

OPIOID ABATEMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION

OFFICIAL PUBLIC MEETING

TRANSCRIPT

JANUARY 19, 2024

The Opioid Abatement Advisory Commission was held virtually on Friday, January 19, 2024. Members of the public were also invited to attend via WebEx.

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ATTENDEES

Present

1. Jean Moise Ph.D Designated Representative of Barbara Bazron, Ph.D., Director, Department of Behavioral Health
2. Ayanna Bennett, Ph.D., Director, DC Health
3. Melisa Byrd, Interim Director, DC Department of Health Care Finance
4. Ciana Creighton, Deputy Mayor for Health and Human Services
5. Brian Schwalb, the Attorney General of the District of Columbia
6. The Honorable Christina Henderson, Representative of the Chair, DC Council Committee on Health
7. Edwin Chapman, MD, President Designee, Medical Society of the District of Columbia
8. Jacqueline Bowens, Chief Executive Officer, District of Columbia Hospital Association
9. Mark LeVota, Executive Director, District of Columbia Behavioral Health Association
10. Patricia Quinn, Designated Representative, District of Columbia Primary Care Association
11. Senora Simpson, PTMPH, DrPH
12. LaVerne Adams, DMin, Chief Executive Coach, Total Life Consultancy LLC (virtual)
13. Demetrius Jones, Certified Peer Recovery Specialist, Wards 7 & 8 DC Prevention Center/DC Recovery Community Alliance
14. Larry Bing, Certified Peer Recovery Specialist, Leadership Council for Healthy Communities
15. Larry Gourdine, Program Manager, Psychiatric Institute of Washington
16. J. Chad Jackson, MS, CEO, Ardan Community Living, LLC
17. Beverly Settles-Reaves, PhD, Program Manager, Howard University
18. Nnemdi Elias, MD, MPH, Addiction/Internal Medicine
19. Franciso Diaz, MD, FACP, DC Chief Medical Examiner
20. Queen Anunay, MPH MCHES, Designee, Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice
21. Juanita Price, M.Ed, Chief Executive Officer, Hillcrest Children and Family Center

The Commission Chair, J. Chad Jackson called the meeting to order at 9:05 AM.

Vice Chair, Jacqueline Bowens, asked for a roll call.

1 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

00:00:07.679 --> 00:00:17.035

Roll call the meeting.

2 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

00:00:17.035 --> 00:00:31.994

Hello.

3 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:00:31.994 --> 00:00:47.071

Hello? Hello?

4 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:00:47.071 --> 00:00:50.520

We could do if we could make this easier.

5 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:00:50.520 --> 00:00:55.950

Is I'll read out the names? I guess you can just save here here.

6 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:00:55.950 --> 00:01:07.080

And if you're their proxy or the representative for the individual date, let us know you're here. So I'm going to start from the list.

7 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:01:07.080 --> 00:01:12.212

Barbara good morning. Shama weeks.

8 "jean moise" (698715136)

00:01:12.212 --> 00:01:17.112

Proxy, she's not available today. Um.

9 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:01:17.112 --> 00:01:21.475

You on a minute, let's try to.

10 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:01:21.475 --> 00:01:26.751

Get in.

11 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:01:26.751 --> 00:01:35.520

Then it's trying to get in. Okay, Melissa bird here.

12 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:01:35.520 --> 00:01:44.350

Did you.

13 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:01:44.350 --> 00:01:47.734
Keep Boeing species as, you know, I'm here, I'm here.

14 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:01:47.734 --> 00:01:49.914
No, no, no, I'm going down, right?

15 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:01:49.914 --> 00:01:52.434
No.

16 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:01:52.434 --> 00:01:53.553
Okay.

17 "NE" (739019776)
00:01:53.553 --> 00:01:56.753
Fortunately is not this is all kind of mixed up.

18 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:01:56.753 --> 00:02:01.176
Francisco D. is.

19 "Francisco J Diaz MD" (3604522752)
00:02:01.176 --> 00:02:05.435
Hmm.

20 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:05.435 --> 00:02:08.516
Brian Schwab good morning.

21 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:02:08.516 --> 00:02:12.420
I'm here I'm working on my video, but I'm here with you.

22 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:02:12.420 --> 00:02:15.778
Okay.

23 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:15.778 --> 00:02:21.750
Stay in the Henderson present Edwin Chapman.

24 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:25.890 --> 00:02:29.174
Jackie bones I'm here.

25 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:02:29.174 --> 00:02:32.512
Here.

26 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:32.512 --> 00:02:35.520
Here.

27 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:35.520 --> 00:02:43.354
When a new name oh, I need a price here.

28 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)
00:02:43.354 --> 00:02:46.772
Okay.

29 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:46.772 --> 00:02:51.330
Present.

30 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:02:51.330 --> 00:02:58.497
Simpson Adams.

