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**MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON DISABILITY
THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 2018
10:00 A.M.
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
200 LINCOLN AVENUE, SANTA FE, N.M.**

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: FOR THE MAY 17, 2018 MEETING
5. PUBLIC COMMENTS (15 MIN. TOTAL)
6. NEW BUSINESS – DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION
 - a) SOLACE CRISIS TREATMENT CENTER – GERMAINE MITCHELL
 - b) REPORTING ACCESSIBLE PARKING VIOLATIONS – NOEL CORREIA
 - c) STATE OF NEW MEXICO ACCESSIBLE PARKING CHECKLIST – NOEL CORREIA
 - d) SOUTHSIDE TRANSIT CENTER UPDATE – KEITH WILSON
 - e) SHERIDAN BUS STATION UPDATE – KEITH WILSON
7. OLD BUSINESS
 - a) MCD SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS
 - b) MCD BROCHURE DISTRIBUTION - AURORE BLECK

ITEMS FROM MEMBERS AND STAFF (3 MINUTES)

8. ADJOURN

NEXT MEETING JULY 19, 2018

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN NEED OF ACCOMMODATIONS, CONTACT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT 955-6520, FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO MEETING DATE.

THIS IS A FRAGRANCE FREE MEETING

**Please notify Aurore Bleck, Chair at (505)473-2060 and/or Daniel Fernandez, ADA Coordinator/Liaison, at (505)955-6612 if you are unable to attend.

SUMMARY OF ACTION
MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON DISABILITY
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THURSDAY JUNE 21, 2018, 10:00 AM**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Mayors Committee on Disability was called to order by Aurore Bleck, Chair at 10:00 am, on Thursday, June 21, 2018, at the City Council Chambers, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

2. ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT

Aurore Bleck, Chair
Dave McQuarie, Vice Chair, Telephonically
Michael Wirtz
(3 vacancies)

MEMBERS ABSENT

Kathlyne Gish, Excused
Nancy Pieters, Excused
Meriam Jawhar, Excused

OTHERS PRESENT

Daniel Fernandez, ADA Coordinator
Victor Hughes
Noel Correia, Parking Director
Keith Wilson, Transit Director
Germaine Mitchell, Solace
Elizabeth Martin, Stenographer

There was not a quorum present. No action was taken.

3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
MAY 17, 2018**

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

6. NEW BUSINESS - DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

A. SOLACE CRISIS TREATMENT CENTER

Germaine Mitchell, Director of Development, Solace Crisis Treatment Center

Ms. Mitchell said Solace is concerned about every individual in Santa Fe County. The disabled are twice as likely to be abused or assaulted in the community. We are trying to find ways to reach out and let you know about our no cost services. Please share this information. She handed out a fact sheet which is incorporated herewith into these minutes as Exhibit "1".

Ms. Mitchell asked would you consider including Solace in your resource guide.

Chair Bleck said we would be glad to.

Ms. Mitchell said we used to be called the Rape Crisis Center, but we also have a clinical side, a therapist, a drug and alcohol program and do outreach to schools talking about prevention.

Chair Bleck asked do the police or other agencies refer to you.

Ms. Mitchell said the police share a space with us. They are housed in our facility and we have a nurse who does the rape kits. We would love to have this Committee come and do a tour of our facility.

Chair Bleck said she was sure many members would be interested. We are happy to know about you. We will put you in our resource brochure.

Mr. Wirtz asked what if any relationship do you have with DACA.

Ms. Mitchell said only that we cross paths.

B. REPORTING ACCESSIBLE PARKING VIOLATIONS

Noel Correia, City of Santa Fe, Parking Director

Mr. Correia said we reviewed all the ADA spaces we have and some were not up to code. The needed white stripes and the doors in the garages needed to be brought up to code. We are waiting for our new budget cycle to start to get paint and to have the overtime monies for our staff to work on this. This kind of work gets done in the evenings as long as there is daylight. We added spaces in the garages where we had

deficiencies and were not meeting standards and code. Now we are at or above code. In the Convention Center garage we removed all the ADA spaces on the 2nd level and moved them all up to the first level and split them up between the 2 elevator areas. Thank you Daniel for all your help.

