

AGENDA

Monroe County Substance Abuse Policy Advisory Board

The Harvey Government Center – BOCC Meeting Room, 2nd Floor

Monday, November 27, 2017 – 10:00 A.M.

1. Call to Order
 - a. Salute to Flag
 - b. Introduction of Board and Announcement of any Affiliations with Applicant Organizations
 - c. Election of Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson
 - d. Public Comment*
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of August 22, 2016 Minutes
4. Bob Shillinger - Discussion of the opioid crisis in Monroe County and input regarding potential litigation brought by Monroe County against opioid manufacturers and distributors.
 - a. The County Attorney has been approached by a law firm seeking to be engaged by the County to represent it in litigation against opioid manufacturers and distributors. Counties throughout Florida report receiving similar solicitations from approximately 15 firms. Generally, these cases would seek to recover money spent to cover the increased costs associated with responding to opioid cases such as those costs incurred by emergency medical service providers, the criminal justice system, and the medical examiner. The County Attorney is seeking input from this board on the impact that the opioid crisis has had on Monroe County so he can prepare a recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners on whether to pursue this matter further. Attached as background is the introductory letter from the firm of Napoli Shkolnik PLLC as well as some information on the proposed litigation provided by that firm.
5. Presentation by Project Directors and/or Representatives. Proposals received:

<u>Proposals</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Key Bridge-Substance Abuse Treatment for Monroe County Residents ages 10-16	\$6,500.00
Samuel's House-Court Mandated Criminal/Substance Abuse Case Management	\$37,086.40
Guidance/Care Center-Women's Jail Incarceration Drug Abuse Treatment Program	\$63,052.02
Florida Keys Children's Shelter-All Stars Community Based Substance Abuse Program	\$15,110.00
Guidance/Care Center-The Heron-Assisted Living Prevents Recidivism	\$42,883.00
Total Requested	<u>\$164,631.42</u>

**Any person that wishes to be heard on any agenda item shall notify administrative staff prior to the start of the meeting.*

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6. Discussion of applications and approval of funding recommendations to the BOCC:
 - **SFY 2017 Byrne JAG County-wide allocation.** Monroe County anticipates receiving \$71,967 in Byrne JAG funds for FY2018.
 - **FY 2018 Drug Abuse Trust Fund.** Last year the SAPAB chose to use \$62,000 from this fund. There is approximately \$85,422 estimated for FY18. (Note: For the past several years SAPAB chose to use the DATF monies to supplement the funding from Byrne and allocated it using the same application and process. DATF monies are to be used for substance abuse treatment, prevention and/or education programs.)
7. Approval of a motion to proportionately distribute any excess or shortage of funds due to any changes made by the County Commission, FDLE, or applicant, after SAPAB approval of recommendations, for FY2017-18 Byrne JAG funds.
8. Other Business as appropriate.
9. Adjournment

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