

Draft- Human Services Advisory Board Action Minutes

Meeting Date/Time: Virtual Meeting, November 12, 2020/6:30pm

Members Present Chapel Hill: Carolyn Fanelli (Chair), Amy Liu (Vice-Chair), Mary Andrews, Kate Henz, Josh Ravitch, Katina Welch, and Mychal Weinert

Staff and Others Present: Jackie Thompson, and John Richardson

Agenda Item	Discussion Point	Motions	Votes/Actions
OPENING			
Call to Order	The Chair called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.		
Roll Call	All members of the Chapel Hill Humans Service		
	Advisory Board were present.		
Approval of Agenda		Mychal Weinert made, and	The motion was adopted
Ph s s s g s		Josh Ravitch seconded a	(5-0).
		motion to approve the	
		agenda.	
Welcome	The Chair welcomed and acknowledged Katina Welch, newest member of the Board. The Board members introduced themselves stated what made them join the HSAB. Ms. Welch introduced herself and stated why she was interested in joining the Board.		
Approval of Minutes	October 6, 2020 Draft Action Minutes	Mychal Weinert made, and Josh Ravitch seconded a motion to approve the October 6, 2020 Draft Action Minutes.	The motion was adopted (5-0)
Staff Update			

	Jackie Thompson reported that the Outside	
	Agency Application is posted on the Town website	
	on the Human Services page. The Outside Agency	
	Application is a joint application with the Town of	
	Carrboro and Orange County. A press release will	
	be sent November 11 th informing the public that	
	the Town is accepting applications for FY2021-22	
	Human Services Funding.	
	There will be a joint virtual Outside Agency	
	Orientation Workshop held on Thursday,	
	November 19th from 9:00am-11:00am. We have	
	also scheduled two virtual Q&A sessions for	
	December 9 th and January 6 th from 9:00am-	
	11:00am. All applications are due January 14 th at	
	5:00pm.	
	Jackie also stated that the Towns of Chapel Hill	
	and Carrboro Advisory Boards will be holding	
	virtual joint public hearings. When the schedule is	
	prepared and sent to the various agencies they	
	will be asked if they foresee having any technical	
	challenges with the virtual process. Staff will work	
	with those agencies to assure that they will be	
	able to participate in the public hearing process.	
OLD BUSINESS		
Performance Measures	Carolyn Fanelli gave a brief overview of the	
Workshop	Performance Measures Workshop that she and	
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	Fiorella Horna, COVID19 Latino Outreach Project	
	Leader with El Centro Hispano, facilitated on	
	October 28 th . There were 32 participants and the	
	workshop focused on the County and Towns	
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	approaches to measuring human services results, elements of a Result Framework, including outcomes versus outputs, How to select and/or develop performance measures and indicators and How to track and report on performance data. Board member Mychal Weinert attend the meeting and stated that he found it to be very helpful. Mychal did suggest that it may be helpful for participants to submit questions before the workshop, because some people can be shy when it comes to asking questions on a webinar. Jackie informed the Board that a virtual Performance Measure Workshop is scheduled for November 28 th . An invitation will be sent out to Board members.		
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NEW BUSINESS			
Climate Action Plan	John Richardson, Community Resilience Officer informed the Board that he was interested in any feedback the Board might want to share about the draft Climate Action Plan. Some key points of the connection between climate action and the work of the HSAB might include: Green affordable		

housing, Expanded transit service, Expanded transportation options for walking/biking and strengthening hazard mitigation and community resilience. The plan charts a course for how our community can work together to reduce emissions that cause climate change and build resilience to the stressors that come from changing climate. The goal is to update the plan every five years. This plan is the first of several five-year plans that will advance climate action in Chapel Hill while looking out to 2050 and beyond.

John gave a brief overview of the Climate Action Plan and ask the board for their feedback. Several members gave the following feedback:

- More green space is needed.
- Plan that includes incentives, which are important for driving behaviour change.
- Plan that addresses flooding and vulnerable communities.

Board member asked the following questions:

- How does the parking deck connect with climate control? John responded that the parking deck services the UNC wet lab development, which furthers sustainable development downtown.
- What to do about localized flooding and individual actions? John responded that perhaps we can focus on more education about what can be done in older neighbourhoods and finding more ways to support action.

share the Climate Action Plan details. He informed them that he would be sending the draft plan and other information for them to provide additional feedback.		
ADJOURNMENT The meeting adjourned at 7:29pm The next Board meeting will be January 6, 2021	Kate Henz made, and Katina Welch seconded a motion to adjourn.	The motion was adopted unanimously (7-0)