

GREENE COUNTY CHILDREN, YOUTH & COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD
For GREENE COUNTY DEPARTMENT of HUMAN SERVICES
JUNE 15, 2016 MINUTES
YOUTH BUREAU ADVISORY

Call to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mary Ann Scalera

ROLL CALL:

Present: Charles D'Agostino, Mary Jo Jaeger, Larry Krajieski, Mary Ann Scalera, John Scalera, Angelo Scaturro, Susan Smith Hicks, Tami Bone

Staff: Ken Brooks, Terry McGee Ward

Excused: Pamela Coloton, Don Smith

Absent: NA

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS: NA

MAY MINUTES: Motion made by Larry Krajieski, seconded by Charlie D'Agostino, to accept May 2016 minutes with no changes.

PROGRAM REPORTS & UPDATES:

Terry McGee, Executive Director- :

- The State has increased are funding from \$41055.00 to \$46080.00, a difference of \$5,025.00. I would like to ask the Board to make a motion to put this money back into the Administration Costs. Since it has been drastically cut in past years.
 - Mary Ann asked for a motion, Larry Krajieski made the motion and Charlie D'Agostino seconded, all were in favor no nays.
- The Youth Fair will be July 28th through July 31st. There is a signup sheet for anyone wishing to volunteer their time.
- I will be taking a leave of absence from Jun. 20th through July 15th
- Youth of the Year – Last month we were discussing a Youth of the Year for 2017, and would like to know what the Board has decided on.
 - After much deliberation, it was decided that we would have:
 - Youth of the Year
 - Advisory Board's Choice
 - It would be limited to grades 9 through 12

Mary Ann asked for some to make a motion of this suggestion. Charlie D'Agostino made the motion and Larry Krajieski seconded it. All were in favor.

- The Annual Plan has changed over the years.
 - Long ago it used to be called the Comprehensive Plan, Youth Bureau would do the report together and report to NYS of various stats.
 - ICP (Integrated County Plan) and present
 - Currently it is called Child Services Plan and basically DSS & Youth report on Pre-pins and child development.

I'm happy to say the Annual Plan is complete.

- Discussing the Youth Bureau Structure, Needs and Future funding are things that will be on future Agendas.

- Workforce Investment Board – please be aware the Employers that use Summer youth for job opportunities, allows the youth to become eligible for free Breakfast & Lunches. This is provided through the College and the business owners need to contact them.
- Asked the Advisory Board if they had a chance to review our new Website.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Tami Bone, Case Worker:

- Wanted to let everyone know that there is a new Preschool in town. The name is Catskill Wheelhouse Preschool, it is located on Embought Rd. I had the opportunity to visit it the other day and was very impressed.

Meeting was adjourned by Larry Krajeski and seconded by Charlie D'Agostino.

Next meeting: Wednesday Sept. 14, 2016 Aging Training Room 411 Main St. Catskill NY 12414.

Menu: Executive Director's Choice

Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth L. Brooks Jr. Business Manager GCDHS