



STATE OF GEORGIA

Division of Family and Children Services

Nathan Deal
Governor

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Director

MINUTES OF THE AUGUST MEETING
CLAYTON COUNTY DFCS
BOARD MEMBERS

August 23, 2017 * 9:30 am * Clayton County DFCS

Present: Tia Simon (Board Chairperson), Keisha Wright Hill (Vice-Chairperson), Quen Howard (Board Member), LaSondra Howard-Boddie (Interim County Director), Deneka Manning (County Deputy Director) Barbra Pulliam (Board Member) Regina Jackson (Interim Administrative Assist).

Meeting called to order at 9:56 AM

No audience, public participation.

Invocation by Quen Howard

Minutes from last meeting held on July 26, 2017 has been approved.

Program Reports by LaSondra Howard-Boddie:

- Social Services Reports- 14 kids was brought into the agency in one week, where we had to assist the families 7 kids both families.
- Rainbow House Report shows 13 children was served for the month in Clayton County.
- Cases has dropped dramatically.
- OFI is asked to have a representative for next board meeting.

Eligibility Report by Ashely Stalling: Not present (In training).

Executive Session (Order to move into Executive Session ordered by Board Chairperson, Deborah Lazarus):

- Interviews are being conducted for CPS Supervisors
- New County Director is set to start on October 1, 2017
- LaSondra Howard-Boddie will continue as Interim County Director until new County Director is in place to start.

Other Matters:

- Barbra Pulliam inquired about resignations and new hires.
- Interim County Director Mrs. Howard-Boddie confirmed that new hires are in the academy and getting for the field.
- Ms. Manning spoke on having security by the Sheriff Office and was asking the board to take lead for having such, which the board agreed to speak on our behalf of Clayton to have an armed guard present on the premises.
- Budget approval is in extreme need of an approval letter
- Tanf building mold has been treated however issue maybe reoccurant and may have structure issues.

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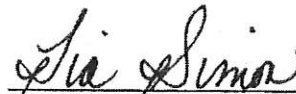
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- Due to these issues DFCS asked for quality air test to be done, there are no results as of today.
- There is a County Maintenance Meeting @DFCS 8/24/17 @2:30pm
- Fall Festival for RD was discussed which board decided that DFCS should team up with Sheriff Hill to tag along with big Fall Festival at the courthouse.
- Dr. Pulliam will take lead on the behalf of DFCS.

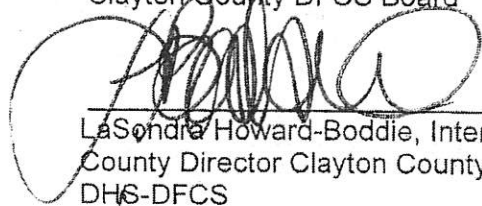
Next Board Meeting scheduled for September 27, 2017 at 9:30am

Meeting adjourned at 11:00 am.
Attachments:

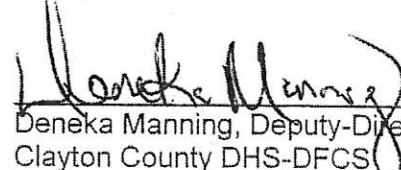
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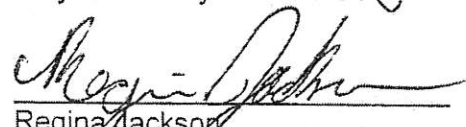
Tia Simon, Chairperson
Clayton County DFCS Board



LaSondra Howard-Boddie, Interim
County Director Clayton County
DHS-DFCS



Deneka Manning, Deputy-Director
Clayton County DHS-DFCS



Regina Jackson
Interim Administrative Assistance