

SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD MINUTES

Wednesday, July 8th, 2015

Board Members

Alli Watt
Allison Boyd
Angel Weant
Carl Blake
Jeff Geist
Jeff Jenks
Jeff Shay
John Odenheimer
Kandy Moore
Kim English
Marcelo Kopcow
Mary Baydarian
Missy Gursky
Rick May
Tom Leversee

Visitors

Various conference attendees
were present for the Board
meeting.

Visitors

Absent Board Members

Amy Fitch	Bill Hildenbrand	Brie Akins	Jessica Curtis	Jessica Meza	Merve Davies
Mimi Scheuermann	Pam Bricker	Richard Bednarski			

Staff

Chris Lobanov-Rostovsky	Roxanne Hotchkiss	
Cathy Rodriguez	Jesse Hansen	Raechel Alderete

Board Meeting Begins:

Introductions –

Future Agenda Items – No future agenda items.

Announcements – Jeff Geist reminded the audience about all the open committees that are currently operating and if they are interested to visit the SOMB website.

Approve Agenda – Agenda item added, Burns Case. Agenda is approved.

Burns Case presented by Marcelo Kopcow – A presentation was given reviewing the Burns case and the impact for treatment providers. Chris Lobanov-Rostovsky asked if the Board would give Application Review Committee (ARC) the ability to approve variance cases pertaining specifically to the Burns case.

Rick May asked if this applies only to new cases or if older cases can go back and request contact with their child based on the Burns case.

Marcelo Kopcow responded that just because a decision was made on the day of sentencing doesn't mean it is final. The variance can be used for cases that have already been decided.

Allison Boyd commented that the Federal system and state system do differ some and that Colorado does have certain Standards in place already which allows an offender contact with their child if they meet certain requirements. If the child is also a victim then the court should consider this.

Angel Weant commented that cases in Colorado have already taken place based on the Burns case. Therefore, the Board taking proactive steps now would give help to treatment providers quickly.

APPROVAL OF VARIANCE FOR BURNS CASE: motion to approve Angel Weant; 2nd John Odenheimer.

12 Approve

0 Oppose

0 Abstain

Motion Passed

SEXUAL HISTORY EVALUATION MATRIX: Dr. Rick May, Dr. Pam Hiner, Dr. Brenna Tindall, and Dr. Jessi Bartels – Presentation given and handouts provided.

An audience member asked if the evaluations from the PSI writers will be very clear, directly stating their recommendation. The board answered in the affirmative.

An audience member asked what the time frame is for full implementation. The board responded that they hope for feedback over the next few weeks and then several other meetings are planned over the next few months to finalize the project and then they can resubmit to the SOMB.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COMPETENCY BASED TREATMENT PROVIDER MODEL – Roxanne Hotchkiss - Presentation given and handouts provided.

An audience member asked how the new model will address supervision. Roxanne Hotchkiss responded that supervision is now a status with specific qualifications.

MEETING ADJOURNED.