

SEXUAL OFFENDER MANAGEMENT BOARD

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Regular Meeting Minutes

May 9, 2014
Idaho Department of Correction
Board Room, 3rd Floor
1299 N. Orchard, Boise, ID

Members present:

Shane Evans, Chair
Jon Burnham
Paula Garay
Kimberly Simmons

Jeff Betts
Jean Fisher
Christina Iverson

Others Present:

Kathy Baird, Management Assistant
Karin Magnelli, IDOC Deputy Attorney General

Maria Young, Administrative Assistant

Excused:

Dolly Bedal, Chad Huff, Michael Johnston

- I. Call to Order
 - Chairman Evans called the full-board meeting to order at 09:21 a.m.
 - II. Approval of board meeting minutes

Mr. Burnham motioned to approve minutes from the April 18, 2014 board meeting. Seconded by Mr. Betts; motion carried unanimously.
 - III. Old Business
 - Presentation for annual Sheriff's Association conference in July
 - ◆ Registration proposal
 - ◆ Will hold preliminary presentations with interested parties including Idaho State Police – Bureau of Criminal Investigations
 - Propose statutory language changes during the next legislative session
 - ◆ Request time with the Prosecutor's Conference
 - August may be full, will attempt to schedule time by February
 - ◆ Request time with District Judges Conference in September
 - ◆ Request time with Felony Sentencing Committee
 - ◆ Request time with Idaho Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers this fall
 - ◆ Idaho Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers Conference
 - May be held in August and will request time
 - ◆ Request a meeting with Victim Advocate Groups
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- Professional Development contract has been forwarded for signature
 - ◆ 1 year – 5 workshops to start, remaining workshops on contract in coming months
 - ◆ Establish a calendar to accommodate more as they are developed
 - ◆ Include “train-the-trainer” class
 - ◆ Request funding to continue through FY 2015
- Provider Workshop – June 5, 2014
 - ◆ Reviewed draft presentation with full board
 - Send any recommendations to Ms. Baird
 - Points of interest
 - ⊕ Polygraph providers
 - ⊕ Working with treatment providers and probation and parole
 - ⊕ Clinical elements of treatment
 - ⊕ Progress reports
 - ⊕ Evaluations
 - Challenges
 - Quality Assurance
 - Chairman Evans will moderate round-table discussions
 - Mr. Burnham will present evaluation piece including the emerging science and how the evaluation should drive treatment as well as evaluating risk
 - Treatment – Identification of risk factors drives treatment
 - Consult with Probation and Parole managers
 - ⊕ Risk-based supervision
 - ⊕ How all the elements fit together
 - Statements of Risk in evaluations

IV. Juvenile Standards

- Introduction and Overview
 - ◆ Address blended sentences and how evaluations are completed on those juveniles
 - Evaluators know what instruments to use for each population
 - Ms. Nancy Bishop is redrafting blended sentencing for the Idaho Criminal Justice Commission Juvenile sub-committee
 - ◆ Court retains jurisdiction on juveniles until age 21
 - ◆ Ongoing services are provided by Health & Welfare
 - ◆ Juvenile offenders and their victims are often family
 - Should the offender be allowed to return to the same home where the victim resides?
 - Evidence-based best practice indicates it is generally in the best interest of the juvenile to return to the home when practicable; however, protection of the victim is always the first priority
- Evaluations and Evaluators
 - ◆ Very similar to Adult standards
- These two drafts and related forms/documents will be posted to SOMB’s website for public review now

V. Executive Session

Ms. Fisher motioned to enter executive session, citing I.C. 67-2345(1)(d) at 11:26 a.m. Seconded by Ms. Simmons; motion carried unanimously.

VI. Regular Session
Ms. Simmons motioned to return to regular session at 11:30 a.m. Seconded by Ms. Fisher; motion carried unanimously.

VII. SOMB Certified Post Conviction Sex Offender Polygraph Examiner
Mr. Betts motioned to approve the application of Kirk Nelson. Ms. Fisher seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

SOMB Certified Sex Offender Treatment Provider
Ms. Fisher motioned to approve the application of Michelle Suarez, LMSW for Provisional Level Treatment Provider certification. Mr. Betts seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

SOMB Certified Sex Offender Treatment Provider
Ms. Fisher motioned to approve the application of Gayle “Chip” Snowden, PhD for Senior Level Treatment Provider certification. Mr. Burnham seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

SOMB Certified Sex Offender Treatment Provider
Mr. Burnham motioned to approve the application of Blair Garner, LCSW for Senior Level Treatment Provider certification. Mr. Betts seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

SOMB Certified Evaluator
Ms. Fisher motioned to approve the Senior Level Psychosexual Evaluator certification application for Blair Garner, LCSW. Mr. Betts seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

SOMB Certified Evaluator
Ms. Garay motioned to approve the Senior Level Psychosexual Evaluator certification application for Linda Hatzenbuehler, PhD. Ms. Simmons seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

SOMB Certified Evaluator
Ms. Simmons motioned to approve the Provisional Level Psychosexual Evaluator certification application for Marcus Golder, LMSW. Mr. Burnham seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

Ms. Garay recused from discussion and vote.

SOMB Certified Evaluator
Ms. Simmons motioned to approve the Senior Level Psychosexual Evaluator certification application for Gayle “Chip” Snowden, PhD. Mr. Betts seconded the motion. All members present voted aye.

- VIII. Final Discussion
- Board meetings will continue to be the 2nd Friday of each month for the remainder of this calendar year
 - Website is being updated
 - ◆ Certification applications are online for applicants to print and complete
 - ◆ Ms. Iverson received feedback on Voice Stress Analysis Testing
 - Judge Wood will forward concerns to SOMB
 - ◆ Questions still arriving about the use of plethysmograph

- Include in FAQ's on website
- Ms. Dawn Peck will not be available to attend an SOMB meeting until August
 - ◆ Ms. Baird will schedule a brief meeting to discuss fiscal impact of proposed registration changes

IX. Adjournment

Ms. Simmons motioned to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Mr. Burnham; motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

Submitted:

Maria Young, Administrative Assistant