

INFORMAL MINUTES

March 29, 2010

2:00 p.m.

Oval Office

PRESENT: Commissioners Kathy George and Mary P. Stern, Commissioner Leslie Lewis being excused to attend another meeting.

Staff: Laura Tschabold, John M. Gray, Jr., Jack Crabtree, Marilyn Kennelly.

Guests: Hannah Hoffman, News-Register.

* indicates item forwarded to formal agenda

Kathy called the meeting to order.

* Personnel - Kathy presented personnel requests from various departments. See agenda for details.

* Contracts/Grants - See agenda for details.

Laura discussed the grant application for the Head Start renovation and stated that part of the grant would renovate the lot where the transit buses are currently being parked, starting in June or July. She said that neither YCAP nor the county realized that the project would begin so soon, but Pieter Schoonveld is looking for alternate parking locations. She recommended going ahead with the grant application.

Marilyn Kennelly reviewed a handout (see Exhibit A) in conjunction with a Youth Opportunity System grant application. She proposed that Workforce Investment Act dollars be used to pay for half of a system facilitator position, with the remaining half being covered with CCF funds. She stated that by combining funds from the two resources, the program would be able to help youth from ages 9 to 21, with the money following the youth to address their individual needs as they progress. The commissioners expressed support of the proposal.

* Dues - Authorize the payment of \$1626 to the National Association of Counties (NACo) for 2010 membership dues.

* Resolutions - Approve Resolution 10-3-31-1 recognizing April 2010 as Child Abuse Prevention and Awareness Month.

* Approve Resolution 10-3-31-2 proclaiming April 5-9, 2010, as Public Health Week in Yamhill County.

YCINT - Jack Crabtree stated that he would like to clarify his plans for the Yamhill County Interagency Narcotics Team, since the newspaper report was distorted. He said that the YCINT Board was formed in the early 1980s to manage drug-related forfeitures, but the law changed several years ago and YCINT no longer receives any revenue from asset forfeitures. He stated

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that the focus of YCINT is mid- to high-level drug-related crimes and, while that will continue, he plans to put together a team to focus on the crimes that are mid-level and below, which currently don't get enough attention. He explained that this team will work closely with YCINT and the two groups will be able to support each other's efforts. He added that he envisions the new team including people from the cities of McMinnville and Newberg.

He stated that neither McMinnville nor the Oregon State Police have the financial resources anymore to provide a supervisor to the YCINT team, so the Sheriff's Office will provide a working sergeant to fill that role. He said that this is a big commitment on his part, but saving YCINT is critical and the public needs assurances that the county will have the infrastructure to continue fighting drugs.

He pointed out that the information given to the News-Register about the magnitude of seizures in Yamhill County was inaccurate. He explained that 97% of the meth referred to was actually seized by another agency in Ashland. He emphasized the need to be straightforward and as transparent as possible about what is actually going in the county.

Kathy expressed appreciation to Jack for taking on a supervisory role in YCINT and for putting together a new team to add more community focus on drug-related crimes.

The meeting adjourned at 3:07 p.m.

Anne Britt
Secretary

**Community Plan
System Map March 2010**

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Goal: Youth ages 9-17 will learn the life and vocational skills necessary to graduate from high school and to successfully further their education and training, to be equipped to enter the workforce and/or to manage their own households.			
9-11	12-13	14-18	18-21
Collaborative Partner			
Commission on Children and Families High Schools Community College George Fox University Linfield College WESD Parents Park and Recreation Employment Department City Governments Economic Development Alliance Non-Profit Organizations Faith Based Organizations Community Organizations STEM Projects Enterprise Worksource			
Community Wide Resource and Referral			
Encourage parents to be involved in teaching			
		Assist youth in creating long-term healthy goals and workplace skills	
Involve youth in planning, creating and designing opportunities for youth			
		Create ways for business and trade organizations to support and train youth	
Develop a system that encourages public/private partnerships around youth development			
Create a vehicle for counselors and service providers to connect on a regular basis around youth issues			
Community Outcomes:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More of our youth graduate from high school • Our business communities and high school students are more connected through internships, apprenticeships and school to work programs • Youth will have developed skills and strategies to be successful and live independently 			

Grant timeframe: July 1, 2010 to June 30 2011, renewable each year based on outcomes
 Grant supports: .50 facilitator, (.50 Youth Investment dollars Recommended by YCCF March 22, 2010 for other .50 FTE) .80-1FTE Resource Developers, program services for Youth



