

## LINCOLN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES YOUTH JUSTICE COLLABORATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES Tuesday, March 12, 2024 1:00p.m. LINCOLN COUNTY SERVICE CENTER – ROOM 156

MEMBERS:				
X SOCIAL SERVICES	X LCHD	□ TB SCOTT LIBRARY	🗆 AWARE & ACTI	VE CITIZENS
□ HAVEN	X MAPS	□ KINSHIP OF TOMAHAWK	🗆 CHILDREN'S W	T
X BBBS X BOYS & GIRLS CLUB	X NCHC	X SCHOOL DISTRICT OF TOMAHAWK	MERRILL MEN	FORING
PARTNERS:	X TPD	□ LISO X DISTRICT	ATTORNEY	X PUBLIC DEFENDERS OFFICE

**COMMUNITY PARTICIPANTS:** 

## **PRESENT:**

Jessi Rumsey, Mickala Ferge, Sofia Widowski, Erica Madden, Brett Susa, Wendy Simonis, Stacy Bolder, Sheri Woodall, Becky Byer, Sam Zoellner, Brad Potter, Amber DeRizzo, Jessica Fehrenbach, Lexi Buntrock, Sara Klebenow, Kari Entenmann

Agenda Item	Lead	Discussion Summary	Follow-Up		
				Who is Responsible?	Targeted Completion
Call to order	Rumsey	Rumsey called the meeting to order at 1:05pm. 16 people attended.			
Approval of Minutes 2/13/2024	Group	Minutes approved by Rumsey, second by Widowski, all ayes, minutes approved.			

AMC Updates	Group	<ul> <li>Large discussion on how to navigate AMC through court and the frustration with how long it is taking.</li> <li>Oneida &amp; Langlade Counties do not do JIPS – what is their solution?</li> <li>Taylor County has the same process as Lincoln – they will send an example of the conditions that they use.</li> <li>If the school does not pursue AMC/Truancy referrals, the districts report card, graduation rates and truancy rates drastically drop.</li> <li>Larger counties are contracted with other agencies to work with truant kids but Lincoln County does not have these services available. The lack of resources in Lincoln County is the reason why we cannot implement these plans.</li> <li>Conversation with group on specific cases that have been brought to court. Can Fehrenbach send an email to the school about the conversations discussed with the family? This may help to know what was tried and what failed with families.</li> <li>Release of Information will need to be signed between the school and Public Defender's Office.</li> </ul>			
Review Guiding Principles 2023-24	Group	No discussion – pushed to next meeting.	Review at next meeting.	Group	4/9/24
Upcoming Programming/ Program Updates	Group	ART training occurred and 6 from Tomahawk Schools and 1 from NCHC attended.There will be an Adult Mental Health First Aide Training in Merrill 4/1/2024 from 8am – 4:30pm and in Tomahawk 5/8 & 5/10/2024 from 1:30 – 4:30pm Boys & Girls Club will have summer programming for grades 4 – 12, \$30 for the whole summer NCHC is not taking new patients from most partners at this time. Rooted in Recovery is taking people. Center for Well Being has a 1-2 month wait. ART at Merrill High School is going really well.			
Set next meeting date	Group	Tuesday, April 9, 2024 at 1:00pm. Lincoln County Service Center Room 156 and virtually.			
Adjourn	Group	Meeting adjourned at 2:42pm.			

Minutes prepared by Erica Madden/Stefanie Kaminski.