

MEETING MINUTES

Committee	Utah Substance Abuse and Mental Health Advisory Council Review of Substance Use, Mental Health and Related Legislation
Date	Monday, January 25, 2021
Time	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Location	Zoom virtual meeting
Members Present	Commissioner Jess Anderson, Anna Fondano (for Janae Duncan), Dr. Karen Buchi, Ciara Gregovich (for Daniel Burton), Dennis Cecchini, Santiago Cortez, Commissioner Bill Cox, Patrick Fleming, Brent Kelsey, Clarissa Stebbing, Judge Mary Manley, Mary Jo McMillen, Deborah Kreeck Mendez, Kimberly Meyers, Eric Clarke, Nate Winters (for Brett Peterson), Mike Haddon (for Carrie Cochran), Rob Timmerman, Carlene Walker, Rob Wesemann, Sherri Wittwer, Sigrid Nolte, Christina Zidow, Nubia Pena
Members Excused	Judge James Blanch, Dr. Michael Crookston, Tom Ross, Catherine Dupont, Mark Foote, M.D., Mayor Howard Madsen, Diane Moore, , Brian Nielson, Doug Thomas, Judge Vernice Trease
Guests	Jeannie Edens, Tim Whalen, Kim Gibb, Emma Chacon, Seth Huxford (intern from AG's office), Amanda Alkema, Randy Huntington, Claudia Lao, Emma Schulte, Senator Thatcher, Richard Nance, Dr. Nanci Klein, Gray Ortis, Evan Done, Teresa Brechlin, Katherine Rhodes
Staff	Elizabeth Klc, Diana Delafuente Bartley, Collett Litchard, Joél Arvizo-Savala
Agenda Item	Welcome, Introductions and Roll Call
Notes	Patrick Fleming welcomed everyone to the meeting.
Agenda Item	Review of 2021 Legislative Session Bills
Notes	<p>H.B. 11 – Department of Human Services Budgetary Procedures Amendments (Norman Thurston). <i>Discussion:</i> The Council will continue to hold and look for guidance from Dept of Human Services</p> <p>H.B. 15 – Controlled Substance Amendments (Ray Ward) <i>Discussion:</i> Amendments were discussed and don't make substantive changes and the Council will continue to support.</p> <p>1st Sub H.B. 20 – Driving Under the Influence Sentencing Amendments (Steve Eliason) <i>Motion:</i> Carlene Walker made a motion to Hold H.B.20. The motion was seconded by Santiago Cortez and passed unanimously.</p> <p>Daniel Thatcher joined the meeting to talk about Bill 988 - National legislation on the mental health crisis. He spoke briefly on what it will do, challenges, funding and support from the USAAV+ Council. He is looking to launch this initiative in 2022.</p>

988 – Mental Health Crisis Assistance (Daniel Thatcher)

*Motion: Dennis Cecchini made a motion to **Support (PRIORITY)** H.B.988. The motion was seconded by Patrick Fleming and passed unanimously.*

1st Sub H.B. 33 – Community Correctional Center Amendments (Calvin Musselman)

*Discussion: Patrick Fleming as chair directed to **Hold** H.B. 33 for council to review and readdress next week.*

H.B. 34 – Medical Respite Care Pilot Program (Ray Ward)

*Motion: Santiago Cortez made a motion to **Support** H.B.34. The motion was seconded by Mary McMillen and passes unanimously.*

H.B. 44 – CCJJ Reporting Requirement (Kelly Miles)

*Motion: Dennis Cecchini made a motion to **Hold** H.B.44. The motion was seconded by Santiago Cortez and passed unanimously.*

H.B. 47 – DUI Revisions (Steve Eliason)

*Discussion: Continue to **Hold***

H.B. 59 – Law Enforcement Investigation Amendments (Andrew Stoddard)

*Discussion: **Beyond Scope***

H.B. 62 – Post Certification Amendments (Andrew Stoddard)

Motion: One of the police reform bills that the Council will track

H.B. 66 – Sheriffs Amendments (Casey Snider)

*Discussion: **Hold** until next week to hear from CCJJ*

H.B. 73 – Drug Testing Amendments (Christine Watkins)

*Motion: Nate Winters made a motion to **Support** H.B.73. The motion was seconded by Brent Kelsey and passed unanimously.*

Abstention – Judge Mary Manley

H.B. 76 – Firearm Preemption Amendments (Cory Maloy)

*Discussion: Chair Patrick Fleming directed to **Hold** H.B.76 for Kim Meyers to review and report back.*

H.B. 85 – Controlled Substance Database Access Amendments (Craig Hall)

*Discussion: **Hold** while Elizabeth Klc reaches out to Representative DOPL to get their position, and figure out some underlying motivations.*

H.B. 88 – Diversion Fees Amendments (Andrew Stoddard)

