



SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD (BHAB)

Regular Meeting

May 21, 2025

Behavioral Health Services

1212 N. California St.

Stockton, CA 95202

Minutes

I. Call to Order at 5:01pm

- Moment of Silence
- Pledge of Allegiance – led by Jeff Giampetro
- Roll Call

Members presents: Chair Christine Stanbrough, Vice Chair Esther Wolczynski, Patricia Barrett, Jeff Giampetro, Katrina Bambula-Santos, Gertie Kandris, Tasso Kandris, Destiny Easter (in at 5:05pm), Sabrina Flores (in at 5:10pm)

Members absent: Paul Akinjo, Paul Canepa

Others in attendance: Interim BHS Director Fay Vieira

- Guest Introductions

II. Public Comment

- Jessica Velez from Red Rabbit – improved collaboration between BHS and organizations

III. Approval of Minutes

- Board voted unanimously (8-0) to approve Minutes of the April Board meeting
- Board voted unanimously (8-0) to approve Minutes of the April Special Board meeting
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IV. Guest Presentations

- Health Force Partners
Presented by Paul Lanning, Executive Director of Health Force Partners

V. BHAB Chair's Report

- Ideas for future presenters and/or subjects at Board meetings
- Draft report due dates
- Reflective discussion on our motivations for joining the board
- Clarifying expectations

VI. Director's Update

- Medical Director – Behavioral Health – position is open; closes Friday, May 23



- Director of Behavioral Health Services – position is open; closes Friday, May 23
- BeWell Prop1 award

VII. Committees/Liaisons Reports

VIII. Action Items

- Need a member for subcommittee Goal#1 (3-member team): Tasso, Jeff and ?.
Goal #1 will remain a 2-member team
- **Goal #1:** Develop and implement a comprehensive succession plan for board members, foster an engaged and accountable board, and establish a strong organizational culture by defining clear expectations and criteria for board performance. Will now be named Succession Plan. Will have first meeting on 5/30/25 at 2pm via TEAMS
TEAM Name: Succession Plan
Goal #3: Streamline communication and collaboration between the board and external community-based organizations and partners. Will now be named Succession Plan. Will have first meeting on 5/23/25 at 10am via TEAMS
TEAM Name: Community Engagement

IX. Reminders

- Next Advisory Board meetings – June 18th

X. Local Events/Announcements

- Pride Fest- June 21- 11am-5pm Stockton Civic Center
- Health and Hearing Clinic- June 7
- Father Fest- June 7- 10am-2pm Yosemite Street Village Stockton, CA
- CAPC Ducky Derby- August 15- 6-9pm Lincoln Center Stockton, CA

XI. Board Comments

- Pat – read a statement. Would like to collaborate and advocate for people in camps.
- Christine- Agrees with Pay on “most” of what she said
- Tasso – disappointed that there wasn’t a celebration for Cary Martin.
- Esther – continue to invite people to meetings
- Destiny- stated that “as a board, what can we do about the unhoused?” doesn’t agree that this is within the scope of the board.
- Katrina- will join the Cultural Competency Committee as the liaison
- Jeff-The shower situation at the church is disgusting. People are allowed to shower there but not use the restroom. Asked why.

XII. Adjournment

- Meeting adjourned at 7:00pm