

Minutes
Butte-Silver Bow Behavioral Health Local Advisory Council
Held 1-2pm on Wednesday, June 21, 2023 via zoom and in-person at Silver Bow Center,
125 Granite Street

1. Administrative Agenda Items

- a. Meeting called to order at 1:03pm by Bill Deavel
- b. Roll call was conducted, quorum was present
- c. Approve last month's meeting minutes.
 - a. Motion made and carried to approve last month's meeting minutes
- d. Treasurer Report
 - a. Not at this time

| Members Present | | |
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| Bill Deavel | Keely Mills | Cindy Rahn |
| Nikki Russell | Michelle Lewis | Kevin Mays |
| Leighann Knight | Kathy Dunks | |
| Members Excused | | |
| Emily Lott | Sami Lodahl | |
| Vicky Stallman | Kristie Matule | |
| Jeremy Hoscheid | | |
| Guests | | |
| Bradie Matt | AJ Brown | |
| | Demetrius Fassus | |
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2. Public comment(s) On any Items on the Agenda

- a. None

3. BHLAC Member Updates- Introductions (everyone)

- a. Bill has new contact information
- b. Kathy- CRT and CCCS
 - i. Negotiated coverage for CRT for detention center and non-insured from BSB
 - ii. Will be asking for additional funding from the heart funding that the city received
 - iii. BSB contract will end July 1st 2024 and they will not renew the contract
 - iv. No CRT, no mobile response team, no 911 operator dictating
 - v. CRT cannot charge for any services in a hospital services

4. Old Business

- a. Community Action Team update- Emily
 - i. Not Present
- b. May (Mental Health Awareness Month) Final report –
 - i. Money on advertising was went well
 - ii. 125-150 estimate for attendees
 - iii. Spent just shy of \$2000
 - iv. Received \$140 from food vendors
 - v. Positive feedback from food vendors
 - vi. 4 food vendors
 - vii. \$190 donations from AWARE for printing
 - viii. Butte Cares and Butte 4C's brought craft supplies
 - ix. Under budget- \$2,150 spent
 - x. 61 meal tickets traded in, under the budget
 - xi. Grant report to ESSA has been submitted
 - xii. \$1500 check received from them end of May
 - xiii. Print follow up survey in future years and have people do it while they are there
 - xiv. Half of the booths had lots of engagement; the other half had some engagement
 - xv. Spread booths out more, have a better PA system, control sound from hallway into the workshop area, announcing workshops as they are getting started, create a Facebook page for the event or the BHLAC that can be used year round, a news story through KXLF, people were happy that we moved it to Saturday and most booths would do it again
- c. ESSA report- Kathy
 - i. Meeting- 7 more grants requested
 - ii. Children services requesting grants from Eastern side
 - iii. Remaining \$50,000 for the rest of the fiscal year, going to the LAC's and the remaining 7 grants
 - iv. ESAA will be funded on it's own for the next fiscal year
 - v. Will change to WSSA from ESSA
- d. Any new LAC applications? Keely
 - i. None

5. New Business

- a. Grant application process
 - i. Moved to next month's meeting
- b. Crisis Stabilization / crisis services
 - i. See Member Comments Section above
- c. Sami letter – group discussion
 - i. Fine tune it and give it to county commissioners along with JP Gallagher
 - ii. Wants to send it ombudsman for crisis care for the state

- iii. Come up with a committee to work on the letter and come up with out of the box ideas to have more influence
- d. AWARE Grant Update
 - i. Leighann Knight from AWARE
 - ii. Grant was already submitted, it was due end of the May
 - iii. Grant is through SAMSA, crisis community behavioral health center
 - iv. AWARE is seeking to pilot the program in Butte and Helena
 - v. AWARE would like a letter of support for future grants

6. Public comment(s) On Any Items Not on the Agenda

- a. \$500 grant requests or less come to BHLAC
- b. Anything more should get sent directly to ESAA and BHLAC will write a letter of support
- c. Kathy will report next month on how we will replenish our account if we grant grants to people

7. Adjournment

- a. Adjournment at 1:59pm

8. Next Meeting

- a. The next meeting of the Butte-Silver Bow Local Behavioral Health Advisory Council will be held from 1 to 2 pm July 19, 2023, on Zoom. Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83181075543?pwd=YXlxcFM0Z0N1VHNodkZpQ2t5MDN2dz09>