Mr. Correia said also Daniel forwarded to him a link to other cities who have ventured into having the ability for citizens to report directly to the Parking Division when they see ADA spaces abused. We have budgeted for this program in the budget that begins on July 1, 2018 and are going to set this up with a link directly to our Supervisor of Enforcement. It will show up on the electronic handhelds so they can immediately respond. This will help us tremendously. We will fine offenders at \$250.

Mr. Correia said we will also put up signs letting citizens know of that ability to report.

Chair Bleck asked might the sign also say something like telling the person taking the picture where to send it.

Mr. Correia said yes, that will be on the sign along with a bar code that they can take a picture of on a smart phone camera.

Mr. Wirtz asked how serious is the problem.

Mr. Correia said it is very serious. Right now we do not get reports from citizens, but we will with this new system. We do receive reports from officers patrolling the streets. They take pictures to show that no placard is shown.

Chair Bleck said that is great. They are currently giving citations, right.

Mr. Correia said absolutely.

Chair Bleck asked will this only work for public spaces.

Mr. Correia said for motels and hotels and most grocery stores their managers do call us and we do go on private property on a complaint basis.

Chair Bleck asked so when a picture is taken and sent in that will constitute a complaint.

Mr. Correia said yes.

Mr. Wirtz asked how do you determine how many ADA parking spaces are needed.

Mr. Correia said there are codes. The Parking Division is not involved in the

construction or building of private buildings. The builders have to put in the appropriate ADA spaces. They go through the City permitting process.

C. STATE OF NEW MEXICO ACCESSIBLE PARKING CHECKLIST

Mr. Fernandez said in the packet is the check list and it shows how the number of the ADA required spaces are calculated.

Mr. McQuarie said he has a question about layouts and what is required in parking areas. He would like to see City guidelines being used.

Mr. Correia said the Parking Division cannot dictate to private properties. Land Use is the department for that. We are following the State requirements. If there are deficiencies we are in the process of taking care of that.

Mr. Correia said having a qualified ADA Coordinator really helps. That is not to say that David Chapman did not do a good job. He was having to do 2 jobs.

Chair Bleck said thank you for the update and we look forward to hearing about the progress.

D. SOUTHSIDE TRANSIT CENTER UPDATE

Keith Wilson, City of Santa Fe, Transit Department Director.

Mr. Wilson said currently the Southside Transit Center is located at Santa Fe Place Mall. For a number of years we been working on a new site and that has been identified. It will be on Camino Entrada. We have 100% completed design plans for the project. Daniel and Dave reviewed the plans in January of this year and provided us with a memo of issues they saw regrading ADA. They have been incorporated into the design plan and he will make sure before we go to bid that they are all addressed. We still need and environmental clearance for the project and need to complete the process for obtaining funding for the project. We are working with the Engineering Division on the adjacent intersection to do design work which creates an ADA accessible pathway from the Transit Center to Cerrillos Road. We have funding for both projects. We don't have a schedule at this time. We hope to get the Transit Center piece out to bid by late summer. It will be a 6 month process for construction.

Mr. McQuarie said the Plan Review Committee asked to do a plan review on the current plan for both these projects. We have not seen the new plans. Let's you, him and Daniel sit down and talk about it and about traffic control.

Mr. Wilson said that is fine. We will do what we are supposed to do.

E SHERIDAN BUS STATION UPDATE

Mr. Wilson said on this we need to do a cultural study. Hopefully it will be out to bid by end of year. Once we make progress again he will coordinate with Dave and Daniel.

Chair Bleck said thank you for coming.

7. OLD BUSINESS

A. MCD SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Bleck said at the Transportation Advisory Board meeting they said if a nonprofit gets the management of the Los Alamos Labs, we will lose a lot of GRT money that comes to transportation.

