

STARK COUNTY  
**Mental Health &  
Addiction Recovery**

**BOARD MEETING MINUTES  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2020 @ 4:00 PM**

Strategic Plan Update - Board members viewed a PowerPoint that gave an overview of the status of StarkMHAR's strategic plan. The current strategic plan will end in a year and a half. StarkMHAR staff are starting discussions on planning for the next strategic plan.

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Julie Gonzalez, Board President, called the February 27, 2020 StarkMHAR (Stark County Mental Health and Addiction Recovery) meeting to order at 4:01 PM

**A. Swearing in of New Board Member**

Julie Gonzalez reported that the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services approved the appointments of Michelle Balderson to the Mental Health and Addiction Recovery Board. Michelle Balderson was sworn in for a four-year term.

**B. Adoption of Agenda**

Upon motion by Richard Bennett, seconded by Jaylaunna Davis, Board members hereby adopt the agenda for the February 27, 2020 Board meeting as presented. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**C. Roll Call of Members**

**Members Present**

Michelle Balderson  
Richard Bennett  
Elizabeth Bowen  
Mark Brink  
Rick Campbell  
Kathy Catazaro-Perry  
Jaylaunna Davis  
Sharla Elton  
Julie Gonzalez  
Michael Pomesky  
Brandice Schnabel  
Eileen Schwartz  
Leigh Shaheen  
Pat Williams

**Members Absent**

Tom Douce  
Taylor Schauer  
Diane Wilson

Brandice Schnabel, Board Secretary, recognized a quorum allowing the Board to conduct business.

**Staff Present**

John Aller, Executive Director  
Stef Fakelis, Director of Business Operations  
Jill Machamer, Director of Administrative Support Services  
Cheryl Metzger, Administrative Supervisor  
Michele Boone, Director of Clinical Services (via phone)

Allyson Rey, Director of Marketing, Communications & Community Relations  
Allison Esber, Systems Initiative Manager  
Jennifer McIntosh, Director of PartnerSolutions  
Emily Provance, Director of Human Resources

**Guests Present**

Canton Community KidSummit: Marisha Holman-Mitchell  
Child & Adolescent Behavioral Health: Pam Lung  
Coleman: Steve Inchak  
Pathway: Wendy Tracy

**D. Welcome and Introduction of Guests**

Julie Gonzalez welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**A. January 23, 2020 Board Meeting Minutes**

Julie Gonzalez reported that the January 23, 2020 Board meeting minutes (as well as resolutions and committee meeting reports) were emailed to Board members for their review prior to the meeting. Upon motion by Julie Gonzalez, seconded by Pat Williams, Board members hereby approve the January 23, 2020 Board meeting minutes as printed. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**III. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**A. February 25, 2020 Executive Committee Meeting Reports**

Julie Gonzalez, Executive Committee Chair, reported that the February 25, 2020 Executive Committee meeting minutes (as well as resolutions and committee meeting reports) were emailed to Board members for their review prior to the Board meeting. Julie Gonzalez shared other topics that were discussed at the Executive Committee including:

• **Contracts executed in January 2020**

The group reviewed contracts that were for expenses \$25K or less.

• **Board Members Attendance at Committee and Board Meetings**

Board members were reminded of the importance to respond to StarkMHAR staff indicating their availability for meetings. Julie Gonzalez will be reviewing attendance at committee and Board meetings and following up with individual Board members.

Upon motion by Julie Gonzalez, seconded by Pat Williams, Board members hereby approve the February 25, 2020 Executive Committee meeting minutes as printed. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**1. Resolution 20-02-033 -- Addition to Table of Organization**

John Aller stated that Board members had a draft of the proposed table of organization in front of them for review. The table of organization shows the addition of a Continuous Improvement Manager. This position would report to the Director of Clinical Services, Michele Boone. The position would manage all aspects of the grant funded by multiple

foundations.

**WHEREAS,** review of workloads, responsibilities, as well as the addition of the Stark County Behavioral Health Process Improvement, Productivity and Workforce Development Initiative grant, has resulted in the need for additional staff to the table of organization; and

**WHEREAS,** StarkMHAR wishes to update the Table of Organization to include the additional staff position for SFY20; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED,** that upon **MOTION** by Elizabeth Bowen, **SECONDED** by Eileen Schwartz, Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery, does hereby approve, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, the proposed changes as detailed below:

**Additional Staff Positions:**

- New position of Continuous Improvement Manager is created with a Grade 5, salary range of \$45,720 - \$68,580, reporting to Director of Clinical Services.

