



Working Group on Youth Interventions

Wednesday, January 3rd, 2024

Time: 9 AM – 12 PM

Meeting Minutes

Members Present

Jeffrey Lunde, Co-Chair

Allen Godfrey, Co-Chair

Paula Stocke

Jim Schneider

Terry Fawcett

Joseph Glasrud

Nicole Kern

Dawanna Witt

Suwana Kirkland

Dylan Warkentin

Ashley Solsrud-Beckman

Nikki Niles

Wendy Morton

Melissa Huberty

Terry Thomas

Lynne Penke Valdes

Molly Bruner

Kathy Hedin

Jasmine Mattison

Heather Goodwin

Sarah Ellsworth

Diane Neal

Elliot Butay

Catherine Johnson

Members Excused

Millie Hernandez

Shana King

Co-Chair Godfrey called the meeting of the Working Group on Youth Interventions to order at 9:00 A.M. in room 120 of the State Capitol. A quorum was present.

Adoption of Previous Meeting Minutes

Catherine Johnson moved to adopt the December 13, 2023 meeting minutes. The Motion Prevailed.

Presentation on Data

Jackie Braun-Lewis, Head of Analytics for Hennepin County, presented data on delinquency and CHIPS out-of-home placements.

Discussion on Recommendations

The chairs requested a roll call vote to be taken to enable them to make edits to the final report without the approval of the task force. The results are as follows:

Ayes: Kirkland, Lunde, Niles, Stocke, Schneider, Fawcett, Godfrey, Glasrud, Ellsworth, Witt, Warkentin, Goodwin, Hedin, Bruner, Huberty, Thomas, Morton, Valdes, Kern, Johnson, Solsrud-Beckman, Neal, Butay, Mattison

There being 24 Ayes, 0 nays and 2 absent, The Motion Prevailed.

The chairs requested a roll call vote to be taken to enable Hennepin County staff to make edits to the final report without the approval of the task force. The results are as follows:

Ayes: Kirkland, Lunde, Niles, Stocke, Schneider, Fawcett, Godfrey, Glasrud, Ellsworth, Witt, Warkentin, Goodwin, Hedin, Bruner, Huberty, Thomas, Morton, Valdes, Kern, Johnson, Solsrud-Beckman, Neal, Butay, Mattison

There being 24 Ayes, 0 nays and 2 absent, The Motion Prevailed.

Members reviewed recommendations surrounding a regional system of care, programming best practices, and workforce development. Members provided feedback on how the recommendations can be refined to better reflect the needs of the community.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:01 P.M.