

Juvenile Welfare Board

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JWB NORTH COUNTY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

September 3, 2020

5:30 – 6:30 PM

North County Members 2019-20

Avery Slyker, Chair
Eric Clark, Vice Chair
Mark Hopkins, Secretary
Michael Arendall, Community
Recognition Representative
Deputy Terrance Fallahee
Terri Kontodiakos
Kelly Nelson
Nadine Nickeson
Mary Sharrow
John White

AGENDA

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| I. Welcome & Introductions | 5:30- 5:40 p.m. |
| <i>Joanne Reich, JWB & Avery Slyker, Chair</i> | |
| II. Inspired Moment | 5:40- 5:45 p.m. |
| III. NCCC Business | 5:45 – 6:00 p.m. |
| <i>Avery Slyker Chair</i> | |
| Minutes Approval (8-06-20) | |
| What are things we can be doing? Check in with NFC assignments | |
| Other | |
| IV. JWB Updates | 6:00 – 6:10 p.m. |
| V. Guest Speaker – Laura Brock JWB - CFO | 6:10 – 6:20 p.m. |
| V. Sharing with Community | 6:20 – 6:30 p.m. |
| VI. Adjourn | |

Minutes from JWB North County Community Council Zoom meeting 8.6.2020 5:30pm

Those in attendance: Council Members Avery Slyker, Mark Hopkins, Michael Arendall, Deputy Terrance Fallahee, Kelly Nelson, and Mary Sharrow

Other's present were Judith Warren, Joanne Reich, Jaime Peele, Diana Kopec, Beth Hovind, Amity Mainridge, Constance Shaw, Joanna Maniscalco

Meeting is being held via zoom in compliance with Governor's Order EO-20-69, EO 20-150.

Judith Warren provided an update on JWB activities

- COVID-19 has impacted some of the summer JWB funded sites and school readiness including programs such as tutoring and health screenings
- Alert to the rise in child abuse and domestic violence
- The Board workshop resulted in the additional focus area of early childhood 0 to 3, a collective impact campaign will ensue
- Listening to the community councils and strengthening the Neighborhood Family Centers will continue to be important

Mary Sharrow provided an Inspired Moment sharing the importance of our bodies energy and offering several tips for practice to reduce stress.

Business

- Minutes from February 2020 were amended to note it was Eric instead of Michael who accompanied Avery to speak about ALICE families, then approved as amended. Motion made by Michael Arendall – seconded by Kelly Nelson
- Minutes from March 2020 were approved. Motion Made by Kelly Nelson seconded by Michael Arendall

Information

Joanne Maniscalco updated food initiatives including Summer Break Spots, hubs for virtual school families to pick up meals and mobile food pantry.

Kelly Nelson updated us on the struggles clients of Oldsmar Cares are experiencing with many facing housing crisis with evictions looming.

Avery reviewed the information from the Executive Meeting of the 3 Councils.

- JWB has a new CFO, Laura Brock, who shared the budget cycle and financial outlook.
- JWB is to be commended for taking the lead in COVID-19 food response
- JWB is committed to becoming more diverse and inclusive. They will likely hire a consultant to help in the process.

Guest, Diana Kopec introduced us to Feeding the Fosters, an initiative to support the lives and well-being of foster families. <https://www.feedingthefostersinc.com/>

Submitted by Mark Hopkins – Secretary JWB North County Community Council