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# 1) The Regular Board Meeting was called to order on Tuesday, June 27, 2023, at 5:21 p.m.

# 2) Roll Call

### **Board Members Present**

Liz Dahl – Linden Grove Barb Johnson – City of Orr Don Potter – Unorganized St. Louis County John Stegmeir – Kabetogama Wendy Long – Leiding Mike Enzmann – Field Marge Hyppa – Owens Shirley Conaway – Camp 5 Shirley Sanborn – Crane Lake Theresa Martinson - Angora

### **Board Members Absent/Excused**

Eric Pederson - City of Cook Kathy Weiand - Portage Karen Baxter – Unorganized St. Louis County Judy Pearson – Beatty Denise Parson – Willow Valley

### **Staff Members Present**

Teresa Debevec – CEO/Administrator Stephanie Maki – Human Resources Director Kaylee Hoard – CFO

# 3) Pledge of Allegiance

## 4) Approval of Minutes – 06/27/2023

• A <u>motion</u> was made by Barb Johnson, seconded by Marge Hyppa to approve the May 23, 2023, regular board meeting minutes as presented. All in favor.

The motion passed unanimously.

## 5) Administrators Report - Teresa Debevec

- Debevec provided a staffing update:
  - o The facility continues to recruit several positions.
  - o Currently we have travel staff in the Care Center, Hospital and Radiology.
  - We have hired a Nurse Manager in the Care Center; she will start in July.
  - o OnTrack students attended orientation and will begin training on the floor.
  - We have posted a Revenue Cycle Coordinator position.
- COVID Update No changes.
- The new maintenance garage is nearing completion.
- The Physician Assistant has begun working in the clinic.



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- Our 2023 PIPP plan has been accepted and incentive payments will begin in 2024.
- Minnesota Department of Health completed a survey on June 8, 2023, regarding our OnTrack program. It was found our program has met the requirements.
- Twin Ports Dermatology provided their schedule for 2024, they will be on-site once per month beginning May through October.

# 6) Committee Reports

### • Executive Committee – 06/27/2023 – Liz Dahl

- Two bids were received to fill our 500-gallon propane tank with a 1-year term. A recommendation was made by the Executive Committee to accept Como Fuel & Propane at a rate of \$1.479.
  - Como Fuel & Propane \$1.479
  - Superior Fuel \$1.499

# The motion passed unanimously

- o A pharmacy audit was conducted for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2023 by David Salo, all areas are in compliance.
- O Due to the upcoming marijuana legalization, Debevec has been in contact with an attorney to create policies and procedures.

### • Finance Committee – 06/27/2023 – Kaylee Hoard – Mike Enzmann

- o Financial Report Kaylee Hoard
  - Hoard provided the May 2023 financial report.
- o Capital Mike Enzmann
  - A recommendation was made by the Finance committee to approve the capital items:
    - Dietary walk-in refrigerator Not to exceed \$30,000.00.
    - Care Center Bathtub Not to exceed \$20,000.00.
    - Per Mar Panic Button upgrade Not to exceed \$10,000.00.

#### The motion passed unanimously

## • Credentialing Committee 06/21/2023 – Teresa Debevec – Action Needed

A motion was made by Wendy Long, seconded by Mike Enzmann to approve the credentialing reappointments.

Reappointments: Diane Conley, MD; Kelcey Elass, MD; Kevin McDonnell, MD;
 Toseef Khan, MD

## The motion passed unanimously



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# 7) New Business & Correspondence

## • Facility Assessment – Teresa Debevec

- o Debevec provided the changes to the Facility Assessment
  - The Director of Nursing was added.
  - Substance use disorder, behavioral health, dementia care, additional training items and specialized skills were added.

### • QAPI Policy - Teresa Debevec

- o Debevec provided an overview of the QAPI policy.
  - To demonstrate a consistent endeavor to assure delivery of quality of care to all patients and residents.
  - Continuously study and improve our processes and service delivery.
  - Take a proactive approach to improve our performance and focus on improving patient outcomes and the prevention of errors.
  - The Governing Body is responsible and accountable for oversight of the QAPI program.
  - In addition to actively participating, they delegate authority to the COO as the Quality Director and the CEO to establish, maintain and evaluate a QAPI plan.

# • <u>Credentialing – Teresa Debevec</u>

- o Debevec provided an overview of credentialing.
  - Credentialing is "the process of assessing and confirming the license or certification, education, training, and other qualifications or a licensed or certified healthcare practitioner."
  - Privileging is "the process of authorizing a healthcare practitioner's specific scope and content of patient care services."

# • Next Board Meeting - 07/25/2023

### • Questions or comments

# • Board Meeting Evaluations – Liz Dahl

o Provide meeting feedback to Debevec or Dahl

## • Adjourn - Liz Dahl

• At 5:59pm., a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Mike Enzmann.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Stephanie Maki, Human Resources Director – Approved by Teresa Debevec.