31 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
00:02:58.497 --> 00:03:01.471
Dimitri is.

32 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:03:01.471 --> 00:03:12.692
You said you present earlier, Larry being Larry Gordon I mean, he's trying to.

33 "NE" (739019776)
00:03:12.692 --> 00:03:16.854
I get into the meeting. Okay. I see.

34 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:03:16.854 --> 00:03:24.633
Just popped up Chad, you're here and people are in the.

35 "Carl Filler" (2148535040)
00:03:24.633 --> 00:03:30.815
Lobby trying to get in that you need to admit.

36 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:03:30.815 --> 00:03:40.754
They should just be able to join Beverly settles.

37 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
00:03:40.754 --> 00:03:44.272
Anybody.

38 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:03:44.272 --> 00:03:52.113
We have missed.

39 "Patricia Quinn" (3944012288)

00:03:52.113 --> 00:03:56.640
Quinn, what's your show? Okay, thank you.

40 "Patricia Quinn" (3944012288)
00:04:00.570 --> 00:04:06.880
If you're reading from the minutes, and I wasn't on that list, I would need that to be added. Okay. I will.

41 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:04:06.880 --> 00:04:11.095
Not reading from that list. I was reading it from another list, but.

42 "Carl Filler" (2148535040)
00:04:11.095 --> 00:04:20.502
Dr. Bennett can't get in. I don't know if anything you can do. Dr. Barker, but she's waiting in the lobby hobby.
Okay. Let me see.

43 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:04:20.502 --> 00:04:25.180
Sorry about that.

44 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:04:25.180 --> 00:04:27.223
Did it? Yes, it is.

45 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:04:27.223 --> 00:04:28.440
Okay.

46 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:04:28.440 --> 00:04:45.599
Alright, great. Okay.

47 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:04:45.599 --> 00:04:59.249
The great advantages and disadvantages of technology Thank you all for being here. This, this keeps us on track on a fairly rapid pace. We've got a couple of, uh.

48 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:04:59.249 --> 00:05:04.469
Of educational things that have come up, um.

49 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:05:04.469 --> 00:05:08.909
That well, well, 1st, we do the approval of minutes.

50 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:05:08.909 --> 00:05:16.199
The minutes were attached as well to this invitation. This latest invitation. Does everybody have the minutes?
Does anybody have any.

51 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:05:16.199 --> 00:05:21.811
Um, um, have a motion to approve the minutes.

52 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)

00:05:21.811 --> 00:05:33.359

There's an error on the menu in terms of the subcommittee subcommittee. I think there's a switch around the group groupings aren't in the correct.

53 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)

00:05:33.359 --> 00:05:41.999

Title sub committee so if you take a look at it, you'll see the prevention group, I think is the harm reduction group. Mm. Hmm.

54 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)

00:05:41.999 --> 00:05:47.614

So, I, I think the look at the, uh, subcommittee listing. Yeah.

55 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:05:47.614 --> 00:05:55.889

So, that was pointed out this morning and I sent another 1 out with that correction. But thank you. So, that that was corrected. Thank you.

56 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:05:58.936 --> 00:06:08.138

For that are there any other questions on the minutes? I think.

57 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

00:06:08.138 --> 00:06:10.022

Okay.

58 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:06:10.022 --> 00:06:11.121

Yeah.

59 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

00:06:11.121 --> 00:06:17.549

I have made a comment at the meeting that I think we should look at the fake base.

60 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

00:06:17.549 --> 00:06:22.802

Institutions that receive Monday previously I didn't notice that on the.

61 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:06:22.802 --> 00:06:23.838

It's the.

62 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:06:23.838 --> 00:06:26.999

In progress report SRS report.

63 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:06:30.282 --> 00:06:33.962

But I think it's not mentioned in the minutes. No.

64 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

00:06:33.962 --> 00:06:35.939

Oh, okay.

65 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:06:35.939 --> 00:06:39.403

Make sure to go back and put that in Thank you.

66 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

00:06:39.403 --> 00:06:52.082

Hi.

67 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:06:52.082 --> 00:06:59.343

All right, um, any other corrections necessary, right? Motion to approve the minutes for a minute.

68 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:06:59.343 --> 00:07:03.115

Corrections with corrections. Let me.

69 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

00:07:03.115 --> 00:07:08.621

Promotion.

70 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:07:08.621 --> 00:07:12.869

Was that you? Dr. Adams? Yes, sir. Yes, sir.

71 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:07:12.869 --> 00:07:18.863

2nd, to that, I can see that.

72 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)

00:07:18.863 --> 00:07:24.775

I tend to accept the minutes. All right all right.

73 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:07:24.775 --> 00:07:34.499

Settled brief 4th How's the best way to vote? Virtually I think, um.

74 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:07:34.499 --> 00:07:40.799

With hands, but I can't see everybody and Mike lay out of this. So.