Mr. Wilson said they are calling themselves a nonprofit. It is a combination of 3 universities. Their nonprofit status is being looked at. It impacts us with GRT. The status and how it will effect us is unclear at this time. Last year the Legislature passed legislation that nonprofits pays GRT. The Governor vetoed it. It will come back up again this year.

Plan Review Committee. Mr. McQuarie said he and Daniel met at end of our last meeting with Dave Quintana. Since then Daniel and Dave Quintana have been to several of the sites in question.

Mr. Fernandez said Mr. McQuarie had valid input on his original complaint. He and Dave Quintana are in the process of putting together a response to his original complaint. We will be clarifying the access routes that he brought forth. We will have a report by end of this week hopefully.

Mr. McQuarie said he wants to meet with the Public Works Director and the Mayor to talk about current practices.

Mr. Fernandez said the new Director of Public Works will begin in July. Regina Wheeler is her name.

Transportation. Chair Bleck said Transit has been approved in the next budget for additional drivers. They are short currently on drivers. They are unable to give rides on demand right now, but are able to offer rides with a 24 hour request ahead of time.

B. MCD BROCHURE DISTRIBUTION

This item was tabled to the next meeting when more members are present.


8. ITEMS FROM THE COMMITTEE


Mr. Fernandez said he spoke to Matt Ross and hopefully by next week a press release will be out for the vacant positions on the Committee.

**9. NEXT MEETING
JULY 19, 2018**

10. ADJOURN

There being no further business before the Committee the meeting adjourned at 10:50 am.


Aurore Bleck, Chair


Elizabeth Martin, Stenographer



SOLACE

CRISIS TREATMENT CENTER

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FACT SHEET

History:

Began in 1973 as **Santa Fe Rape Crisis Center**, Non-profit status received In 1976

Wrap Around Service Location In 2003, Expanded Mission in 2005

Changed Name to **Solace Crisis Treatment Center** in 2009

Gained Accreditation from The National Children's Alliance in 2009

Celebrated 45th Anniversary in October 2017

Services Provided:

Special Victims Unit & Family Advocacy

Complex Trauma Therapeutic Clinical Services

Education and Prevention

Clinical Services:

No Cost

Crisis Stabilization & Complex Trauma Treatment To All Sexual Assault Survivors

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy

Referrals

Collaboration

- Time Limited
- Emphasis on Symptom Reduction
Through assessments for PTSD, Depression and Anxiety
- Homework/Skill Maintenance
- Resiliency

How To Make A Referral:

- Referring Entity Can Call or Have The Client Call **800.721.7273**

Another Way To Access Services:

- Walk-Ins 9 a.m.-3 p.m. (5pm) Monday thru Friday (For Treatment)
- Walk-Ins 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday thru Friday (For Advocacy)
- 24/7 Crisis Advocacy Hotline **800.721.7273**

EXHIBIT "1"

Confidential Clinical Services

No Cost To Clients

Assessments

Tools for Stress Management

Short term Cognitive Behavioral Therapy

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- Emphasis on Symptom Reduction Through Assessments for PTSD, Depression and Anxiety
- Homework/Skill Building
- Strength Based

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Education and Prevention

Our primary prevention programming works in the schools from 4th grade through college on individual, community, and policy initiatives to create a culture of consent. Our programming changes culture by addressing three (3) major areas:

- harmful myths about sexual violence which lead to victim blaming, secrecy, and shame;
- rigid gender norms, and the ways in which we are punished for not living exactly inside the man or woman box; and
- systems of oppression that continue to normalize and excuse sexual violence as someone else's problem, instead of creating community responsibility- the idea that preventing sexual violence starts with all of us.

We strongly believe that together we can create a community free of sexual violence, and our rigorous program evaluation is proving just that. According to the youth risk and resiliency survey, forced sex among young people went from 10.0 to 6.5 % between 2013 and 2015. Beyond that, every time we work with young people, we get to witness their understandings around consent and every person's right to respect grow beyond many adults'. We are working toward a world in which no one will have to say me too!