

WASHOE REGIONAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH POLICY BOARD

AGENDA

DATE: July 14th, 2025

TIME: 3:00 –Adjournment

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1.) Call to Order and Roll Call

(Chair Steve Shell)

Members: Steve Shell (**Chair**), Sandy Stamates, Dr. Kristen Davis-Coelho (**Vice-Chair**), Senator Angie Taylor, Dr. Chad Kingsley, Cindy Green, Dr. Traci Biondi, Frankie Lemus, Peter Ott, Jolene Dalluhn, Jennifer Rains, Sgt. Mike Morris and Cristin Uccelli. Quorum = 7

2.) Public comment: Public testimony under this agenda item may be presented by computer, phone, or written comment. Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this agenda item until scheduled on an agenda for a later meeting. Due to time considerations, each individual offering public comment will be limited to not more than three (3) minutes. To provide public comment via Zoom, log into the ZOOM webinar at the above link and utilize the “Raise Hand” feature during any public comment period. To provide public comment via telephone only, press *9 to “Raise Hand” and *6 to mute/unmute.

3.) For Possible Action: Approval of June 9th meeting minutes.
(Chair Shell, Policy Board Members).

4.) For Possible Action: Board membership discussion and vote.
(Chair Steve Shell, Policy Board Members)

- Vote to send a recommendation for the policy board membership renewal of Peter Ott to the Administrator of the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health.

NRS 433.429.7 (b) The Administrator shall appoint to each policy board: *One Member who represents the interests of administrators or counselors who are employed at facilities for the treatment of abuse of alcohol or drugs.*

- b) Vote to send a recommendation for the policy board membership renewal of Cindy Green to the Administrator of the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health.

NRS 433.429.7(c): *The Administrator shall appoint to each policy board (c): One member who represents providers of emergency medical services or fire services and who has experience providing emergency services to behavioral health patients, which may include, without limitation, a paramedic or physician*

5.) For Information Only: Legislation Panel

Panel of subject matter experts to discuss bills that have passed during the 83rd legislative session and the impact on agencies/individuals. (Chair Shell, Panel Participants, Board Members)

- **Dorothy Edwards**, Washoe Regional Behavioral Health Coordinator: NELIS overview
- **Donna Clontz**, Washoe Co Sr Adv Brd Member; Senior Coalition Washoe County Legislative Team
- **Stacey Lance**, Division Director, Washoe County Human Services Agency
- **Elizabeth Flores**, Director, Washoe County Juvenile Services
- **Jennifer Rains**, Washoe County Chief Deputy Public Defender
- **Dr. Laura Drucker**, Nevada Psychological Association Legislative Committee Co-Chair
- **Cherylyn Rahr-Wood**, Northern Regional Behavioral Health Coordinator
- **Valerie Cauhape**, Rural Regional Behavioral Health Coordinator

6.) Informational: Board membership Updates

(Chair Shell, Board Members)

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8.) Adjournment

(Chair Steve Shell)

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