75 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:07:40.799 --> 00:07:48.300

Ah.

76 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:07:48.300 --> 00:07:53.965

I think raising of hands will be this.

77 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:07:53.965 --> 00:07:56.941

You see everybody Dr Parker. Yeah.

78 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:07:56.941 --> 00:08:03.283

Yes, okay. I have a more participants window up so I can see all their hands. All right.

79 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:08:03.283 --> 00:08:11.039

Approving the motion to approve the minutes of the floor. Oh, all in favorite raise your hand.

80 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:08:11.039 --> 00:08:15.659

Opposed.

81 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:08:26.962 --> 00:08:31.019

Minutes are approved.

82 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:08:31.019 --> 00:08:43.358

Um, the next the next educational section with during the, during our are you guys hearing this? This? Yes.

83 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:08:43.358 --> 00:08:59.121

There's an echo and Kiana krayton is unable to get in either. She's been in the waiting room. Like, I was since 9. can you email her? The link? But I don't know why the new link work, but if you can email it to her also.

84 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:08:59.121 --> 00:09:03.660

New link the link.

85 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:09:03.660 --> 00:09:09.679

I got that worked the original I did not. I don't know why. Okay.

86 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:09:09.679 --> 00:09:21.741

Well.

87 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:09:21.741 --> 00:09:27.589

We're getting and and we will work on this technology. The link was supposed to.

88 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:09:27.589 --> 00:09:35.879

To be exactly the same we'll look into that and make sure we have this. Some of this stuff ironed out before the next meeting. It is important that.

89 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:09:35.879 --> 00:09:43.499

These are open and that everybody can get in and we're going to go to great links to make sure that we have.

90 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:09:43.499 --> 00:09:47.039
We're doing everything in the light of day, so.

91 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:09:47.039 --> 00:09:55.349
I appreciate it and that complicates things a little bit. So I appreciate everybody's patience with this. We will get better at this.

92 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:09:55.349 --> 00:10:01.259
The 1st, educational thing is that during during our, um.

93 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:01.259 --> 00:10:10.889
Steering committee meeting, we, we realized that we need to be refreshing. This is stuff we've gone over before, but looking at what the powers of this commission are.

94 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:10.889 --> 00:10:17.609
And making sure that we understand our limitations and the.

95 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:17.609 --> 00:10:22.679
The guide posts that have been set forth in the legislation for us.

96 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:22.679 --> 00:10:28.079
And the places where it's where, where we do have a lot of.

97 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:28.079 --> 00:10:31.259
Leeway um, and so.

98 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:31.259 --> 00:10:35.609
The attorney general has been nice enough to prepare some slides to go over this again.

99 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:35.609 --> 00:10:44.219
And we would love to hear from the attorney general and and put his slides up and go through this quickly.

100 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:44.219 --> 00:10:47.519
And then as you can see on the agenda, we're going to do.

101 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:47.519 --> 00:10:52.319
Progress reports and.

102 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:52.319 --> 00:10:55.649
We actually had a, um.

103 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:55.649 --> 00:10:59.339
We have a quick data.

104 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:10:59.339 --> 00:11:04.919
Um, information session about data from.

105 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:11:04.919 --> 00:11:10.289
Dr. Bennett in her office. I don't see that on here. Maybe we should.

106 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:11:10.289 --> 00:11:19.259
Take that in, um, right above the progress reports, get the data, um, you know, kind of an educational session about data so that we understand.

107 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:11:19.259 --> 00:11:26.699
What to ask because we're missing a lot of data I've been to a lot of these subcommittee meetings, and I think we have some.

108 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:11:26.699 --> 00:11:33.239
Some real gaps that we want to fill in to make sure that we're doing these things and well advised and.

109 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:11:33.239 --> 00:11:37.619
Uh, from a point of information, so let's start with.

110 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:11:37.619 --> 00:11:42.701
Without any objection to, let's start with the attorney general.

111 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:11:42.701 --> 00:11:46.259
Thank you Chad. Good morning. Everybody again, I apologize that.

112 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:11:46.259 --> 00:11:50.579
I can't get myself on camera, but I hope everybody can hear me.

113 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:11:50.579 --> 00:11:56.309
Um, yes, people can hear me. Okay. Okay good.

114 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:11:56.309 --> 00:12:02.429
So, if we could go to jet, I'm going to run through a set of slide. Some of this we did at the beginning of our.

115 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:12:02.429 --> 00:12:11.429

Work, but I want to focus on just a couple of things that I understand, have come up in the subcommittee meetings and certainly that we talked about at the steering committee.

116 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:11.429 --> 00:12:15.059

Just to clarify, so if we could go to, um.

117 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:15.059 --> 00:12:20.039

Not the next slide, but the slide after that, um, there we go.