*Motion: Santiago Cortez made a motion to **Hold** H.B.88. The motion was seconded by Nate Winters and passed unanimously. Deborah Kreck Mendez will review and report back.*

H.B. 103 – Retaliation & Obstruction of Justice Amendments (Craig Hall)

Discussion: Wait to hear from CCJJ

H.B. 110 – Health Care Payment Amendments (Mike Winder)

*Discussion: Continue to **Hold** H.B. 110. Elizabeth Klc will work with Katherine Rhodes and follow up with the sponsor.*

H.B. 116 – Student Attendance Amendments (Adam Robertson)

*Motion: Kim Meyers made a motion to **Support** H.B.116. The motion was seconded by Rob Timmerman and passed unanimously.*

H.B. 125 – Intergenerational Poverty Solution (Norm Thurston)

*Motion: Santiago Cortez made a motion to **Hold** H.B.125. The motion was seconded by Rob Timmerman and passed unanimously.*

H.B. 130 – Mental Health Coverage Amendments (Christine Watkins)

*Motion: Brent Kelsey made a motion to **Support (PRIORITY)**. The motion was seconded by Santiago Cortez and passed unanimously.*

H.B. 143 – Driver License Suspension Amendments (Cory Maloy)

*Motion: Carlene Walker made a motion to **Oppose** H.B.143. The motion was seconded by Santiago Cortez and passed unanimously.*

H.B. 146 – Overdose Prevention Sites (Jen Dailey-Provost)

*Motion: Rob Timmerman made a motion to **Hold** H.B.146. The motion was seconded by Dennis Cecchini and passed unanimously.*

Elizabeth Klc, Patrick Fleming, Santiago Cortez and Rob Timmerman will meet with the sponsor to get input.

H.B. 148 – Alcohol Education Amendments (Jeffery Stenquist)

*Motion: Rob Timmerman made a motion to **Support in Concept** H.B. 148. The motion was seconded by Brent Kelsey and passes unanimously.*

H.B. 154 – Use of Force (Kera Birkeland)

*Motion: Carlene Walker made a motion to **Oppose** H.B.154. The motion was seconded by Patrick Fleming*

(Oppose to Motion – Deborah Kreeck Mendez, Dennis Cecchini)

(Abstention – Santiago Cortez)

***Clarissa Stebbing abstained from voting on all bills*

Below bills might be of interest in the future:

Alcoholic Beverage Control Funding Mechanism Amendments (*Business and Labor Interim Committee*)

Medical Cannabis Revision (*Jen Dailey-Provost*)

Involuntary Commitment Amendments (*Jen Dailey-Provost*)

	<p>Early Childhood Mental Health Amendments <i>(Steve Eliason)</i> Law Enforcement Training Amendments <i>(Karen Kwan)</i> Education and Mental Health Coordinating Council <i>(Val Peterson)</i> Pretrial Amendments <i>(Stephanie Pitcher)</i> Sentence Modifications Amendments <i>(Stephanie Pitcher)</i> Inmate Reporting Requirements. <i>(Stephanie Pitcher)</i> Civil Commitment and Competency Amendments <i>(Paul Ray)</i> State Agency Realignment. <i>(Paul Ray)</i> Health Insurance for Early Intervention Services <i>(Paul Ray)</i> Youth Residential Treatment Center Standards <i>(Paul Ray)</i> Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice Amendments <i>(Lowry Snow)</i> Limited Drivers License Amendments <i>(Andrew Stoddard)</i> Post-Retirement Mental Health Coverage for First Responders <i>(Steve Waldrip)</i> Mental Health Wellbeing in Schools Pilot Program <i>(Christine Watkins)</i> Alcoholic Beverage Control Age Verification Requirements <i>(Jake Anderegg)</i> Health Departments Review Task Force <i>(Jake Anderegg)</i> Law Enforcement Data Management Requirements <i>(Jake Anderegg)</i> Data Collection and Management Act <i>(Jake Anderegg)</i> To Go Beverage Service Amendments <i>(Derek Kitchen)</i> Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control Amendments <i>(Jerry Stevenson)</i> Medical Cannabis Act Amendments <i>(Evan Vickers)</i> Expungement Amendments <i>(Todd Weiler)</i> 988 Mental Health Crisis Assistance <i>(Daniel Thatcher)</i></p>
Agenda Item	Other Business
Notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Patrick Fleming spoke briefly on the Utah Social Services Consolidation Movement. The consolidation movement has been proposed and legislation implementation is set for July 2021. - Santiago Cortez recommended that the council members review and come back next week for discussion. - Elizabeth Klc will email more information to members to review.
Agenda Item	Adjourn
Notes	Meeting adjourned
Next Meeting	The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 8, 2021 from 10:00-11:30 a.m.