**RESOLVED,** StarkMHAR is recommending the proposed change as outlined, providing the contract is ratified; therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** StarkMHAR does hereby authorize the execution of the documents necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution including but not limited to appropriation, encumbrance, and disbursement of funds.

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams:  
**Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**2. Resolution 20-02-034 -- Termination of Provider Contracts**

John Aller stated that the Board, per Ohio Revised Code, annually provides the required 120-day notice of termination to contract providers.

**WHEREAS,** Ohio Revised Code, Sections 340.03 A (8) and 340.033 (D) requires if either StarkMHAR or a facility or agency which StarkMHAR contracts with “proposes not to renew the contract or proposes substantial changes in contract terms, the other party shall be given written notice of at least one hundred twenty days before the expiration date of the contract: and

**WHEREAS,** StarkMHAR executed SFY 2020 Provider Service Contracts with the agencies listed below:

Canton Community KidSummit
Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health
Coleman Professional Services
CommQuest Services
Foundations: A Place for Education and Recovery
ICAN Housing
Make-A-Way
National Alliance on Mental Illness Stark County (NAMI)
Pathway Caring for Children
Stark County Family Council
Stark County Treatment Accountability for Safer Communities (TASC)
Stark Community Support Network

Summit Psychological Associates, Inc.
Children's Network of Stark County
We Are Troubled On Every Side (WATOES)

**WHEREAS,** StarkMHAR proposes not to renew the provider contracts and/or proposes substantial changes in contract terms, and now therefore be it  
**RESOLVED,** that upon **MOTION** by Rick Campbell, **SECONDED** by Mike Pomesky, Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery does hereby approve, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, termination of SFY 2020 Provider Service Contracts with the above listed agencies effective June 30, 2020; and therefore, be it finally  
**RESOLVED,** StarkMHAR does hereby authorize the execution of the documents necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**3. Resolution 20-02-040 -- Approval of Contracts/Consultants**

John Aller stated that this resolution did not go before committees because of timing issues. This contract needs Board member approval in order to ensure the information regarding the mobile response team is distributed in the community.

**WHEREAS,** with the Boards review and approval of Resolution 18-02-042 creating a policy to comply with Ohio Revised Code Sections 340.041 regarding the execution of contracts; and

**WHEREAS,** the policy requires the Executive Director to receive prior approval from the Board prior to executing contracts with expenditure amounts of \$25,000 or more, or those that are for expenditures less than \$25,000 that are not for standard board operations or emergency clinical and recovery support services; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** that upon **MOTION** by Richard Bennett, **SECONDED** by Elizabeth Bowen, the Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery Board, does hereby approve, upon recommendation of StarkMHAR's Board, the Executive Director's execution of the following contracts; and be it further

Organization	Scope	Amount	Period
<b>Expense</b>			
Copley Ohio Newspapers, Magazine Division	70,000 copies created and distributed of a stand-alone publication focused on mobile response, designed to reach youth and families	\$28,250	02-28-20 through 03-31-20

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**IV. FINANCE COMMITTEE**

A. Sharla Elton, Finance Committee Chair, reported that the February 20, 2020 Finance Committee meeting minutes (as well as resolutions and committee meeting reports) were emailed to Board

members for their review prior to the meeting. Sharla Elton reviewed the topics that were addressed:

- **Review of Board and Provider Quarterly Operations**  
Board operations are trending close to budget, but initial projections show that providers could be under budget by \$1.4M. StarkMHAR met with these providers to determine the appropriateness of their allocations. StarkMHAR will be offering recommendations for adjustments to individual programs.
- **Level of Reserve Policy**  
The Finance Committee will be reevaluating the level of reserve policy and may recommend modifications in the future.