118 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:20.039 --> 00:12:25.559

So, the statute that creates our commission also sets out what our powers and duties are.

119 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:25.559 --> 00:12:31.619

And it is our, what we are empowered to do is to make recommendations.

120 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:31.619 --> 00:12:35.579

To the mayor and the Council, um, and.

121 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:35.579 --> 00:12:46.109

So, that has come up a couple of times as to exactly what our work product is and our work product eventually.

122 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:46.109 --> 00:12:49.499

Under the statute is a recommendation.

123 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:49.499 --> 00:12:53.129

Set of recommendations to the mayor and the council.

124 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:12:53.129 --> 00:13:00.149

And the statute lays out what matters our recommendations can pertain to.

125 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:13:00.149 --> 00:13:04.139

Uh, and that's set forth in in the statute there.

126 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:13:04.139 --> 00:13:09.119

There is a section of a statute that's important for.

127 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:13:09.119 --> 00:13:20.129

Uh, us to keep in mind. Uh, Christina do we have the, the section that sets for the 2?

128 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:13:20.129 --> 00:13:24.089
Specific duties of the commission.

129 "Christina Okereke" (4020405504)
00:13:27.879 --> 00:13:39.389
Set the bottom of the slide there it's code section 7:30:to, 12 age. That's the section that's reflected in um, the powers and duties here.

130 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:13:47.078 --> 00:13:52.169
Yeah, although I think we looked at a statutory section that's set out the 2 specific duties.

131 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:13:52.169 --> 00:13:57.659
Powers and duties see, if I can pull that up here.

132 "Christina Okereke" (4020405504)
00:14:08.201 --> 00:14:16.049
Maybe the previous slide the 1 before that lays out the purposes of the commission and sort of lays out generally what they do.

133 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:14:25.860 --> 00:14:32.669
Okay, so, um, overarching purposes of the commission are set forth about.

134 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:14:32.669 --> 00:14:42.719
Uh, what our objectives are, but I really think that for us moving forward, and I don't want to dwell too long today, is to focus specifically on the duties.

135 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:14:42.719 --> 00:14:50.459
That the statue gives us and I'm sorry that that's not in this slide deck.

136 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:14:50.459 --> 00:14:56.249
We talked about it at the steering committee Christina there are 2 separate.

137 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:14:56.249 --> 00:15:01.409
Statutory duties, and there's some sub parts under those, but they're basically 2 separate.

138 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:15:01.409 --> 00:15:14.519
Duty set for for the commission let's go ahead and keep moving through this and I'll.

139 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:15:14.519 --> 00:15:18.209
I'll find that if it comes up in conversation, or if there are people.

140 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)
00:15:18.209 --> 00:15:23.009
Who have questions about it 1 of the things that's come up, though, is a question about.

141 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:23.009 --> 00:15:30.629

Um, are we recommending in our in our recommendations to the mayor in council grant, making or procurement?

142 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:30.629 --> 00:15:34.649

And the intersection of the fact that there's been an emergency stated.

143 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:34.649 --> 00:15:40.529

So, the bottom line on this is the state of emergency.

144 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:40.529 --> 00:15:45.509

In place right now does not affect the law in the district Colombian grant making.

145 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:45.509 --> 00:15:49.439

So that if the recommendation of the commission is going to be.

146 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:49.439 --> 00:15:57.269

Uh, that grants be made the existence of the stated. Public emergency does not affect the law on making grants.

147 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:15:57.269 --> 00:16:03.419

The state of emergency affects some rules regarding contract procurement.

148 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:03.419 --> 00:16:15.929

I got the sense from a lot of the conversations that we had that many of the subgroups are thinking about grant making our recommendations with respect to grants.

149 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:15.929 --> 00:16:25.589

And so the takeaway is the stated emergency that's in place right now public emergency does not impact the law with respect to grant making.

150 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:25.589 --> 00:16:34.739

This is the law in the district Colombia about matters that we must consider if the recommendation is going to be for a grant.

151 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:34.739 --> 00:16:40.109

We have to think about for any grant, the number of individuals.

152 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:40.109 --> 00:16:43.349

Per capital with an opioid use disorder.

153 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:43.349 --> 00:16:48.929

And the number of opioid deaths per capita, in an area that a perspective of.

154 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:16:48.929 --> 00:17:00.449

Or grantee seeks to serve, we need to consider the disparities and access to care and health outcomes in the area that a perspective already or grantee seeks to serve.

155 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:00.449 --> 00:17:08.999

And we could need to consider the infrastructure activities, practices, program, services, supports and strategies currently available.

156 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:08.999 --> 00:17:16.109

The individuals with an opioid use disorder in that area, that a prospective authority, or grantee is seeking to serve.

157 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:16.109 --> 00:17:26.879

So, as we're talking, and as the sub committees, you're talking about making recommendations with respect to grants. This is what the statute would require us as a commission.

