## **FULL BOARD MINUTES**

July 28, 2023

8:00 a.m.

376 E. Apple Ave. Muskegon, MI 49442

# **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the Full Board was called to order by Chair Thomas at 8:01 a.m.

# **ROLL CALL**

Members Present: Jeff Fortenbacher, Tamara Madison, Thomas Hardy, Janice Hilleary, Kim Cyr, Marcia

Hovey-Wright, Janet Thomas, Remington Sprague, MD, Charles Nash,

Members Absent: Kassandra Kitchen, Stephanie Umlor, Cheryl Natte

Others Present: Rich Francisco, Holly Brink, Shannon Morgan, Amber Berndt, Tasha Percy, Malina

Barrett, Gordon Peterman Kelly Betts, Gary Ridley, Mickey Wallace, Matt Plaska, Jason Bates, Lauren Thomas, Christy LaDronka, Jackie Farrar, Urbaine Ndoye

Guests Present: Kristen Wade, Matt Farrar, John Weerstra

# **MINUTES**

HWB 131-B - It was moved by Commissioner Nash, seconded by Dr, Sprague, to approve the minutes of the June 23, 2023 Full Board meeting as written.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### Finance Committee

HWB 126-F - It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded by Dr. Sprague, to approve the minutes of the June 16, 2023, meeting as written.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

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MOTION CARRIED

# **ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION**

HWB 132-B - It was moved by Mr. Hardy, seconded by Dr. Sprague, to authorize recommendation of Linda Dunmore for the Executive Board Member for the LRE (Lakeshore Regional Entity), and authorizes the HealthWest Board Chairperson, Janet Thomas, to recommend her on behalf of the HealthWest Board of Directors.

MOTION MOVED.

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**MOTION MOVED.** 

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#### COMMUNICATION

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Mr. John Weerstra introduced himself as a new member of our community and provided his background for board representation in Allegan County.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

June 1. Thomas

There being no further business to come before the board, the meeting adjourned at 8:29 a.m.

Respectfully,

Janet Thomas Board Chair

/hb



TO: HealthWest Board Members

FROM: Janet Thomas, Board Chair, via Rich Francisco, Executive Director

**SUBJECT:** Full Board Meeting

July 28, 2023

376 E. Apple Ave., Muskegon, MI 49442

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# **AGENDA**

1) Call to Order Action 2) Approval of Agenda Action 3) Approval of Minutes A) Approval of the Full Board Minutes of June 23, 2023 Action (Attachment #1 - pg. 1-3) Public Comment (on an agenda item) 4) 5) Committee Reports A) Finance Committee Action (Attachment #2 - pg. 4-7) 6) Items for Consideration A) Approval to Recommend Representative for LRE Executive Board Member Action (Attachment #3 – pg. 8) B) Approval to Pay Professional Liability Insurance Action (Attachment #4 - pg. 9-10) 7) **Old Business** 8) **New Business** 9) Communication A) Director's Report Information (Attachment #5 – pg. 11-12) **Public Comment** 10) 11) Adjournment Action

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Justine Belvitch, Antarae Robinson

Guests Present: Kristen Wade

# **MINUTES**

HWB 124-B - It was moved by Mr. Hardy, seconded by Ms. Umlor, to approve the minutes of the May 19, 2023 Full Board meeting as written.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

# **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### **Program Personnel Committee**

HWB 113-P - It was moved by Ms. Umlor, seconded by Ms. Hilleary, to approve the minutes of the May 5, 2023 meeting as written.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

HWB 114-P - It was moved by Ms. Umlor, seconded by Ms. Hilleary, to authorize the policy and procedural changes for New Provider Orientation, effective June 1, 2023.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

HWB 115-P - It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded by Ms. Umlor, to authorize the policy and procedural changes for Provider Capacity and Services, effective June 1, 2023.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

# Recipient Rights Committee

HWB 116-R - It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded by Ms. Hilleary, to approve the minutes of the April 14, 2023 meeting as written.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

HWB 117-R - It was moved by Ms. Hilleary, seconded by Ms. Natte, to approve the Recipient Rights Reports for April 2023 / May 2023.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

#### Finance Committee

HWB 118-F - It was moved by Commissioner Hovey-Wright, seconded by Ms. Thomas, to approve the minutes of the May 12, 2023, meeting as written.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

HWB 119-F - It was moved by Mr. Hardy, seconded by Commissioner Nash, to approve expenditures for the month ending May 31, 2023, in the total amount of \$7,957,646.39.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

HWB 120-F - It was moved by Dr. Sprague, seconded Commissioner Nash, to authorize HealthWest to increase the projected expenditures with CRC Recovery Inc. dba Western Michigan Treatment Center, for March 1, 2023, through September 30, 2023, at a cost not to exceed \$50,675.00 for FY2023.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

HWB 121-F - It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded Commissioner Hovey-Wright, to authorize HealthWest to contract with Doctor Katherine Jawor, D.O., at a cost not to exceed \$57,600.00 for FY23, effective June 12, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

## **MOTION CARRIED**

HWB 122-F - It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded Commissioner Hovey-Wright, to authorize HealthWest to contract with Heart and Hand In Home Care and Cameo House to provide CLS and specialized residential services to eligible HealthWest consumers, at a cost not to exceed \$55,000.00 for FY2023.

