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TO: Trustees & Other Interested Persons

FROM: Cassandra Kaufman, Executive Director

DATE: November 13, 2026

SUBJECT: **Board Meeting on Thursday, November 19, 2026, at 5:45 PM, Peabody Plaza 15th Floor Conference Room, 701 Market St., St. Louis, MO 63101**
and via Zoom *Please note this is a new Zoom link which is different than the link used for the January – June 2026 board meetings in FY 2026*
https://stlmhb.zoom.us/j/82678826523?pwd=E5gFU9x06Z6bkC86dZAOkTtDqRdcIV.1
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CITY OF ST. LOUIS MENTAL HEALTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES' MEETING
TENTATIVE AGENDA
November 19, 2026

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1. **Community Comments**
   Opportunity for individuals from the St. Louis community to comment on issues concerning the Community Children's Services Fund and the Community Mental Health Fund or other issues related to the behavioral health needs of children and/or adults. Speakers must sign up in advance and limit comments to three (3) minutes.

2. **Consent Calendar**

   a. **Approval of the October 2026 Board Meeting Minutes**
   Trustees will vote whether to approve the meeting minutes from the last meeting held October 15, 2026. Minutes are distributed to all recipients on the MHB contact list.

   b. **Pulled Consent Items**
   Any trustee may request that a particular item on the Consent Calendar be considered separately. This requires approving a motion to Divide the Question.

3. **Regular Agenda Items**

   a. **Inclusive Prosperity Partnership (IPP) Presentation**
   Executive Director Danielle Sydnor will introduce trustees to the Inclusive Prosperity Partnership (IPP), a 10-year, $161 million cross-sector initiative designed to build a shared economy and drive economic mobility in St. Louis developed by the James S. McDonnell Foundation in partnership with the St. Louis Community Foundation.

b. **Financial Statements**
Controller Susan Kabat, CPA, will present the FY 2026 unaudited financial statements and the FY 2027 first quarter financial statements.

c. **Resolution to Approve Trustee Nomination**
Governance, Finance, and Administration (GFA) Committee Member Cassandra Pinkston will present the resolution to nominate Barbara Zawier to fill the unexpired term of Mario Hamell (12/31/2027) who resigned from the board in August 2026.

d. **Informational Update St. Louis Early Childhood System Transformation Model Pilot**
Deputy Director Serena Muhammad will present a potential model for future funding from the Community Children's Services – Early Childhood Fund that addresses issues related to the childcare subsidy waitlist and key strategies to increase access and affordability to high quality early childhood seats for city children from birth to age 5.

e. **St. Louis Tornado Recovery Strategy Update**
Deputy Director Serena Muhammad will update trustee's on the city's tornado recovery strategy and its implications for MHB's Disaster Response Behavioral Health Care Team.

4. **Staff Report**
A written update on major activities and accomplishments of the staff since the last meeting of the trustees will be distributed.

5. **Closed Session**
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees, subject to a motion duly made and adopted, will conduct a closed session pursuant to Section 610.021(1), Revised Statutes of Missouri, and engage in proceedings to discuss sealed bids and proposals, and related documents, or documents related to a negotiated contract, pursuant to Section 610.021(12).

6. **Adjournment**
The next meeting will be Thursday, January 21, 2027, at 5:45 PM Peabody Plaza 15th Floor Conference Room, 701 Market St., St. Louis, MO 63101.