Upon motion by Sharla Elton, seconded by Pat Williams, Board members hereby approve the February 20, 2020 Finance Committee meeting minutes as printed. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**1. Resolution 20-02-035 -- StarkMHAR January Financial Statements**

Sharla Elton indicated that committee members had reviewed the January financial statements. Sharla stated that cash is up due to some unused restricted funds on hand as well as some new prevention funding received from Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OhioMHAS). The receivables are mostly made up of funds that Signature Health owes StarkMHAR for the Electronic Health Record project.

**RESOLVED,** that upon **MOTION** by Eileen Schwartz, **SECONDED** by Rick Campbell, Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery does hereby approve, upon recommendation of the Finance and Executive Committees, StarkMHAR's financial statements listed below for the period ending January 31, 2020:

- Balance Sheet
- SFY 2020 Revenue and Expense (Budget vs. Actual)

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**2. Resolution 20-02-037 -- Provider Billing Overages**

Sharla Elton stated StarkMHAR's Provider, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI), provided documentation for Family Involvement and Peer Services that were billed in excess of the allocation for SFY 2019. StarkMHAR recommends paying the overage due to the Provider having the documentation to support the request.

**WHEREAS,** billings attributable to SFY 2019 services have been closely monitored; and  
**WHEREAS,** it has been determined, that there will be unspent funds from SFY 2019 provider allocations; and

**WHEREAS,** some providers have billings in excess of certain budget lines; and  
**WHEREAS,** details about those providers and their billings have been presented to the Program and Evaluation, Finance and Executive Committees and all committees recommend payment for portions of those billings; and now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that upon **MOTION** by Richard Bennett, **SECONDED** by Pat Williams, the Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery Board, does hereby approve, upon recommendation of the Program and Evaluation, Finance, and Executive Committees, payments for services billed in excess of line item budgets to the providers in the amounts listed below; which may increase a provider's allocation for SFY 2019:

Provider	Line Item	Amount
NAMI Stark County	Family Involvement	\$ 6,299
NAMI Stark County	Peer	12,214
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 18,513</b>

**RESOLVED**, StarkMHAR stipulated these adjustments are one-time funding and not ongoing allocations; and therefore, be it finally

**RESOLVED**, StarkMHAR authorized the execution of the documents necessary to implement the intent of this Resolution, including but not limited to allocation notices, appropriation, encumbrance and disbursement of funds.

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

## V. INFORMATION AND BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

A. Eileen Schwartz, Information and Business Technology Committee Chair, reported that the February 11, 2020 Information and Technology Committee meeting minutes (as well as resolutions and committee meeting reports) were emailed to Board members for their review prior to the meeting. Eileen Schwartz reviewed the topics that were addressed:

- **Hosting Services**

Hosting services will be moved from NTT Data Systems in Cincinnati to NextGen utilizing their Amazon webservices platform. NextGen has a tentative go-live date of March 16, 2020.

- **Topaz Acquired by NextGen**

NextGen Healthcare acquired Topaz Information Solutions out of Phoenix, Arizona. PartnerSolutions is working with NextGen on the invoicing process and other items.

- **Signature Health**

Signature Health contacted PartnerSolutions and shared that they are in the middle of merger/acquisition discussions. Signature Health is unable to share further details on the merger/acquisition. The committee and Board members will be updated as details are revealed.

Upon motion by Eileen Schwartz, seconded by Brandice Schnabel, Board members hereby approve the February 11, 2020 Information and Technology Committee meeting minutes as printed. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

## VI. POLICY COMMITTEE

A. The Policy Committee did not meet in February. Their next meeting will be scheduled as needed.

**VII. PROGRAM AND EVALUATION COMMITTEE**

**A. February 13, 2020 Program and Evaluation Committee Meeting Report**

Brandice Schnabel, Committee member, reported that the February 13, 2020 Program and Evaluation Committee meeting minutes (as well as resolutions and committee meeting reports) were emailed to Board members for their review prior to the meeting. Brandice Schnabel stated that the Program and Evaluation Committee discussed the following:

- **ROSC (Recovery Oriented System of Care) Update**  
Achara Consulting firm will complete a baseline assessment of Stark County’s ROSC status to understand where the public system currently stands in relation to its recovery-oriented values and practices.
- **SFY19 Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) Report**  
Care Management Reviews (CMR) occurred at all the provider agencies that received funding through a Request for Proposal (RFP) for SFY19.

