

# Yolo County Health Council

June 13th, 2024

Minutes

ANTHONY VOLKAR, CHAIR  
XIMENA DIEZ-JACKSON, CO-VICE CHAIR

**YOLO COUNTY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY**

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

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The Yolo County Health Council met on the 13<sup>th</sup> Day of June 2024 at 9:00 a.m. in-person in the Gonzales Building, Community Room, 25 North Cottonwood Street, Woodland, CA 95695.

**VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT:** Anthony Volkar, District 1; Ximena Diez-Jackson, District 2; Leon Schimmel, District 4; Valerie Olson, District 5; Michelle Famula, At Large; Dawn Myers, Commission on Aging & Adult Services; Lori Duisenberg, First 5 Yolo; Nicole Hollingsworth, Yolo County Children’s Alliance; Nicki King, Local Mental Health Board; Erika Roshanranvan, CommuniCare Health Centers; Mark Ho, Kaiser Permanente; Stacy Berrong, Northern Valley Indian Health; Kathryn Power, Partnership HealthPlan of California; Craig Blomberg, Sutter Health; Margaret Trout, UC Davis; Stacey McCall, Winters Healthcare

**VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT:** Carri Ziegler, District 3; Sherri Olswang, EMCC; Linda Copeland; MCAH Advisory Board; Tatyana Bak, Elica Health Centers

**STAFF & GUESTS PRESENT:** Deputy Branch Director Helen Ng, HHS; Mental Health Director Shelby McGriff, HHS; Senior Administrative Services Analyst Kellymarie Chen, HHS; Outreach Specialist II Margarita Ortiz, HHS; Physician Mary Ann Limbos, HHS; Health and Human Services Manager Betsie Cialino, HHS; Senior Administrative Services Analyst Jaspreet Kaur, HHS; Administrative Assistant Cassie Guevara, HHS

### 9:00 A.M. CALL TO ORDER

The June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024, Health Council meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Anthony Volkar, Health Council Chair.

1. **WELCOME** – Anthony Volkar, *Chair*
2. **ROLL CALL** – Cassie Guevara, *Secretary*  
A roll call for voting members was taken, and the quorum was confirmed.
3. **VOTE ON APPROVAL OF JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 AND MAY 09<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 AGENDA AND THE APRIL 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 AND MAY 09<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 MINUTES** – Anthony Volkar, *Chair*

**Motion:** Valerie Olson    **Second:** Dawn Meyers    **Discussion:** None    **Agenda Vote:** Passed Unanimously  
**Minutes Vote:** 11 Yes, 0 No, 2 abstention: Craig Blomberg, Michelle Famula

4. **STATE AND COUNTY UPDATE** – Mark Bryan, *Deputy Chief Administrative Officer*
  - No update today
5. **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS UPDATE** – Deputy Supervisor Sheila Allen, *District 4*
  - No update today
6. **HEALTH OFFICER UPDATE** – Dr. Aimee Sisson, *Health Officer*
  - No update today
7. **PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH UPDATE** – Brian Vaughn, *Public Health Director*; Kathryn Power, *Regional Manager Partnership HealthPlan of California*
  - Budget Update – Won’t see an effect this next fiscal year but possibly the year after if funding is taken away.
  - Thank you for advocacy on May Revise
  - Partnership and Dignity have entered a contract.
  - Partnership is well into communication plans working with Dignity how this information will be communicated to members.
  - Dignity will be sending a letter out to members previously assigned to them as PCP

- Letter will have information explaining how to call Partnership and transfer back to Dignity.
- Partnership website has contact phone number with any questions.
- Partnership working on re-credentialing all of their providers that are coming back into their network.
- People who have continuity of care requests that had been submitted before the contract Partnership has approved and honored all of them.

**8. HEALTH COUNCIL CHAIR & VICE CHAIR ELECTIONS – *Brian Vaughn, Public Health Director***

- Anthony Volkar elected as Health Council Chair
  - Erika Roshanranvan elected as Health Council Vice Chair
- Motion: Nicki King                      2<sup>nd</sup>: Stacy McCall

A roll call for voting members was taken.

**9. ROADMAP TO THE FUTURE – *Garth Lewis, County Superintendent Yolo County Office of Education***

- Roadmap to the Future is a long-term plan to help effectively coordinate the services, supports and opportunities children, youth and families in Yolo County need to thrive.
- YCOE is working with WestEd to produce a countywide Needs Assessment on children, youth and families due in June 2024.
- Advisory Committee developed composed of diverse voices to advise on the plan and process.
- The needs assessment will be used by the Board of Supervisors to allocate \$2.2 million in American Rescue Plan funding reserved for priority needs for children and youth.
- Needs Assessment Countywide Needs:
  1. Increased Quality, Affordable, Reliable Childcare Options
  2. Expanded Access to Mental Health Resources
  3. Improved Alternative Transportation Options
  4. Expanded Learning, Engagement and Leadership Development Opportunities
  5. Increased Access to Affordable Housing
  6. Expanded Access to Affordable, Healthy Food Options
  7. Improved College and Career Transitions
  8. Improved Access to Service Information and Outreach

**10. STI PREVENTION – *Kellymarie Chen, Senior Administrative Services Analyst***

- Syphilis Task Force
  - Founded in 2019
  - Members include providers such as Hospitals, FQHC/s & Sexual Health Clinics, homeless service providers and public agencies.
  - Since the Task Force was created there has been a decrease in Syphilis cases.
- Response Plan
  - Eliminate Congenital Syphilis
  - Reduce Syphilis among unhoused/unstably housed.
  - Make the spectrum of supportive services more accessible to people with increased vulnerability to Syphilis.
- STI Prevention Resources
  - Free STI Prevention Kits & Emergency Contraception
  - Free at home testing
  - PrEP-AP & PEP Enrollment

**11. ITEMS FOR FUTURE COUNCIL MEETINGS – *Anthony Volkar, Chair***

- MCO Tax Balot Measure
- Climate Resilience
- Mental Health – Prop 1

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- MHSAs – Cuts and changes in expected revenue
- Mental Health Board/Prop 1 Combined meeting
- Nature Rx

**12. REPRESENTATIVE REPORT OUT & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- None

**13. PUBLIC COMMENT**

- No public comments were made.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**1. NEXT MEETING – September 12th, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.**

**The meeting was adjourned at 10:57 a.m.**

Respectfully submitted by:

*Cassie Guevara*

Cassie Guevara, Secretary  
Yolo County Health Council