

**MINUTES OF THE
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE
MONDAY, MAY 12, 2014**

At a meeting of the **Health and Human Services Committee**, held Monday, May 12, 2014, in the Board Room, on the 9th Floor of the Administration Building, Mount Clemens, the following members were present:

Moceri-Chair, Boyle-Vice-Chair, Klinefelt, Mijac, Miller and Sauger.

Absent and excused was Tocco (family funeral).

Other Commissioners also present: Vosburg.

There being a quorum of the committee present, Chair Moceri called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

AGENDA

MOTION

A motion was made by Sauger, supported by Miller, to adopt the agenda, as presented.
The Motion Carried.

HEALTH

**Biannual Status from Macomb County Medical Examiner's Office/
Presentation by Dr. Daniel Spitz**

**Status of NAME Accreditation
Mid-Year Status on the Medical Examiner's Office Operations
Preliminary Recommendations and Considerations for FY 2015 Budget**

Dr. Daniel Spitz provided an overview of the 2013 Annual Report and noted that the report lists statistics and reveals trends, which allows for interested parties, the Board and County Executive, and other agencies to be aware of this information.

He updated committee on the process made so far toward achieving national accreditation; an application was submitted in April and they are anticipating a site visit within the next several months for evaluation of the office and processes.

The following commissioners spoke: Klinefelt, Moceri, Mijac, Vosburg and Miller.

Steve Gold, Director of Health and Community Services, commented on the County's response to the serious heroin issue that is affecting every community across the

country. He said the County supports null-lock-zone legislation, but noted that the long term solution lies in prevention and treatment resources.

MOTION

A motion was made by Miller, supported by Klinefelt, to receive and file the report provided on the Macomb County Medical Examiner's Office. **The Motion Carried.**

SENIORS

Discussion on FY 2014 AAA 1-B Funding for Resource Advocacy (RA) and Adult Day Health Service (ADHS)

Community Services Agency Director Rhonda Powell presented a description of the funding for these programs.

The following commissioners spoke: Mocerri and Miller.

MOTION

A motion was made by Mijac, supported by Miller, to receive and file the overview provided by Ms. Powell. **The Motion Carried.**

HHS COMMITTEE CHAIR ITEMS

Chair Mocerri referred to the Michigan League for Public Policy reports that were provided for informational purposes and noted that Shannon Nobles, their Outreach Specialist, will be at Wednesday's Finance Committee meeting to provide an informational presentation.

NEW BUSINESS

Chair Mocerri stated that the June meeting has been cancelled and there will be an additional meeting in July for budget reviews.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION

A motion was made by Boyle, supported by Klinefelt, to adjourn the meeting at 10 a.m. **The Motion Carried.**



Corinne Bedard
Committee Reporter