Upon motion by Brandice Schnabel, seconded by Eileen Schwartz, Board members hereby approve the February 13, 2020 Program and Evaluation meeting minutes as printed. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**1. Resolution 20-02-036 -- Stark County Jail Medication Funds**

Brandice Schnabel stated that the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OhioMHAS) has awarded funds in the amount of \$70K for support of a psychotropic drug reimbursement program to address psychotropic medication needs of Stark County Jail inmates.

**WHEREAS,** StarkMHAR has received funds from OhioMHAS (Ohio Mental Health and Addiction Services) for a psychotropic drug reimbursement program to address psychotropic medication needs of Stark County Jail inmates; and

**WHEREAS,** Stark County Sheriff’s Office has agreed to provide psychotropic medication services to inmates and will provide reporting required for reimbursement; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED,** that upon **MOTION** by Brandice Schnabel, **SECONDED** by Richard Bennett, Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery, does hereby approve, upon recommendation of the Program and Evaluation, Finance and the Executive Committees, revised SFY 2020 budget and allocation of the aforementioned funds to Stark County Sheriff’s Office; monies to be utilized by June 30, 2020, as detailed below:

<u><b>Revenue</b></u>	
State Funds	\$ 70,000
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<u><b>Expenses</b></u>	
Board Administered Grants	70,000
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<b>Net Income</b>	<u>\$ 0</u>

and, be it finally

**RESOLVED**, StarkMHAR does hereby authorize the execution of the documents necessary to accomplish the intent of this resolution, including but not limited to appropriation, encumbrance, and disbursement of funds.

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**2. Resolution 20-02-038 -- Gemini Program**

Brandice Schnabel stated that Resolution 20-02-038 supports a request by Child & Adolescent Behavioral Health. They requested funds for a new program to provide integrated treatment for youth with co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders. StarkMHAR has residual System of Care funds that were awarded by OhioMHAS that can be allocated for this new program.

**WHEREAS**, Child & Adolescent Behavioral Health submitted a new program request to provide integrated treatment for youth with co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders; and

**WHEREAS**, StarkMHAR has remaining State System of Care funds previously awarded by OhioMHAS that can be allocated for this new program; and

**WHEREAS**, the project aligns with Strategic Plan Goal B; now, therefore be it,

**RESOLVED**, that upon **MOTION** by Brandice Schnabel, **SECONDED** by Elizabeth Bowen, the Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery, does hereby approve, upon recommendation of the Program and Evaluation, Finance and Executive Committees, SFY 2020 budget and allocation adjustments of the aforementioned funds for the support of services in Stark County as detailed below:

Revenue

\$ 0

Expenses

Child & Adolescent Behavioral Health 16,874

Net Income

\$ (16,874)

and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, StarkMHAR does hereby authorize the transfer of appropriations from one account to another account within Fund #685 StarkMHAR and; therefore, be it finally

**RESOLVED**, StarkMHAR does hereby authorize the execution of the documents necessary to accomplish the intent of this resolution, including but not limited to appropriation, encumbrance, and disbursement of funds

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

**3. Resolution 20-02-039 -- SFY 2020 Health Officers**

Brandice Schnabel stated that that Resolution 20-02-039 identifies the names of health officers for the remainder of SFY2020. Coleman Professional Services has requested



revisions to the appointed health officers, which were approved in June 2019, based on staffing changes.

**WHEREAS,** the Stark County Mental Health & Addiction Recovery, in Resolution No. 08-75, adopted a policy for the appointment of health officers that was replaced by Resolution No. 08-119; and

**WHEREAS,** StarkMHAR is permitted to appoint health officers in accordance with Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 5122.01(J) and recommends appointment of the following Coleman Professional Services staff for SFY 2020 to ensure adequate coverage of emergencies as well as appropriate staffing for mobile response services; now therefore be it,