158 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:26.879 --> 00:17:33.119

To consider before approving any such recommendation to then go on to the mayor and the council.

159 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:33.119 --> 00:17:36.659

As we work as a collective 21 person body.

160 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:36.659 --> 00:17:43.169

These are our guidepost with respect to considering potential grant recommendations that come up from.

161 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:43.169 --> 00:17:46.379

The sub committees, um.

162 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:46.379 --> 00:17:51.149

If we want to go to the next slide, we don't have to dwell long on this.

163 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:51.149 --> 00:17:55.199

But reminding ourselves that.

164 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:17:55.199 --> 00:18:03.989

Anything that we recommend with respect to the upgrade funds must be for prospective use, only not to reimburse past expenditures.

165 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:03.989 --> 00:18:08.399

It must be used to supplement, not supplant other fonts.

166 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:08.399 --> 00:18:20.849

Next slide, this was the point I made earlier, the emergency legislation in place does not affect the grant making long the district.

167 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:20.849 --> 00:18:28.829

Emergency legislation allows the mayor to wave certain provisions with respect to procurement, but not all.

168 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:32.309 --> 00:18:40.949

Um, this came up just by way of example, I think in either the prevention committee conversation I was involved in, or maybe the steering.

169 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:40.949 --> 00:18:45.419

Uh, for example, if we were gonna recommend entering into a long term contract.

170 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:45.419 --> 00:18:50.249

Contract that was going to go for more than 12 months.

171 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:50.249 --> 00:18:54.419

Or 1, that was going to require the expenditure of more than a 1Million dollars.

172 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:18:54.419 --> 00:19:02.219

The emergency does not excuse the procurement criteria around those types of long term or large contracts.

173 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:02.219 --> 00:19:06.809

You could think about the procurement laws being relieved.

174 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:06.809 --> 00:19:11.639

In an emergency for smaller dollar or short term contract.

175 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:11.639 --> 00:19:31.229

Next slide please, I think everybody on the line knows the difference, but, to the extent, we have a discussion about trying to decide are we are we distinguishing between procurement and grants we can come back to this and look at what the law tells us about the distinction between the 2.

176 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:31.229 --> 00:19:36.839

Next slide, um.

177 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:36.839 --> 00:19:41.879

More guidance with respect to whether an award is going to be a grant or a procurement.

178 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:41.879 --> 00:19:45.299

And there are criteria, so if we end up as a group.

179 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:45.299 --> 00:19:49.019

Wrestling with this concept, there is some guidance for us to turn back to.

180 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:19:49.019 --> 00:20:04.469

Next slide, this is the way in which grant making in the district is required to go by law and since the stated emergency does not excuse us of complying with this. It's important.

181 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:04.469 --> 00:20:09.089

For us to know these guidelines, as we're thinking about recommendations.

182 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:09.089 --> 00:20:17.759

Grants of 50,000 dollars or more have more procedural requirements associated with making them than grants less than that amount.

183 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:17.759 --> 00:20:22.019

And the law sets forth in these standards.

184 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:22.019 --> 00:20:28.139

The requirements to give notice to have an opportunity for a competitive process for larger grants.

185 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:28.139 --> 00:20:34.319

Um, and an opportunity for people to consider the notice and then apply.

186 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:34.319 --> 00:20:41.099

Again, this set of requirements does not exist if the proposed grant is less than 50000.

187 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:41.099 --> 00:20:51.989

Next slide, um, I mentioned this earlier, this contract approval by the council.

188 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:51.989 --> 00:20:58.409

Does not, it's still in place it's not excused even though there's a state of public emergency.

189 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:20:58.409 --> 00:21:07.139

Next slide. Okay. So I wanted to run through that. Uh.

190 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:07.139 --> 00:21:12.239

And I'll try to take any questions, um, our steering committee kind of.

191 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:12.239 --> 00:21:15.869

Gravitated around the fact that as we're trying as a commission to make.

192 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:15.869 --> 00:21:20.249

Some collective recommendations that these principles may end up affecting.

193 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:20.249 --> 00:21:29.789

What our recommendations are certainly to the extent there's a desire to get money out, promptly to a group or group of grantees that we've identified.

194 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:29.789 --> 00:21:33.269

Acknowledging the legal constraints on how much.

195 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:33.269 --> 00:21:41.039

And what types of criteria we're going to want to look to as a commission to be able to make sure that we comply with the law and making those recommendations.

196 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:41.039 --> 00:21:44.999

Was important so that's why we set this out. I see.

197 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:44.999 --> 00:21:50.069

Dr. Bennett do you have a hand? I can't see everybody, but maybe Chad you want to.

198 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:21:50.069 --> 00:21:55.849

Identify people, if they have questions.

199 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:21:55.849 --> 00:22:00.391

I do want to identify people, but I can't see everybody either. Okay.

