

# SAN FRANCISCO BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COMMISSION

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**UNADOPTED MINUTES**  
From the  
**Behavioral Health Commission Meeting**  
**Wednesday, May 19, 2021**  
**6:11 PM – 7:47 PM**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**Geoffrey Grier called the Roll Call**

**COMMISSIONER'S PRESENT:** Carletta Jackson-Lane (she/her/hers), Richelle Lee Slota (she/her), Harriette S. Stevens (she/her), Toni Parks (she/her), Judy Drummond (she/her), Judith Klain (she), Gregory Ledbetter (he/him), Bahlam Javier Vigil (they/them/theirs), Stephen Banuelos

**COMMISSIONER'S ABSENT:** Ulash Thakore-Dunlap, Idell Wilson

**BHS STAFF PRESENT:** None

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS REPRESENTATIVE:** Ahsha Safai not present

**MEMBERS OF PUBLIC:** Wynship Hillier, Erin Wolpert, Liza Murawski, Paula Jones, SF Food Task Force, Anu Memon, Executive Director Oasis for Girls

**BHC STAFF:** Geoffrey Grier

**QUORUM:** Established

**CHANGES TO THE AGENDA:** None

## **ITEM 1.0 COMMISSIONER'S REPORT**

**1.1 BHC Retreat** – received more feedback from the BHC retreat held on May 11, 2021

**1.2 New Secretary** – Stephen Banuelos gave short biography of himself and accepted the position of Secretary; Motion by Carletta Jackson-Lane with 2<sup>nd</sup> by Toni Parks, passed unanimously

**1.3 Resignation** – the presumed reason for the resignation of Dawson Emmett Cooper (dc) they/them as of 4/22/21 was disclosed to be the result of intimidation and bullying by Wynship Hillier along with feeling misgendered

### **1.4 Reports from the Committees**

**1.4 a) Implementation Committee, Chair Carletta Jackson-Lane**

**1.4 b) Site Visit Committee, Chair Richelle L. Slota**

**1.4 c) Bylaws Revision Ad Hoc Committee, Chair Bahlam Vigil**

**1.4d) Strategic Planning Ad Hoc Committee, Chair Judy Drummond**

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Liza Murawski questioned transgender training. Wynship Hillier denies dc they/them claim

**ITEM 2.0 REPORT FROM BHS DIRECTOR** - No report given as neither the BHS Director were present or a Departmental representative

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** someone questioned why BHS has not made the meeting

## **ITEM 3.0 ACTION ITEMS**

**3.1 Public Comment:** None

**3.2 Motion to Adopt Minutes** – Motion to adopt the unadopted minutes from 4/21/21 BHC meeting; Gregory Ledbetter entertained the motion with Toni Parks offering the 2<sup>nd</sup>; Motion carried unanimously

## **ITEM 4.0 ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, PEOPLE OR ISSUES HIGHLIGHTED BY BHC**

**4.1 Commendation Motion** - Authored by Commissioner Gregory Ledbetter to acknowledge the Senior Action Task Force with a commendation on behalf of the Behavioral Health Commission; Carletta Jackson-Lane put forth a motion with Bahlam Vigil a 2<sup>nd</sup> – Gregory will see that proper text is sent to the executive director for proper formatting

**4.2 Public Comment** – Liza Murawski and Wynship Hillier

## **ITEM 5.0 NEW BUSINESS**

Report from DPH - Judith Klain

**ITEM 6.0 PUBLIC COMMENT** – Wynship Hillier

**FINAL PUBLIC COMMENT** – Wynship Hillier

**6.1** Motion to adjourn authored by Commissioner Gregory Ledbetter with a 2<sup>nd</sup> from Commissioner Judy Drummond

**Adjournment** – meeting adjourned at 7:47pm

Minutes prepared by Geoffrey Grier, Executive Director, BHC