



## MINUTES

CUYAHOGA COUNTY JUSTICE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING  
FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2013  
CUYAHOGA COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR  
11:30 AM

1. CALL TO ORDER

**Chairwoman Simon called the meeting to order at 11:36 a.m.**

2. ROLL CALL

**Ms. Simon asked Assistant Deputy Clerk Carter to call the roll. Committee members Simon, Connally and Jones were in attendance and a quorum was determined.**

3. PUBLIC COMMENT RELATED TO THE AGENDA

**No public comments were given.**

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE DECEMBER 21, 2012 MEETING

**A motion was made by Ms. Connally, seconded by Mr. Jones and approved by unanimous vote to approve the minutes of the December 21, 2012 meeting.**

5. MATTERS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

- a) R2013-0007: A Resolution making awards on RQ21514 to various providers in the total amount not-to-exceed \$2,700,000.00 for residential treatment services for the Youth and Family Community Partnership Program for the period 2/1/2013 - 1/31/2015, and authorizing the County Executive to execute a master contract and all other documents required in connection with said awards and consistent with this Resolution:

- 1) Applewood Centers, Inc.
- 2) Beech Brook
- 3) Bellefaire Jewish Children's Bureau
- 4) Carrington Youth Academy LLC
- 5) Catholic Charities Services Corporation
- 6) The Cleveland Christian Home Incorporated
- 7) New Directions, Inc.
- 8) The Village Network

b) R2013-0008: A Resolution making awards on RQ21516 to various providers in the total amount not-to-exceed \$2,250,000.00 for residential treatment services for the period 2/1/2013 - 1/31/2015, and authorizing the County Executive to execute a master contract and all other documents required in connection with said awards and consistent with this Resolution:

- 1) Applewood Centers, Inc.
- 2) Beech Brook
- 3) Bellefaire Jewish Children's Bureau
- 4) Carrington Youth Academy LLC
- 5) Catholic Charities Services Corporation
- 6) The Cleveland Christian Home Incorporated
- 7) Cornell Abraxas Group, Inc.
- 8) Guidestone, fka Berea Children's Home
- 9) Keystone Richland Center, LLC dba Foundations for Living
- 10) New Directions, Inc.
- 11) Safe House Ministries, Inc.
- 12) The Glen Mills Schools
- 13) The House of Emmanuel, Inc.
- 14) The Village Network

**Ms. Simon asked that Resolution Nos. R2013-0007 and R2013-0008 be considered simultaneously.**

**Ms. Karen Lippman, Deputy Director of Juvenile Court, and Mr. Tim McDevitt, Director of Probation Services for Juvenile Court, addressed the Committee regarding Resolution Nos. R2013-0007 and R2013-0008. Discussion ensued.**

**Committee members asked questions of Ms. Lippman and Mr. McDevitt pertaining to the items, which they answered accordingly.**

**On a motion by Ms. Connally with a second by Ms. Simon, Resolution Nos. R2013-0007 and R2013-0008 were considered and approved by unanimous vote to be referred to the**

**full Council agenda with a recommendation for passage under second reading suspension of the rules.**

**6. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS**

**Ms. Lippman provided an update to the Committee regarding the Community Diversion program. Discussion ensued.**

**Committee members asked questions of Ms. Lippman pertaining to the item, which she answered accordingly.**

**7. OTHER PUBLIC COMMENT**

**Mr. Michael Cheselka, Jr. addressed the Committee regarding issues of concern to him relating to the application of bail and surety bonds.**

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

**With no further business to discuss, Chairwoman Simon adjourned the meeting at 11:58 a.m., without objection.**