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*** MEETING MINUTES ***

City of St. Louis Mental Health Board of Trustees
 Minutes of the October 19, 2023, Hybrid Board Meeting

Trustee	Attendance	Trustee	Attendance
Terrell Carter	In-person	Julia López	In-person
Donna Schmitt	Zoom	Linda Grayson	In-person
Robert Poirier	In-person	Lisa Mulligan	Zoom
Andi Blaylock	Absent	Mario Hamell	In-person
Carolyn Jackson	In-person	Ronald Griffin	Zoom
Cassandra Pinkston	In-person	Vander Corliss	In-person
Janice Thomas	Zoom	Marcia Hayes-Harris	In-person

Others Attending:
 Matthew McBride, Board General Counsel
 Cassandra Kaufman, Executive Director
 MHB Staff

Call to Order – The meeting of the City of St. Louis Mental Health Board of Trustees (MHB) was called to order at 5:47 p.m. by Board Chair, Terrell Carter.

Community Comments – There were no community members present who wished to address the Board.

Approval of the September 2023 Board Minutes – The motion to approve the September 2023 meeting minutes was made by Terrell Carter, seconded by Carolyn Jackson, and passed unanimously. Minutes are distributed to all recipients on the MHB contact list.

Tax Analysis Study Presentation – University of Missouri – St. Louis Associate Sociology Professor Elaina Johns-Wolfe presented findings from a research project jointly funded by the City of St. Louis Senior Fund and MHB to analyze the impact of SB 190 real estate and personal property tax legislation.

Preliminary Unaudited FY23 Year-End Financials – Executive Director Cassandra Kaufman presented the unaudited FY23 Year-End Financials.

Agency Speaker – Rebecca Bennett from the Black Healers Collective presented on their St. Louis Area Violence Prevention Commission SAMHSA Gun Violence Response Network-funded project.

Staff Report – Executive Director Cassandra Kaufman provided a written report on the major activities and accomplishments of the staff covering the period from September 22 – October 19, 2023.

Adjournment – There being no further business, Board Chair Terrell Carter made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Carolyn Jackson. The motion passed unanimously, and the meeting of the City of St. Louis Mental Health Board of Trustees adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

The next meeting will be Thursday, November 16, 2023, at 5:45 PM, in the Summit Conference Room, Peabody Plaza 15th Floor, 701 Market St., St. Louis, MO 63101.