EMPLOYEE	CREDENTIALS	POSITION
Darlene Brown	LISW	Pre-Screener
Michael Wiandt	LSW	Pre-Screener
Tomika West	LPCC-S	Pre-Screener
Kathleen Trissel	LPCC	Mobile Response
Brittany Berczik	LPCC	Director, Mobile Response
Michelle Allison-Smith	LPCC-S	Chief Officer
Nick Fulks	LSW	Mobile Response
Christopher Miller	LPC	Mobile Response Youth-Team Leader
Linda Adams	LPC	Pre-Screener
Rochelle Jimenez	LPCC-S	Director, Crisis Support Services
Teresa Johnson	LPC	Mobile Response
Angela Burton	LPCC-S	Pre-Screener
Lisa Hamilton	LPC	Pre-Screener
Suonna Blanchard	LPCC-S	Pre-Screener
Theresa Lash	LPC	Mobile Response
Benjamin Mickey	LPC	Pre-Screener
Shelia Stauffer	LPC	Pre-screener
Robert Noland	LPC	Pre-Screener
Ashley Fuller	LPC	Director of CSU
Angela Parsons	LISW-S	Pre-Screener

**RESOLVED,** upon **MOTION** by Brandice Schnabel, **SECONDED** by Kathy Catazaro-Perry, StarkMHAR, upon recommendation of the Program and Evaluation and Executive Committees, does hereby approve the appointments of the above listed individuals as health officers effective February 27, 2020 through June 30, 2020 while employed by Coleman Professional Services; and, be it further

**RESOLVED,** StarkMHAR does hereby authorize the execution of the documents necessary to accomplish the intent of this resolution, including but not limited to appropriation, encumbrance, and disbursement of funds.

**Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried.**

## VIII. COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A. No February meeting. Next meeting March 9, 2020 at 4 pm

## IX. EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMITTEE

A. Leigh Shaheen, Education and Training Committee Chair reported that the February 6, 2020 Education and Training Committee meeting minutes (as well as resolutions and committee meeting reports) were emailed to Board members for their review prior to the meeting. Leigh Shaheen reviewed the topics that were addressed:

- **Review of Evaluations from Opiates and Addiction Conference**

The conference had 189 attendees. Overall feedback from the conference was positive. Attendees had some difficulty viewing the slide presentations from the back of the room. The next conference is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, November 17, 2020.

- **Board Member Training**

Board members are required to participate in a minimum of one Board training per fiscal year. There will be a Board member training after the April 23, 2020 Board meeting.

Upon motion by Leigh Shaheen, seconded by Mike Pomesky, Board members hereby approve the February 6, 2020 Education and Training Committee meeting minutes as printed. **Ayes:** M. Balderson, R. Bennett, E. Bowen, M. Brink, R. Campbell, K. Catazaro-Perry, J. Davis, S. Elton, J. Gonzalez, M. Pomesky, B. Schnabel, E. Schwartz, L. Shaheen, P. Williams; **Nays:** none; **Abstentions:** none. **Motion carried**

## X. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

A. Mr. Aller reported on the following:

- **“The S Word” Movie**

StarkMHAR is screening “The S Word” movie at the Canton Palace Theater on Sunday, March 8, 2020 at 1 pm. The Director of the film will be in attendance too.

- **Opiate Lawsuit**

State and local leaders are working on a settlement against drug makers accused of fueling the opiate addiction crisis.

- **Coronavirus Response**

StarkMHAR is monitoring the Coronavirus situation and discussing our response and preparation.

## XI. CORRESPONDENCE/INFORMATION

A. There was no correspondence.

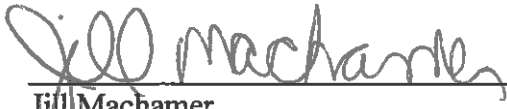
## XII. PUBLIC COMMENT

A. Keith Hochadel, CommQuest CEO, stated that CommQuest has started working with employees of Mercy Medical to implement six sigma. Additionally, Recor detox started accepting clients yesterday.


## XIII. ADJOURNMENT

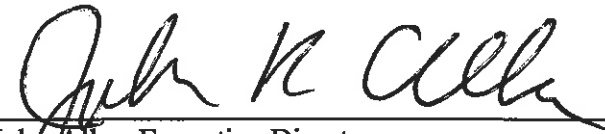
Ms. Gonzalez adjourned the February 27, 2020 StarkMHAR Board meeting at 5:29 pm.

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Jill Machamer  
Director of Administrative Support Services

**APPROVAL DATE:**

ATTEST:  
  
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Brandice Schnabel, Secretary  
Stark County Mental Health & Addiction  
Recovery

  
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John Aller, Executive Director  
Stark County Mental Health & Addiction  
Recovery