

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER Opioid Fatality Review Board March 14, 2023, Meeting Minutes

There were (21) attendees:

Opioid Fatality Review Board (OFRB) Members:

Kenan Zamore (Chair)	Dr. Jewell Reddick (Vice-Chair)
Tyrone Guyse (DEA)	La'Kisha Lacey (FEMS)
Cyndee Clay (HIPS)	Joseph Lippi (DHS)
Dr. Beth Jordan, MD (DOC)	Tiffany Manley (Pretrial Service Agency)
Chaka Curtis (DBH)	Ciena Bayard (OCME)
Alexandra Evans (DFS)	

Participants:

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Dr. Sharon Hunt (DBH)	Alyson Woleslagle (Community Connections)
Cathy Voss (Community Connections)	Nicholas Weil (BEGA)
James Hunter Fleming (OCME)	Emily Townsend (OCME)

Fatality Review Staff:

Tadessa Harper-Nichols (OCME)	Kera Johnson (OCME)	
Jenna Beebe-Aryee (OCME)	Woyni Teklay (OCME)	

Open Meeting

I. Greetings:

• The Opioid Fatality Review Board (OFRB) meeting began at 2:44 pm and opened with Kenan Zamore (Chair) and Dr. Jewell Reddick (Vice-Chair) greeting board members and invited guests.

II. Roll Call

• Initial introductions and roll call of board members, invited guests and staff.

III. Review and Majority vote to approve the agenda

- There was a majority vote to approve the agenda.
- I. An invitation for any members of the public who wished to address the board was extended during the open session.
- II. Woyni Teklay, Fatality Review Program Specialist, was introduced to the Board.

III. Review of open portion of February 14, 2023, meeting minutes

• The open portion of the **February 14, 2023**, meeting minutes were reviewed and approved with no amendments.

IV. Majority vote to close the meeting for remaining board business

- There was a majority vote to close the open portion of the meeting and move to the closed session.
- Statement was read aloud:

"This meeting will hereby be closed to the public for the following reasons - Open Meetings Act Section B- 12 & 14; and Mayor's Order 2019-0243 Section XIII (13)."

The next OFRB meeting is scheduled for April 11, 2023, at 3:00pm. Thank you for your participation!