

Yolo County Health Council

January 10, 2019

Minutes

MICHAEL WILKES, MD, CHAIR
ELIZABETH MUNGUIA, VICE-CHAIR

YOLO COUNTY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY

GONZALEZ BUILDING, COMMUNITY ROOM
25 NORTH COTTONWOOD STREET,
WOODLAND, CA 95695

The Yolo County Health Council met on the 10th Day of January 2019 in the Community room at the Gonzalez Building at 25 North Cottonwood Street, Woodland, CA at 9:00 a.m.

VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT: Michael Wilkes, District 2; Carri Ziegler, District 3; Linda Deos, District 4; Valerie Olson, District 5; Elizabeth Abbott, At-Large Member; Dawn Myers, Commission on Aging & Adult Services; Gina Daleiden, First 5 Yolo; Kathleen Middings, MCAH Advisory Board; Evan Priestley, CommuniCare Health Centers; Bambi Eagle, Northern Valley Indian Health; Craig Blomberg, Sutter Health; Stacey McCall, Winters Health Care; Tandy Burton, Woodland Health Care

VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT: Elizabeth Munguia, District 1; John Tan, At-Large Member; Scott Hatcher, EMCC; Jeneba Lahai, Yolo County Children’s Alliance; Nicki King, Local Mental Health Board; Mark Ho, Kaiser Permanente; Meredith Wurden, Partnership Healthplan of California;

STAFF & GUESTS PRESENT: Lizeth Betancourt, HHSA; Patrick Blacklock, County Administrator; Ron Chapman, Health Officer; Kellymarie Chen, HHSA; Jill Cook, County Administrator’s Office; Lori Duisenberg, First 5 Yolo; Cynthia Foltz, Health Education Council; Scott Gowin, AMR; Leigh Harrington, Medical Director of Behavioral Health Services, HHSA; Mary Ann Limbos, Deputy Health Officer, HHSA; Jessica Jones, Assistant Deputy to Supervisor Saylor; Laurie Somerhausen, HHSA; Don Saylor, Supervisor- District 2; Brian Vaughn, Public Health Director, HHSA; Tia Will, public

9:00 A.M. CALL TO ORDER

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS – Michael Wilkes, Chair

The January 10, 2019 Health County meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m., at which time around the table introductions occurred and quorum was confirmed.

2. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Michael Wilkes, Chair

Motion: Linda Deos **Second:** Valerie Olson **Discussion:** None **Vote:** Unanimous

3. APPROVE THE [November 8, 2018 Minutes](#) – Michael Wilkes, Chair

Motion: Linda Deos **Second:** Valerie Olson **Discussion:** None **Vote:** Unanimous

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

- Michael Wilkes shared interest in pursuing more information regarding the current state of ORR funding and health at the County Jail; and also explained the change in room configuration to improve hearing for members.
- Valarie Olsen shared excitement about appointment of new patient advocate position by Governor Newsom and this administration’s interest in health anticipating that with the new focus could come additional funding.

5. STATE AND COUNTY UPDATE – Patrick Blalock, County Administrator’s Office

- **State Budget:** The State Budget will be released today. The Realignment revenue report of 1991 and 2011, which Health and Human Services Agency receives most of its source of revenue. Previous legislation called for a report in terms of equities and inequities of the current Realignment Revenue system that will be out soon and could provide a foundation for potential legislation on how Realignment is allocated to counties.
- **Strategic Plan Update:** The Board of Supervisors is launching an updated Strategic Plan that will include ample opportunities for community participation.

- **Yolo Food Bank:** Over the last six months the Food Bank has been going through restructuring with a new capital campaign and a new facility. Once they move into the new facility, they will be able to expand the programs they offer in terms of reaching rural communities. They will be making a presentation to the Board of Supervisors on January 29, 2019.
- **Adult Day Health Center:** Dignity Health and the County have contracted with Kitchell Construction to look at three different options, cost and timelines. By March, the goal is to convene the subcommittee, the Board, and the stakeholders to decide on an option and move forward. The three options that are being considered are:
 - Renovation and expansion of the current site.
 - Purchasing an existing two-story office building, with the first-story converted for Adult Day Health.
 - Building a new facility that would also house some Health and Human Services Agency programs and other similar programs.
- **West Davis Active Adult Community:** Davis plans to build a new active adult community for current Davis residents that will be located Northwest of Davis, which will present a tax sharing opportunity (housing and activities for seniors and an opportunity for county collaboration with the senior population).

6. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS UPDATE – *Don Saylor, Supervisor District 2*

- **Newly Elected Representatives:** On January 7th the newly elected officials were sworn in, including the new Board of Supervisor, Gary Sandy representing District 3.
- **Strategic Plan and Health in All Policies:** The Board of Supervisors received a recommendation for the Strategic Plan to adopt the Health in All Policies.
- **Student Food Security:** UC Davis is interested in exploring food insecurity further, and has formed a partnership with CalFresh embedding an eligibility worker on campus.
- **West Beamer Place:** December 14, 2018 was the official grand opening for the affordable apartment housing. This new housing will benefit the community by offering on site case management and have dedicated housing for some of the most at risk individuals of the county.
- **Homelessness – No Place Like Home Grant Submission:** Applications have been submitted for Woodland and West Sacramento. If Yolo County is awarded, it could bring \$600,000 to the county to address homelessness.
- **600 A Street Dedication:** On December 13, 2018 the building was dedicated in honor of Helen McLeod Thomson as a HSA Service Center. We hope it will have the same impact the Winters HSA Service Center had when it opened in 2017, which doubled access to services in the community. Services include two days of Women, Infant, and Children (WIC), a Transitional Aged Youth (TAY) Wellness Center, and expanded Mental Health Services.
- **Soups On:** Supervisor Saylor’s Annual Soup’s On will be held on January 24, 2019, from 6:00-8:00pm; at the St. James Church, 1275 B Street, Davis; and this year we will be recognizing the Putah Creek Council.

7. COMMUNITY HEALTH BRANCH REPORT – *Brian Vaughn, Public Health Director* Branch Report

- **Government Shut Down:** WIC funding should sustain services through February in to March should the shutdown be prolonged, and CalFresh has funding through January. The situation is being monitored closely.
- **Legislative Appointments:** The new Surgeon General appointee has a Health Equity and Social Determinants of Health background which is promising for our work.
- **Community Health Needs Assessment:** A draft report has been completed, it will be shared with internal entities and publicly released in the fall following Healthcare system board approvals.

- **Emergency Preparedness and Fires:** Fires and air quality is an ongoing discussion. Meetings are occurring with county and school officials to develop a protocol for issues like fire and bad air in the event of future fires in Northern California.
- **Smoke Free County Properties:** The County adopted a new policy that makes all properties smoke free as of January 1st, and new signage is going up within the next couple of weeks.
- **Health in All Policies (HiAP) Meeting:** A public meeting to educate the Davis community on HiAP is in the calendaring stages.

8. HEALTH OFFICER REPORT – *Ron Chapman, Health Officer*

- **Syphilis:** By state law there are 80 infectious diseases that are reportable to the local health department. We track those diseases very closely, and have weekly meetings to address trends and case studies. Sexually transmitted infection rates are up in Yolo (Chlamydia and Gonorrhea rates are down), however Syphilis has gone up with Yolo having one of the highest rates in the state. A Task Force has been created around the Syphilis spike, and will present an overview of the issues at the February Health Council meeting.

PRESENTATIONS

9. YOLO COUNTY'S STRATEGIC PLAN 2020-2023– *Brian Vaughn, Public Health Director, HHS Community Health Branch*

Handouts: [Strategic Plan 2016-2019](#) and [Strategic Plan Survey](#)

- Strategic Plan Next Steps for Health Council:
 - The Health Council to review survey responses at the February meeting. To have the greatest result, the Council decided to have small breakout group sessions to discuss the feedback; and then review for themes and those themes discussed when the group goes back together.
 - *Action item:* Review the Green Survey handout, and send responses to Cyndi Sechler to compile. Responses are due February 1st, so the responses can be compiled before the February meeting.

10. FOOD DESERTS – *Bapu Vaitla, Researcher at Harvard School of Public Health, lecturer at UC Davis, Fellow UN Foundation*

PowerPoint: [Food Deserts](#)

- Some of the items covered included:
 - Undernutrition and Over-nutrition in the US
 - USDA food security module
 - Food insecurity in Yolo County
 - Recent studies in Yolo County
 - Moving forward: Research

ANNOUNCEMENTS

11. REPRESENTATIVE REPORT OUT & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- No report outs or announcements were given.

ADJOURNMENT

12. Next Meeting – February 14, 2019

Proposed items for future meetings:

- Jail Health/ORR Oversight with Tour
- Emergency Medical Services Annual Report
- Joint Health Council and Healthy Aging Alliance Meeting – *April*
- Chair and Vice Chair Election – *May*
- Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
- Older Populations and STDs
- Refugee Mental Health
- Homeless Health
- Whole Child Model
- Workforce Group
- Public restrooms
- Yolo Food Bank Tour

13. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:52 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by:



Cyndi Sechler, Secretary
Yolo County Health Council