

Meeting Minutes

LOCAL HUMAN SERVICES & JUSTICE COORDINATING COMMITTEE HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS

November 24 2021 at 3:00 PM

Via zoom

Member Attendance P=Present / R=Regrets

Andrew Hodson, Chair – Mobile Crisis Intervention Team ahodson@cmhahkpr.ca		Natasha James – John Howard Society njames@jhscklh.on.ca	
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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 and Committee updates - Julia Bakker was introduced as the Haliburton MCIT short term replacement. In light of Andrew being off for a few months, Mary Sisson has agreed to co-chair until he returns.	All	5 min
b) Approval of Agenda November 25 2021 Motioned by Todd Second by Vicki . , All Approved	All	≤ 5 min
c) Approval of Minutes October 20 2021 Motioned by Mary Second by Todd . , All Approved	All	≤ 5min
d) Presentation on Lift Program (Ryan from Youth Hub)	Deferred till February meeting Agreed no presentations in January	10 min
e) Overview from HSJCC November conference - Todd spoke about two very interesting breakout rooms one was about withdrawing in cells and a program that they have started in another rural northern community and how best to support those who have been incarcerated during the first few days, and the other also initiated by another rural northern community where 911 dispatchers are also dispatching crisis workers and other community supports in real time prior to the OPP even arriving to where they have been dispatched to.		
f) Budget – Card update - all pre purchased cards are running very low in all locations. More will be purchased in the new year. There is aprox \$722 in the Hyland Taxi fund account. If anyone needs to access the funds for emergency transportation if the fare is under \$100 it does not need authorization – however whoever accessed it for a client must let Lisa L know in order for her to reconcile the account. If the fare would be greater than \$100 the requestor would need to request authorization from either Tim, Lisa or Todd. Tim will request an up to date account of what is currently still available in the	All	

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<p>CMHA account</p>		
<p>g) Round Table Updates /Regional/Local</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Regional Update –Tim – Will be attending the next regional meeting later this month and reporting back to the group at the January meeting. b. Mobile Crisis Intervention Team –Julia – She officially starts her new role on Monday November 29 2021 - c. Point In Time – Shelby – d. Youth Hub- Mary S – Mary followed up from last month regarding can the NP write supporting letters for ODSP. Yes, but only after a working relationship has been established. Briefly spoke about the LIFT program – Ryan’s presentation has been differed till February, if anyone would like more information sooner please reach out to Mary or Ryan e. Community Living/Employment-Tim – Transportation continues to be a challenge when working with clients and trying to get them to and from employment. He is trying to fill in some gaps with other employment services. f. Heatbank/FoodNetwork- Tina J –The Heatbank annual fundraiser raised \$30K!!! Brief update on Holiday hampers. Tina also spoke about having access to emergency funds for those in need for up to \$500 for heating needs. Also she reminded the group that the food network doesn’t have the same policy of only accessing them once a month the way the foodbanks do. She is also expecting two rather large deliveries of fresh food from two large box stores on Xmas eve & New Year’s eve, if anyone needs they would have to pick up in Wilberforce. If anyone has any questions, please reach out g. Community Legal Clinic –Lisa L –Continues to see an increase of various legal problems within the county. Please continue to send referrals her way, regardless of how complex. h. Court-Todd – Some of the judges have started debriefing after court sessions to try to mitigate some of the stressors on all staff alike in light of the toll the pandemic has placed on the overall wellbeing of all court staff / community partners. i. CMHA- Rebecca – j. John Howard- Susan –. 	<p>All</p>	<p>20min Total</p>

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<p>k. A Place Called Home – Jennifer – New Shelter is aprox 60% completed, aiming for a March occupancy. The Winter emergency housing program will be back in effect as soon as the temperatures reach -10. She did confirm with the committee that APCH will in fact cover hotels in Haliburton County, and that people do not need to go to CKL for shelter.</p> <p>l. Canopy (Adult Protective Services)-Vicki-</p> <p>m. OPP- Amanda G-</p> <p>n. PARN- Megn & Becky Spoke about a project that their student Josh is looking to undertake, the development/implementation of a Haliburton County specific resource tool about what resources are available where and how to access as well as supporting a linkage to various PARN programming and collaboration with other community partners. They will forward additional information to the committee looking for collaborators</p> <p>o. YWCA- Nycole</p> <p>p. Mental Health – Michelle –</p> <p>q. Brain Injury – Zoe</p> <p>r. Probation – Jarred</p> <p>s. Youth Probation – Janie –</p> <p>t. Nogojiwanong Friendship Centre- Steve</p> <p>u. Adult Education- Lori –</p>		
<p>h) Action Items/ Observances: Everyone at the meeting agrees that there is an increase in overdoses and homelessness, as well as an overwhelming increased need for all services; It was agreed upon as everyone is feeling the increase in workloads and provider burnout in the new year we will engage a facilitator to join us for a workshop – please forward Tina K your ideas for workshop topics / facilitators</p> <p>Also please enter all your resources and office closures on the live google document circulated prior to the meeting, if anyone has misplaced the link please email Tina K</p> <p>The group decided that it is time that we look into resuming in-person meetings hopefully by March of 2022</p> <p>Beginning in January 2022 all HSJCC meetings will begin with a Land Acknowledgment</p>		

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NEXT MEETING: January 19th 2022 @ 3:00pm via zoom		