. ROTORAC-Youth involved in Rotary Club Mary Sisson lives in Cardiff and has offered delivery, as needed in that area. In Haliburton there is the pressure of an increased population from other regions</p> <p>Andrew is moving to a newly created role, a CMHA/OPP Partnership. He'll be strictly working on cases with Police involvement, following up with Mental Health and Financial Assistance. His current role with Four County Crisis will be filled eventually.</p> <p>a. Point In Time – Youth Hub update: Connectivity Campaign to raise funding for phones with data for one year for students age 18yrs and under. United Way and local donors have donated \$90,000.</p> <p>The Youth Hub has a shower-let Mary know and she can make an appointment for your client to use the shower. (one person at a time). A full Time Nurse Practitioner named Lindsay reports in March. She is very experienced and is originally from Haliburton.</p> <p>Ads in the paper for hiring Mental Health and Addictions Clinician (Permanent Full Time), Peer Support Worker (Permanent Full Time), Care Coordinator (Permanent Full Time)</p> <p>The Youth Hub will have new official hours which will include a couple of evenings and Saturdays.</p> <p>b. Community Living/Employment- People in need of employment supports are divided into three streams. Stream A, B, C, with A really needing no support and C has higher needs against barriers. Job Quest/Community Living can do an intake for people in stream c – people who require more support-</p>	<p>All</p>	<p>10min</p>

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diagnosed disability or self diagnosed disability. Through Flemming, OW refers to vccs in Lindsay and Flemming crew in Haliburton. If on OW, Life Stabilization could be worked into an employment role. If on ODSP or self-identify can be helped by job quest.

- c. **Heatbank/Transportation-**Tina has been promoted and is now the Executive Director. She will be responsible for guiding the whole organization forward to accomplish our mission of addressing the impacts of food- & energy-insecurity within Highlands East & the County of Haliburton, respectively. Central Food Network includes the Cardiff Food Bank, Highlands East Food Hub (formerly the Wilberforce Food Bank), the Highlands East Community Cooks & Heat Bank Haliburton County. Happily, Tina will retain some direct client responsibilities with Heat Bank for the foreseeable future.
- d. **Community Legal Clinic**
- e. **Court-**
- f. **Nogojwanong Indigenous Services- Indigenous Friendship Centre**
- g. **Probation**
- h. **John Howard-**
- i. **Homelessness-APCH-** Workers are working remotely since the building will be demolished for the new building. They have received additional funding, so now can offer assistance through Shelter Services. Many, many fund raising campaigns coming. Right now there is an ice sculpturing Contest.
- j. **Adult Protective Services-** in the past has referred some clients to the Volunteer Dental Outreach and they have been very helpful
- k. **OPP**
- l. **PARN-**
- m. **Education-**
- n. **YWCA-**
- o. **Mental Health-** Generally people are angry about the second lockdown and funding is not readily available. People are self-referring to Anger Management classes, which is a positive sign. Hospitals are saying the number of children with head injuries is 4 times greater than before. This includes “shaken babies.” There’s also a concern about the burnout of service workers.
- p. **Brain Injury(clients 18yrs-65yrs)**

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<p>e) Ideas how to allocate annual funds from CMHA Trauma, therapy not covered, Neurofeedback</p> <p>Sub Committee: Andrew, Darlene, Lisa, Tim –to make decisions between meetings, communication to follow via email Tim was able to get \$1000 in gift cards for groceries and gas to tide us over. Half are at HHMHS and Tim has the other half. \$400 worth of Foodland cards, \$400 for the Independent and \$25x4 Mobil gas cards. The food cards are \$50 amounts. If any member needs to get them for a client, please email Tim at ttofflemire@clth.ca or me at loaderl@lao.on.ca. \$400 worth of Foodland cards, \$400 for the Independent and \$25x4 Mobil gas cards; the food cards are \$50 amounts.</p> <p>Lisa will pick up gas cards from Pioneer in Minden and submit an invoice to CMHA</p> <p>Tina has suggested packages/ boxes/bags containing dry goods, hygiene products, toothpaste, toothbrushes etc. can be distributed by the Food Banks along with food to clients.</p> <p>Michelle and Tim are holding distribution records-control list. Members can ask Michelle for cards for clients. Tim and Lisa will oversee the control.</p> <p>VOTE: Tim motioned to vote on this system of control, All In Favour, Motion Passed.</p>	All	20 min
<p>f) Requests for support from Nogojwanong Indigenous Services Three scenarios, assistance to be discussed and managed by the sub committee</p>		
<p>g) Budget: Funding provided by CMHA yet to be confirmed. Historically it's been \$7,000 annually. We need to ensure we have funds to pay Administration Assistant position.</p>		
<p>h) Action Items: Tim, Lisa, Darlene and Laura to meet Feb 24th regarding the Workplan 2021-2022</p>		
<p>NEXT MEETING: March 17th, 2021 @ 3:00pm via zoom</p>		