# **MOTION CARRIED**

HWB 123-F - It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded Mr. Hardy, to authorize HealthWest to approve changes to the projected expenditures for Hernandez Homes, Hope Network, Proto Call, and Dave McElfish, at a cost not to exceed \$877,500.00, effective October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

# **MOTION CARRIED**

#### ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

HWB 125-B - It was moved by Ms. Hilleary, seconded by Mr. Hardy, to authorize the revised 2023 Meeting Schedule of the HealthWest Board of Directors for the 2023 calendar year.

# **OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

There was no new business.

#### **COMMUNICATION**

Ms. Tamara Madison proved an update on the Consumer Advisory Council.

## **DIRECRTOR'S COMMENTS**

Executive Director, Rich Francisco, provided his Director's Report. HealthWest has received payment from the LRE for past liabilities for FY18, and FY19. We have received 80% of what is owed to us, and we are still working on our addendum for the remaining 20%. Typically, balances are not paid until state audits have been completed. It was also shared that the LRE had an executive level meeting and CMHs will be expecting a proposal by the state / TBD Solutions to create barriers between the intake and assessment process. This will be brought to the LRE Board. Mr. Francisco provided an update on meeting with the various teams, attending County meetings, and was present for the HealthWest FY22 Annual Report at the County Commissioner's Work Session. Mr. Francisco has also been touring the various locations, learning his way around, and shared his plans to look at financial operations, contracting, and interviewing a QA Director. Lastly, Mr. Francisco shared that HealthWest has been awarded the SAMSA Grant for an additional 4-years. Looking ahead, Mr. Francisco will be reaching out to other agencies to connect and build his relationships and resources.

#### **AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION**

There was no audience participation.

#### ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the board, the meeting adjourned at 8:29 a.m.

Respectfully,

Janet Thomas Board Chair

/hb

PRELIMINARY MINUTES

To be adopted and approved at the Full Board Meeting of July 28, 2023

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT TO THE BOARD

## via Jeff Fortenbacher, Committee Chair

- 1. The Finance Committee met on July 21, 2023
- \* 2. It was recommended, and I move, to approve the minutes of the June 16, 2023, meeting as written.
- \* 3. It was recommended, and I move to approve HealthWest to enter contract with Redi-Rental for the rental of portable restrooms, sinks, tables, chairs, tents and fencing for the Health, Wellness, and Recovery Picnic on August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at a total cost not to exceed \$8,519.23.
- \* 4. It was recommended, and I move to approve HealthWest Executive Director to sign single case agreements with various out of network hospitals in the amount of \$49,776.00 for psychiatric inpatient stays for HealthWest consumers.
- \* 5. It was recommended, and I move to approve HealthWest to approve the projected expenditures for Anikare, Positive Behavior Supports, Shel-Mar AFC, and Services of Hope as stated with a total not to exceed \$891,125.00, effective October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.
- \* 6. It was recommended, and I move to approve HealthWest Executive Director to sign a contract with You're Always at Home AFC#2 to provide specialized residential services to eligible HealthWest consumers, at a cost not to exceed \$93,600.00 for FY2023.

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#### FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Friday, July 21, 2023 8:00 a.m.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of the Finance Committee was called to order by Committee Chair Fortenbacher at 8:00 a.m.

#### **ROLL CALL**

Committee Members Present: Jeff Fortenbacher, Janet Thomas, Thomas Hardy, Remington Sprague,

M.D.

Committee Members Absent: Stephanie Umlor, Marcia Hovey-Wright, Charles Nash,

Also Present: Rich Francisco, Holly Brink, Shannon Morgan, Gina Post, Tasha Percy,

Brandy Carlson, Jennifer Stewart, Matt Plaska, Justine Belvitch, Brian Speer, Jackie Farrar, Gordon Peterman, Linda Closz, Nate Kennert

Guests: Angie Gasiewski

# **MINUTES**

It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded by Dr. Sprague, to approve the minutes of the June 16, 2023, meeting as written.

**MOTION CARRIED.** 

#### ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

#### A. Monthly Report from the Chief Financial Officer

Ms. Carlson presented the May report, noting an overall cash balance of (\$4,488,976). Also presented were the month-end projection trends for board member review.