200 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:22:00.391 --> 00:22:10.189

We're following Dr.

201 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:22:10.189 --> 00:22:14.828

I don't see any hands. Should I, I put mine down because I wasn't sure I was being called on.

202 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:14.828 --> 00:22:18.839

Um, okay. Hi, thank you for all that information I want to.

203 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:18.839 --> 00:22:22.649

Clarify something for myself, which I think I'm getting confused.

204 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:22.649 --> 00:22:31.289

When we make, and it may be that I'm confusing my previous jurisdiction with this 1 when we make grants.

205 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:31.289 --> 00:22:37.049

I think we routinely put in options or abilities to expand as needed.

206 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:37.049 --> 00:22:47.069

I thought that's what we were talking about adding money to the amount to the degree that it's allowed within the grant that's already approved. So you're not approving a new grant.

207 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:47.069 --> 00:22:50.729

And most of the ones we're looking at are already over \$5000.

208 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:50.729 --> 00:22:53.729

So, I wouldn't think that that would be.

209 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:22:53.729 --> 00:23:01.439

A barrier from us, exercising options or other issues but I, I don't know if those are treated as separate.

210 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:23:01.439 --> 00:23:06.791

Grants are separate transactions.

211 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:06.791 --> 00:23:16.739

So document, I, I confess, I don't know the answer to that specific question but what I hear you saying we can certainly look into that is if there's an existing grant in place.

212 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:16.739 --> 00:23:23.579

For more than 50,000 dollars, and our commission wants to recommend that we supplement that grant with more dollars.

213 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:23.579 --> 00:23:31.791

Do we need to go through another notice in comment and competitive process, or that additional grant money?

214 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:23:31.791 --> 00:23:35.039

Yes, cause I know that within DC health we have grants where we.

215 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:23:35.039 --> 00:23:44.811

Have the option to add money to it, and we are or not, depending on if we have the money, but the original approval was made with that in mind. Okay.

216 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:44.811 --> 00:23:50.099

We can run that down. I don't want to venture. Can speculate a guess. Um.

217 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:50.099 --> 00:23:54.329

On on that, and I think Christina, when we look at that.

218 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:54.329 --> 00:23:59.699

It's a question of supplementing an additional grant for which there's already been a competitive process.

219 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:23:59.699 --> 00:24:05.999

And also, it might turn on how much how many dollars we're proposing to supplement with.

220 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:24:05.999 --> 00:24:13.049

A recommendation to supplement with more than 50,000 dollars to an existing grant may trigger.

221 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:24:13.049 --> 00:24:17.159

The obligation to have another competitive process.

222 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:24:17.159 --> 00:24:20.489

As opposed to less than but we'll run that down.

223 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:24:20.489 --> 00:24:28.739

And to the extent that our commission is gravitating towards recommendations about supplementing additional grants or existing grants.

224 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:24:28.739 --> 00:24:33.388

We'll make sure that we have clear legal guidance for that.

225 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:24:33.388 --> 00:24:38.009

It might be helpful to get the grant, um, supporting folks from.

226 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:24:38.009 --> 00:24:44.399

Dvh to comment on the structure of the grants they have right now, because they may have written that in to them or not.

227 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:24:44.399 --> 00:24:50.147

And it may affect whether or not, we can do what we want with those grants.

228 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:24:50.147 --> 00:24:54.741

I agree, thank you for the question.

229 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:24:54.741 --> 00:25:03.629

Larry being also had his hand up.

230 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

00:25:03.629 --> 00:25:09.661

You take down the slide you might be able to see everybody a little bit better.

231 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:25:09.661 --> 00:25:13.049

Yeah, they're being was Nick's. Mr. are you there? Yep.

232 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:25:18.569 --> 00:25:22.799

Hello? Hello?

233 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:25:22.799 --> 00:25:28.889

Is Mike is open, but I don't think he can speak right now.

234 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:25:28.889 --> 00:25:37.179

Um, well, in the meantime, we can go to market voter, use next.

235 "Mark LeVota" (1085871616)

00:25:37.179 --> 00:25:44.309

You can I just ask whether or not there's anything that that would prevent the commission.

236 "Mark LeVota" (1085871616)

00:25:44.309 --> 00:25:49.319

From making a recommendation that the mayor and the council.

237 "Mark LeVota" (1085871616)

00:25:49.319 --> 00:25:55.349

Make awards in the manner that is most expedient.

238 "Mark LeVota" (1085871616)

00:25:55.349 --> 00:25:59.969

So that all of us don't have to become experts in D. C.

239 "Mark LeVota" (1085871616)

00:25:59.969 --> 00:26:04.979

Procurement and grant making law in order to make these recommendations.

240 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:26:09.170 --> 00:26:15.629

Good question mark I don't think that there's anything in the statute that prohibits that being our recommendation. Our.

