



Executive Committee

Wednesday, May 27, 2020, 12:15pm
Virtual Meeting via [Zoom](#)

Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Tom Barrett, John Chisholm, David Crowley, Connie Kostelac, Jose Hernandez, Shakita LaGrant, Earnell Lucas, Tom Reed, Niel Thoreson, Luann Anderson, Mary Triggiano, Willie Johnson, Jr.

Delegates Present: Scott Brown (on behalf of Margaret Daun), Steven Caballero (on behalf of Matthew Krueger), Nick DeSiato (on behalf of Alfonso Morales)

Additional Attendees: Jordan Primakow, Kent Lovern, Denita Ball, Carl Ashley, Mandy Potapenko, Alyssa Doman, Brianca Gales, Clarence Johnson, David Muhammad, Dyango Zerpa, Erin Perkins, Mary Jo Meyers, Pam Matthews, Stephanie Garbo, Steve Gilbertson, Ted Chisholm, Tearman Spencer, William Lipscomb,

- 1) **Call to Order and Introductions** – Chair Triggiano called the meeting to order at 12:18pm and proceeded with roll call/introductions. New members, County Executive David Crowley and Interim DHHS Director Shakita LaGrant, were welcomed to the committee.
- 2) **Approve March April 2020 Meeting Minutes** – April 2020 meeting minutes approved. Original agenda adjusted to reflect correction.
- 3) **COVID-19 Looking Forward – What do you anticipate in the month ahead? How can we work together?** – Members provided operational updates and pressing challenges in transitioning to the next phase of re-opening operations. Agencies emphasized the need for ongoing testing of staff and access to PPE.
- 4) **Presentation and Discussion - 2020 Overdose Deaths in Milwaukee County** – Committee member, Dr. Connie Kostelac provided an overview and update on her work directing DataShare and MHRC. Part of this work includes overseeing the Overdose Fatality Review team. Milwaukee County is seeing a large uptick in overdose deaths this year, surpassing 2019's rate year-to-date. Committee members engaged in discussion regarding the concerning trend. (Slides distributed).
- 5) **CJC Meeting of the Whole – Virtual Town Hall – June 11, 2020 at 9am** – The Committee approved moving forward with hosting virtual community meeting on June 11, 2020.
- 6) **Any Other Business or Requests** – none noted.
- 7) **Adjourn** – meeting adjourned. Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, June 17, 2020, at 12:15pm via Zoom.