Attachment 2

New Behavioral Health Facility Study Committee Meeting Summary

Meeting Date	Agenda Items
January 12, 2011	1. Introduction and overview of the special committee's structure and goals
	2. Informational report from Sup. Jursik, regarding work performed by the LRSP committee with
	regards to the Behavioral Health Facility
	3. Verbal report from the Interim Director, DHHS, providing an overview of the County Executive's
	mental health redesign plan
	4. Informational report from BHD staff, explaining the different program areas at the BHD, including
	the licensing, procedures and regulations in each program area
	5. Confirm upcoming meeting dates and times
February 1, 2011	1. Informational report from BHD staff regarding space usage and schematics at the current facility
	2. Overview from Peg DuBord, Transitional Living Services/Crisis Resource Center, regarding the
	CRC along with potential vision for crisis services in the future
	3. Detailed review of the BHD Crisis Service operations provided from BHD staff
February 15, 2011	1. a. A report from BHD and County Board staff, comparing HSRI and the Holloway Mental Health
	Initiative
	b. Rob Henken, President of the Public Policy Forum, discussing the recommendations in HSRI
	2. Informational report from BHD staff regarding the cost of operating separate acute units
March 15, 2011	1. Presentation from Mr. Karl Rajani, President of Genesis Healthcare, Dr. Flowers, and Dr. Rubin,
	regarding a proposal for a Public/Private Partnership for a cost-effective redesign of the mental health
	system
	2. Informational report from community providers discussing current programs and future
	advancements in the programs
	a. Ms. Janet Wimmer, Wisconsin Community Services
	b. Ms. Jennifer Alfredson, MSW, LCSW, Case Management Services Program Direct and Liz

	Gabriel, LCSW, CSP Program Director, Health Care for the Homeless
	3. Review draft statement from Sup. De Bruin regarding HSRI study adoption
March 29, 2011	1. Space usage estimates and fiscal input from BHD staff regarding a prospective new Behavioral
	Health Facility
	2. a. From the Interim Director, DHHS, providing an overview of the follow-up report regarding
	Mixed-Gender Patient Care Units at BHD
	b. Doug Jenkins, Deputy Director of Audit, to discuss safety recommendations and future essentials
	for a potential new behavioral health facility
	3. Informational report from Glenn Bultman, County Board Research Analyst, regarding possible land
	spaces available on the County Grounds for a new behavioral health facility.
April 19, 2011	1. Discussion about Emergency Detentions at the behavioral health facility
	a. Dennis Purtell, Assistant State Public Defender
	b. Patrice Baker, Probate Court Commissioner (withdrawn from agenda prior to meeting)
	2. From the Interim Director, DHHS, submitting an informational report including details regarding
	fiscal estimates and square footage for replacing the existing mental health complex in Milwaukee
	County
	3. Pam Bryant, Milwaukee County Capital Finance Manager, to discuss bonding issues entailed with
	building a new behavioral health facility
May 10, 2011	1. Distribution of follow-up reports
	a. Follow-up report from Mr. Dennis Purtell, Assistant State Public Defender, providing State Public
	Defender Costs for Chapter 51 representation in Milwaukee County
	b. An updated report from Ms. Pam Bryant, Milwaukee County Capital Finance Manager, regarding
	questions surrounding the financing of a new behavioral health facility
	2. Interim Director, DHHS, and BHD Administrator submitting an informational report regarding:
	a. Estimated operational costs and potential operations savings from a new facility
	b. Estimated level of expansion of community supports/private sector beds needed to implement
	hypothetical model
	c. Timeframe regarding how long it would take to build up the private sector and the effect that

	might have on the operations and capital budgets
	3. A resolution by Supervisor Thomas in support of efforts to redesign and transform Milwaukee
	County's mental health delivery and financing system and directing the New Behavioral Health
	Facility Study Committee to submit an action-oriented plan to implement HSRI study findings and
	other recommendations (File No. 11-197/11-323)
May 24, 2011	1. A resolution by Supervisor Thomas in support of efforts to redesign and transform Milwaukee
	County's mental health delivery and financing system and directing the New Behavioral Health
	Facility Study Committee to submit an action-oriented plan to implement HSRI study findings and
	other recommendations (File No. 11-197/11-323) (At the 5/10/11 New BHD Facility Study Committee
	meeting this item was laid over to the call of the chair)
	2. Informational report from Craig Dillmann, Real Estate Services, on the general framework appraisal
	process
	3. Review of final report draft
June 28, 2011	1. Discussion and planning related to the tasks assigned to the Facility Committee in the resolution
	adopted by the Board on May 26, 2011 (File No. 11-197/11-323), in support of efforts to redesign and
	transform the Milwaukee County mental health delivery and financing system and directing the Facility
	Committee to submit an action-oriented plan to implement the HSRI Study findings and other
	recommendations.
July 12, 2011	1. Informational report from Craig Dillmann, Real Estate Services, regarding the results of the BHD
(This meeting was canceled)	Facility appraisal.
	2. Review of recommended changes and approve Facility Committee's final report.
	a. Consideration of requested report from the Interim Director, DHHS, regarding suggestions for an
	RFP/RFI for behavioral health services.
	b. Consideration of requested report from the Interim Director, DHHS, approximating the services that
	would be needed in the private sector to downsize the current Behavioral Health Facility.
August 9, 2011	1. Review recommended changes and approve Facility Committee's final report, which will be
	submitted to the Chairman's office for referral.
	a. Consideration of requested report from the Interim Director, DHHS, regarding suggestions for an

	RFP/RFI for behavioral health services.
	b. Consideration of requested report from the Interim Director, DHHS, approximating the services that
	would be needed in the private sector to downsize the current Behavioral Health Facility.
September 9, 2011	1. Review recommended changes and approve Facility Committee's final report.
	2. Resolution 11-516
	A resolution endorsing a plan submitted by the Milwaukee County New Behavioral Health Facility
	Study Committee which states that the county's current inpatient model of providing mental health care
	is financially unsustainable and less cost effective than a community-based mental health system and
	urging county government to permanently and fundamentally shift its funding, staff, and programming
	into a community-based system of care and endorsing Milwaukee County's continued operation of an
	inpatient hospital facility with a 120 maximum number of county provided inpatient beds as part of the
	county's obligation to provide safety net services for persons with mental illness.