241 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:26:15.629 --> 00:26:27.119

The commissions, collective recommendation, there may be a discussion amongst members as to whether, or not, they're comfortable delegating that way.

242 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:26:27.119 --> 00:26:32.279

The implementation of the recommendations, but I think that that certainly is within the.

243 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

00:26:32.279 --> 00:26:39.145

Discretion of our commission to make that the recommendation right okay. Thank you.

244 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:26:39.145 --> 00:26:42.809

If if I could just add real quick, I just want to be clear that.

245 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:26:42.809 --> 00:26:45.989

You know, the, the procurement process, the grant making all that.

246 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:26:45.989 --> 00:26:49.799

Is the responsibility of the office of opioid abatement.

247 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:26:49.799 --> 00:26:55.799

To implement, so, you know, the focus really should be what are the areas of focus.

248 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:26:55.799 --> 00:27:02.879

In general that the commission wants to focus on, but in terms of dealing with the specific mechanisms.

249 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:27:02.879 --> 00:27:06.479

You know, we, we would be the ones with the expertise to.

250 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:27:06.479 --> 00:27:10.139

To implement those no grants or contracts. What have you.

251 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:27:15.513 --> 00:27:34.559

Yeah, if I can interject here, I think it's very important. I think these this information is incredibly important and this is an open meeting and I want us to know this as commissioners. But I also want this to remain in the public in front of the public who comes to these meetings. There is a lot of interest here. And so I want to make sure that we're.

252 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:27:34.559 --> 00:27:37.949

We're informing everybody and keeping everybody on point.

253 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:27:37.949 --> 00:27:48.389

But looking at the, the legislation for these commissions was originally written a, an outline of it was written by the O'neil Institute and the intent here is.

254 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:27:48.389 --> 00:27:56.639

To have a body of experts to present and to recommend how to spend this, this abatement money.

255 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:27:56.639 --> 00:28:00.389

On the primarily on the foundation that that.

256 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:00.389 --> 00:28:10.829

And this is a shocking number. 3% of the money that came in from settlements for the tobacco abatement actually went to tobacco abatement 3% of those billions of dollars.

257 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:10.829 --> 00:28:19.439

And and this is an effort to prevent that diversion of funds. And I think what we have here is a, is a panel of, of.

258 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:19.439 --> 00:28:26.639

The sharpest, most impressive people we have in town that know about this particular.

259 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:26.639 --> 00:28:41.039

Radical prices that we're having in DC and across the country and it, and we will take advantage of the office and the expertise of the office of opioid abatement to make sure that we are efficient. And in.

260 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:41.039 --> 00:28:50.399

Making our recommendations heard and utilize in the best possible way but I think as a body of experts, our, our obligation is.

261 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:50.399 --> 00:28:56.189

To make sure that we come across with them the most well informed. Um.

262 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:28:56.189 --> 00:29:06.089

And succinct recommendations for the expenditures of these moneys, and then allow the legislative process to put those things into effect. So.

263 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:29:06.089 --> 00:29:16.739

Um, I, I want to keep these things in mind, but I think that what we've seen, what I've seen in these, these subcommittee hearings is is a very impressive.

264 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:29:16.739 --> 00:29:28.619

Back and forth about what the real issues are, and there's a multitude and they're very complicated and that's why we're all here to do this. Um, and I very much appreciate everybody.

265 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:29:28.619 --> 00:29:42.989

Staying, you know, keeping our eye on the ball, and we have a long term goal of getting ramps out and doing that through the proper channels and process. And we also have a short term goal of getting some money out into the, the.

266 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:29:42.989 --> 00:29:50.909

The city where it's desperately needed, so we've got 2 things. It's not an either or it's an end situation is additive.

267 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:29:50.909 --> 00:30:00.939

And I want to make sure that we, we don't start constraining ourselves in ways that aren't necessary, but we stay within the lines of all.

268 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:30:00.939 --> 00:30:09.179

Okay, I just want to, um, Dr Chapman you had your hand up I don't know. Mr. bean we were able to get. Are you able to speak.

269 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:30:09.179 --> 00:30:16.216

If not then I'll say that to chat, but if you want to go next.

270 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:30:16.216 --> 00:30:24.689

Uh, yes, uh, uh, in the last meeting, uh, we showed that, uh, 110Million dollars has been spent on the past 5.

271 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:30:24.689 --> 00:30:30.539

Years we have, uh, and in all of these various, uh, categories.

272 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:30:30.539 --> 00:30:38.669

We have any, uh, evaluations on the previous programs, uh, from the.

273 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:30:38.669 --> 00:30:45.929

Office of, uh, opioid abatement, uh, in terms of quality of outcomes related to the.

274 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:30:45.929 --> 00:30:49.019

Those grants before we start adding money to.

275 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:30:49.019 --> 00:30:57.339

Something that may not have worked in the past.