#### B. Budget and Variances Analysis Report FY23

Ms. Carlson presented the May report, noting a positive variance in both Revenue and Expenses through the month of May for a net positive variance of \$6,773,915. Projected through the end of this year would be a positive variance of \$9,585,680.

# C. FY23 Monthly FSR

Ms. Carlson presented the May month FSR, noting that based on our Spending Plan to Actual, HealthWest has a negative variance to date in revenue of \$1,115,811 and a positive variance to date in expenses of \$4,767,790 for a net positive variance of \$3,651,979 to date from actual to spending plan. However, overall, we have a positive variance with the LRE of \$7,895,529. Ms. Carlson had accounted for a \$6,365,325 swing in revenue due to the end of the Public Health Emergency (PHE), thus submitting a Spending Plan with the LRE with an unbalanced budget to allow room for revenue to decline.

# D. <u>HeathWest / LRE Escrow Agreement</u>

Ms. Carlson, Chief Financial Officer, presented the Escrow Agreement.

# E. <u>Authorization to Contract with Redi-Rental</u>

It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded Dr. Sprague, to authorize HealthWest to enter contract with Redi-Rental for the rental of portable restrooms, sinks, tables, chairs, tents and fencing for the Health, Wellness, and Recovery Picnic on August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at a total cost not to exceed \$8,519.23.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

# F. <u>Authorization to Approve Single Case Agreements</u>

It was moved by Ms. Thomas, seconded Dr. Sprague, to authorize HealthWest Executive Director to sign single case agreements with various out of network hospitals in the amount of \$49,776.00 for psychiatric inpatient stays for HealthWest consumers.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

# G. Authorization to Increase Projected Contract Expenditures for FY23

It was moved by Dr. Sprague, seconded Mr. Hardy, to authorize HealthWest to approve the projected expenditures for Anikare, Positive Behavior Supports, Shel-Mar AFC, and Services of Hope as stated with a total not to exceed \$891,125.00, effective October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

# **MOTION CARRIED**

# H. Authorization to Contract with You're Always at Home AFC

It was moved by Mr. Hardy, seconded Dr. Sprague, to authorize HealthWest Executive Director to sign a contract with You're Always at Home AFC#2 to provide specialized residential services to eligible HealthWest consumers, at a cost not to exceed \$93,600.00 for FY2023.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

## **OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

There was no new business.

## **COMMUNICATIONS**

There was no communication.

# **DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS**

Rich Francisco, Executive Director, provided his Director's Report:

- Mr. Francisco gave an update regarding LRE Motion 2323 that was passed in May for the Past liability settlement. As it relates to the amendment to the contract for the remaining 20% for past liabilities, there is some new concern brought by N180 and I agree with them that having a third party hold the money in ESCROW until LRE Finance Compliance Review is completed can be expensive. The fees that a third party can charge for ESCROW accounts can be as high as 1200 per month or more depending on the total amount being held. I guess no one really thought about this. So, the LRE staff/CEO is going to likely put a motion to alter the language stating that CMHS will hold the funds in a restricted account versus a third-party account.
- Mr. Francisco provided an update on the LRE Compliance audit, I attended the LRE Executive Committee and the LRE CEO meeting this past Wednesday 19th, and in both those meetings, the LRE CEO, Mary Dumas stated that they had received a letter from MDHHS stating that their request to update the FSR (Financial Status reports) for the past years to reflect past liabilities information was not accepted. The LRE will now have to revert back to their numbers and re-calculate the data. This will likely have an impact on the ISF numbers and savings numbers at the LRE. Not sure yet what other impacts this could have for the CMHSPs yet.
- Mr. Francisco also shared the LRE Wakely Rates/ISF Analysis and actuarial study Wakely is a Health Management Associates company (HMA). Mary Dumas gave an update on the Wakely Study report, and they would like to present the data to the Directors and CFOs of the CMHSPs for input and reaction. The first meeting of two meetings will occur on 8/9. The CEOs of CFOs of CMHs are invited and will be given a chance to ask questions regarding the result. I will keep you updated on the data and results and potential impact it can have here at HW. Lastly, Mr. Francisco provided an update from the Director's Forum he attended this past week virtually. It was held in person at Lansing. The big update from the meeting was that Alan Bolter presented on the FY24 Michigan Budget and proceeded to highlight the impacts for Specific Mental Health/Substance Abuse Services

#### **AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION**

There was no audience participation.

