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**PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY
COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES BOARD**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT FOR THE BOARD MEETING:

John O'Leary, Voneka Bennett, Bradley Marshall, Lisa Climer, Alisa Thornton,
James Keller, Amber Gray

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT FROM THE BOARD MEETING:

Vicky Castro, Patrick Sowers, William Carr

STAFF PRESENT:

Lisa Madron, Gina Tamayo – Office of the Executive Director

Division Managers:

Elise Madison – Emergency Services; Michael Goodrich – Admin Services; Sara
Wheeler – Adult Services; Robyn Fontaine – Finance; Kanchan Clark – Medical
Services; Tanya Odell – Youth Services

GUESTS PRESENT

Pat Victorson – NAMI

PRESS PRESENT:

None

Opening: The Regular meeting of the Community Services Board was convened on
Thursday, June 18, 2026, at 6:34 p.m. in the Powell's Creek Conference Room
1 County Complex Ct. Woodbridge, VA 22192

RESOLUTION 26-06R1-01

MOTION: O’Leary

SECOND: Climer

APPROVE REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE REMOTELY THROUGH ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION MEANS

WHEREAS, the Prince William Board of County Supervisors (Board) adopted a policy in its Rules of Procedure pursuant to Sections 2.2-3708.2, and 2.2-3708.3, VA Code Ann., to allow for remote participation by Members of the Board; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Board’s policy, Bradley Marshall notified the Chair that the Member is requesting permission from the Board to electronically participate at the Board’s June 18, 2026 meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Member certified that the Member is unable to attend the meeting due to the following specifically identified personal matter: Illness; AND the Member has not already used remote participation due to personal matters more than two meetings per calendar year or 25 percent of the meetings held per calendar year rounded up to the next whole number, whichever is greater; and

WHEREAS, the general description of the remote location from which the Member plans to electronically participate is at home; the remote location need not be open to the public; and

WHEREAS, the Member verifies that the Member’s participation in any closed session of the meeting shall remain confidential and not be disclosed to any unauthorized persons or entities; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Board’s policy, a request for electronic participation from a remote location shall be approved unless participation violates the Board’s policy or any provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and the Board’s policy shall be applied strictly and uniformly, without exception, to the entire membership of the Board and without regard to the identity of the Member requesting remote participation or the matters that will be considered or voted on at the meeting;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William County Community Services Board does approve the request to participate remotely in the meeting through electronic communication means in accordance with the Board’s policy; a quorum of the Board was physically assembled at one primary or central meeting location; and arrangements were made for the voice of the Member to be heard by all persons at the primary or central meeting location.

Vote:

Ayes – O’Leary, Bennett, Gray, Keller, Thornton, Climer,

Nays – 0

Abstained – Marshall

Absent During Vote – 0

Absent From Meeting – Castro, Sowers, Carr

CITIZEN’S TIME:

Ms. Pat Victorson shared a new program called Pathways to Hope that will begin in October, it’s part of NAMI’s faith net. They are focusing on their “Sharing Hope” program which is outreach to the black ancestry community. They are planning a retreat where the whole program will be piloted. They will also be doing a retreat for women in recovery. Ms. Victorson expressed her appreciation for everything CS does and for what the prevention team has been doing. She gave a shout out to Wendy Hunt and Natalie Lizano for all their hard work and outreach. NAMI/CS will be hosting a youth mental health wellness conference on September 26th at the Manassas City Community Center. The Annual Mental Health awareness will take place from 3-7pm on October 7th.

STAFF TIME:

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES**RESOLUTION 26-06R1-02**

MOTION: O’Leary

SECOND: Climer

The Prince William County Community Services Board does hereby approve the minutes of May 21, 2026.

Vote:

Ayes – Bennett, Thornton, Climer, Bennett, Marshall

Nays – 0

Abstained – Keller, O’Leary, Gray

Absent During Vote – 0

Absent From Meeting – Castro, Sowers, Carr

PRESENTATION: Critical Time Intervention (CTI), Clinical Homeless Service (CHS) and Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) – Lynn Fritts and Harry Hogshead

Mr. Hogshead provided an overview of the CTI/PATH Programs, which serve individuals experiencing serious mental illness (SMI) and homelessness. The programs focus on outreach and engagement, meeting immediate basic needs, building supportive relationships to promote community stability, and connecting individuals to housing, behavioral health, medical care, benefits and other community resources.

Ms. Lynn Fritts provided an overview of the Critical Time Intervention (CTI) program, a time-limited, evidence-based practice funded by Virginia's DBHDS that supports individuals during critical transitions to promote community integration and housing stability. The program follows a nine-month, three-phase model focused on connecting individuals to long-term supports, strengthening support networks and independent living skills, and transitioning care to ensure ongoing stability. CTI integrates supportive services with a Housing First approach.

ACTION ITEMS:

A. ACCEPT, BUDGET, AND APPROPRIATE \$208,536 ONGOING AND \$1,436,018 ONE-TIME FISCAL YEAR 2026 REVENUE TO RECONCILE THE COMMUNITY SERVICES BUDGET

RESOLUTION 26-06R1-03

MOTION: O'Leary

SECOND: Carr

Vote:

Ayes – O'Leary, Bennett, Gray, Keller, Thornton, Climer, Marshall

Nays – 0

Abstained –

Absent During Vote – 0

Absent From Meeting – Castro, Sowers, Carr

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

None.

OPEN ITEMS:

None.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S TIME

Ms. Madron announced that Prince William County officially became a Stepping Up County following approval by the Board of County Supervisors at its June meeting. She also shared that on June 2, Community Services and Connections hosted the Behavioral Health Commissioner at the Worth Avenue location, where Sara, Elise, and Connections staff highlighted the success of the program. Ms. Madron noted that the Juneteenth Celebration would be held on June 19 at

Pfitzer Stadium and shared that many Community Services staff, including Princess Clark Wendel and LeNelle Mozell, have been instrumental in creating welcoming, creative, and informative experience for attendees. She encouraged everyone to attend the event. Additionally, Ms. Madron announced that Ms. Sherry Bowman has been selected as the second Deputy Director for Community Services. Her first day will be Monday, July 6, 2026.

BOARD MEMBERS' TIME

BRADLEY MARSHALL

Mr. Marshall shared his appreciation for today's presentation noting that he wasn't aware of this CS program and found it very informative. Lastly, he thanked everyone in CS for all their hard work.

AMBER GRAY

Ms. Gray introduced herself and shared her appreciation for the new board member orientation provided by Ms. Madron. She looks forward to reviewing the orientation binder and learning more about CS.

JAMES KELLER

Mr. Keller thanked staff for the presentation.

ALISA THORNTON

Ms. Thornton welcomed Ms. Gray to the board. She shared her appreciation for the presentation and congratulated Ms. Bowman on her role. Lastly, she thanked the CS Team and NAMI for all they do.

LISA CLIMER

Ms. Climer shared her appreciation for the presentation.

VONEKA BENNETT

Ms. Bennett thanked staff for their presentation and welcomed Ms. Gray. Additionally, she congratulated Ms. Bowman on her new role and thanked CS leadership and staff.

JOHN O'LEARY

Mr. O'Leary congratulated Sherry in her new role and shared his appreciation for the presentation.

ADJOURNMENT

No motion

Adjourn time: 7:37 PM
