

## **SOUTHEAST ALLIANCE LHRC**

Minutes

**3/5/24**

**12:00pm**

Riverside Mental Health and Recovery Center

**2244 Executive Dr, Hampton, VA 23666**

Hampton, VA 23666

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Human Rights Advocate Contact: Jen Anglin

### **Members Present:**

Stephanie Nesbitt - Acting Chair

Mariko Branch - Member

Betsy Lang - Member

Lavar Reynolds – Member

Charmaine Claiborne - Member

### **Members Absent:**

Sabrina Edwards- Chair

### **Providers**

Michelle Humphries – Wall Residences via Teams

Erika Parks – MPNN CSB via Teams

Kristina Nelson – MPNN CSB via Teams

### **Others Present**

Crystal West – via Teams

Cindy Erwin – via Teams

Individual #1 – via Teams

Individual #2 - via Teams

### **Office of Human Rights**

Jen Anglin - Human Rights Advocate

### **Others Absent**

Latoya Wilborne- Regional Manager

Takare Alston – LHRC Applicant

Darius Robins – Newport News Behavioral Center

### **CALL TO ORDER:**

Mrs. Nesbitt, acting Chair, called the meeting to order at 12:25pm

### **Approval of Agenda**

Correction to 3/5/24 agenda made – Newport News Behavioral Quarterly update removed, provider not present and LHRC applicant interview removed – applicant not present.

Motion to approve the agenda with corrections was made by Mrs. Nesbitt and seconded by Mrs. Mariko Branch.

### **Approval of Minutes:**

Motion to approve the November 21, 2023, minutes was made by Mrs. Nesbitt and seconded by Mariko Branch. Motion carried.

### **Public Comments**

None

### **Chairperson Announcements (if any)**

None

### **Regional Advocate Report**

Training and Development Coordinator position has been filled and Mr. Alonzo Riggins has started providing live virtual trainings in January, which can be found on the DBHDS website to sign up.

### **Old Business**

#### **Wall Residences**

Michelle Humphries presented a review of restrictive plan.

#### **New Business-**

2 Next Friend requests reviewed presented by:

- MPNN CSB – for Individual #1
- MPNN CSB - for Individual #2

### **Closed Session**

Motion was made by Mariko Branch and seconded by Betsy Lang at 12:30pm that the Southeast Alliance LHRC will go into closed session pursuant to VA code 2.2-3711 (A), for the purpose of discussing confidential information lawfully exempt from public disclosure, to complete a review of a restrictive plan for Wall Residences and review 2 next friend requests for MPNN CSB.

### **Return to Open Session**

The committee reconvened in open session at 1:04 p.m. by unanimous vote on a motion by Mrs. Besty Lang and seconded by Mrs. Stephanie Nesbitt. Each member certified that, to the best of each of their knowledge, only private business matters, lawfully exempted from the statutory open session requirements and identified in the motion by which the closed session was convened, was discussed in the closed session, namely for the purposes of completing an interview and reviewing a restrictive plan for Wall Residences.

Recommendation: **Motion made by Besty Lang, seconded by Stephanie Nesbitt and unanimously approved by the committee members as follows:**

- Wall Residences to provide a 90-day update at the May 21, 2024 Southeast Alliance Local Human Rights Committee meeting.

- LHRC recommends the designation of next friend, Crystal West for Individual #1.
- LHRC recommends the designation of next friend, Cindy Erwin for Individual #2 with a 6 month update provided to the LHRC at the August 20, 2024 meeting.

**MEETING ADJOURNED:**

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at 12:00pm. The location will be at Riverside Mental Health & Recovery Center, 2444 Executive Drive Hampton VA. Hearing no business, Stephanie Nesbitt adjourned the meeting at 12:50pm.