# <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 8:29 a.m.

Respectfully,

Jeff Fortenbacher Committee Chair

JF/hb

PRELIMINARY MINUTES

To be approved at the Finance Meeting on

August 18, 2023

# REQUEST FOR HEALTHWEST BOARD CONSIDERATION AND AUTHORIZATION

COMMITTEE	BUDGETED NON-BUDGETED	PARTIALLY BUDGETED		
Full Board	X			
REQUESTING DIVISION HealthWest Board	REQUEST DATE July 28, 2023	REQUESTOR SIGNATURE Janet Thomas, Chairperson		
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SUMMARY OF REQUEST (GENERAL DESCRIPTION, FINANCING, OTHER OPERATIONAL IMPACT, POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES)				
Trinity Health, as representative Linda Dunmore has leadership of needed for Mental Health Servi collaborative relationship on behalf	for the LRE (Lakeshore Regional over Hackley Behavioral Health, s ces here in Muskegon County. I of HealthWest, as a representative	Dunmore, CNO (Chief Nursing Officer) of al Entity) Executive Board of Directors. She knows the importance, and support Her role in healthcare will help build a se for our consumers and our community. See vacancy of Linda Garzelloni, previous		
SUGGESTED MOTION (STATE EXACTLY A	AS IT SHOULD APPEAR IN THE MINUTES)			
The HealthWest Board moves to approve Linda Dunmore as a recommendation for the Executive Board Member for the LRE (Lakeshore Regional Entity), and authorizes the HealthWest Board Chairperson, Janet Thomas, to recommend her on behalf of the HealthWest Board of Directors.				
COMMITTEE DATE	COMMITTEE APPROVAL Yes No	Other		
BOARD DATE	BOARD APPROVAL	Oulei		
July 28, 2023	Yes No	Other		

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Finance	July 28, 2023		Brandy Carlson, Chief Finance Officer	
SUMMARY OF REQUEST (GENERAL DESCRIPTION, FINANCING, OTHER OPERATIONAL IMPACT, POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES)				
HealthWest Board authorization is requested to pay Johnston Lewis Associates, Inc. (5600 King Drive, Suite 210, Troy, MI 48098) for Professional Liability Insurance to cover HealthWest's five (5) psychiatrists for the time they provide services to HealthWest consumers. This insurance does not cover any private work they might do outside of HealthWest employment.				
The renewal cost of the Professional Liability Insurance for HealthWest is \$55,500.00, and the County Finance Department is requesting HealthWest Board approval.				
SUGGESTED MOTION (STATE EXACTLY AS IT SHOULD APPEAR IN THE MINUTES)				
I move to authorize HealthWest to pay Johnston Lewis Associates, Inc. in the amount of \$55,500.00 for Professional Liability Insurance to cover the five (5) full and part time HealthWest psychiatrists, effective June 26, 2023, through June 26, 2024.				
COMMITTEE DATE	COMMITTEE API	PROVAL YesNo	Other	
BOARD DATE	BOARD APPROV			
07/28/2023		_YesNo	Other	

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QUOTATION No. 90067424

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(248) 528-2400

Named Insured:

HEALTH WEST \*FKA COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES OF MUSKEGON COUNTY 376 E. APPLE AVENUE MUSKEGON MI 49442

Name of Insurer(s)

LANDMARK AMERICAN INS CO.

100%

Proposed Term: ANNUAL

Policy Expiring: LHM797648

On: 8-07-23

COVERAGE: MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY - CLAIMS MADE FORM

LIMITS: \$1,000,000 EACH CLAIM/\$3,000,000 AGGREGATE

DEDUCTIBLE: \$10,000 PER CLAIM

RETROACTIVE DATE: JUNE 26, 2012

Professional Services: SOLELY IN THE PERFORMANCE OF PHYSICIAN SERVICES

ONLY

TERMS: COVERAGE IS PROVIDED SUBJECT TO THE TERMS OF THE POLICY INCLUDING BUT

NOT LIMITED TO: SEE ATTACHED CARRIER'S QUOTE

MINIMUM EARNED PREMIUM: 25% MINIMUM EARNED PLUS FEES

FEES: \$150 BROKER FEE

SUBJECT TO: NOTHING AT THIS TIME

OTHER POLICY.

PREMIUM DUE 30 DAYS FROM EFFECTIVE DATE

PREMIUM \$54,000.00

Broker Fee

\$150.00 Surplus Lines Tax \$1,350.00

TOTAL \$55,500.00

CONDITIONS

This proposal expires 20 days from the issue date listed below, and should be reconfirmed after that time. This proposal is based on the underwriting and rating information in the application provided by you. The coverage and terms being offered may not be the same or as broad as requested in your application. Please review carefully and advise us immediately if you have any questions.

> Thank you for the opportunity to help you served We look forward to receiving your or

Date: July 18, 2023

**Contact: JAY DILLON** 

Authorized Representative;



#### **MEMORANDUM**

Date: July 28, 2023

To: HealthWest Board of Directors

CC: Mark Eisenbarth, Muskegon County Administrator

Matt Farrar, Muskegon County Deputy Administrator Angie Gasiewski, Muskegon County Accounting Manager

From: Rich Francisco, Executive Director

Subject: Director's Update

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