276 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:30:57.339 --> 00:31:16.369

Um, but that's a good question and I think it falls under a little bit of a, we're, we're gonna go into a little session about data. We're trying to make sure that in this set of questions we want to look at at the legal thing. We do have to have good information in order to present money, although there are some pretty clear.

277 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:31:16.369 --> 00:31:21.659

Issues so I appreciate your question, but I think it pertains a little later in 2.

278 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:31:21.659 --> 00:31:25.299

Our meeting here.

279 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:31:25.299 --> 00:31:31.409

Yeah, no, I'm just gonna add there. There is an effort to, you know, there has been data collected and there's effort.

280 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:31:31.409 --> 00:31:37.229

We will we received some questions from the, um.

281 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:31:37.229 --> 00:31:45.509

From the subcommittees, and we're definitely trying to send that information out to the relevant entities that can provide those. Uh.

282 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:31:45.509 --> 00:31:49.358

Answers say some of us we're working on. Yep.

283 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:31:49.358 --> 00:31:57.959

And I'm asking that because if money's were spent to, um, start treatment programs and those statement programs.

284 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:31:57.959 --> 00:32:01.559

No longer exists after the grant, the original grant.

285 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:32:01.559 --> 00:32:06.029

And why would we refund them? You know, grant should be.

286 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:32:06.029 --> 00:32:10.559

Used to, uh, help initiate a service.

287 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:32:10.559 --> 00:32:14.309

But after that, uh, it should be sustainable based on.

288 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:32:14.309 --> 00:32:20.219
One's ability to, uh, find monies, uh, for billing and and.

289 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:32:20.219 --> 00:32:26.669
The other natural pathways, but we can't, uh, uh, funding organizations.

290 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:32:26.669 --> 00:32:31.679
Uh, once they run out of money, uh, just to restart the same thing, that's not.

291 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:32:31.679 --> 00:32:36.971
Sustainable.

292 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:32:36.971 --> 00:32:42.036
Yeah, definitely um, Dr Simpson you also had your hand up.

293 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:32:42.036 --> 00:32:54.119
Yes, and I agree with Dr chaplain hold on. Well, that's been my this case about this whole business but the thing I wanted to ask was.

294 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:32:54.119 --> 00:33:02.549
In the requirements for whatever monies that are given, whether it's a grant or or contract do.

295 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:33:02.549 --> 00:33:13.409
They have to address all of the issues in that, uh, and that's listed or can it be 1 or the other? So an example is.

296 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:33:13.409 --> 00:33:17.039
Can we make recommendations, which would only.

297 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:33:17.039 --> 00:33:23.639
Be addressing, uh, prevention and not treatment of.

298 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:33:23.639 --> 00:33:31.769
Uh, because for some of the grants that were given before I was told that they had to address all of the issues.

299 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
00:33:31.769 --> 00:33:51.769
And not just 1 some did better in areas than the other. So, if we could get some clarity about, when we make a recommendation, since we are divided into groups, for instance, prevention, I thought that the prevention test force would make.

300 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:33:51.769 --> 00:33:58.229

Recommendations regarding prevention, not treatment. So is there a rule.

301 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:33:58.229 --> 00:34:04.559

Regarding these grants or contracts that they have to address all.

302 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:34:04.559 --> 00:34:09.479

Of the, um, aims of of this money.

303 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:34:09.479 --> 00:34:15.809

Or, can it be 1 of the other, depending on whether what we found the greatest need.

304 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:34:15.809 --> 00:34:19.829

And I assume we could, we could recommend 2 or 3.

305 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:34:19.829 --> 00:34:26.122

Uh, different grants of contracts.

306 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:34:26.122 --> 00:34:31.559

I think if I can, if I can answer that, I think basically, where the greatest need is.

307 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:34:31.559 --> 00:34:39.089

So, no grantee I mean, every grant or contract that's going to be put out is going to we're asking the subcommittees.

308 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:34:39.089 --> 00:34:59.089

And I know this is a, this would be an answer for the chair vice chair of the commission, but as the subcommittees were laid out, each subcommittee is tasked with folks on a particular area. So, ultimately, when it comes down to the grant, what, what? Every area you're focused on if it's prevention, if it's a harm reduction activity, if it's treated.

309 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:34:59.089 --> 00:35:02.219

If it's recovery, that is what we're.

310 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:35:02.219 --> 00:35:13.529

You know, the grant or contract will be focused on there'll be focused on whatever area you decide to do. Um, just to be cleared. I think if I'm not mistaken, you may be referring to.

311 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:35:13.529 --> 00:35:27.419

Examples of, you know, this is before the office of the payment, but previous grants that may have had a various selection of things that some entities rats do that that was in the past. It's all about what.

312 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:35:27.419 --> 00:35:31.409

We look forward, we're going forward with whatever you are.

313 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

00:35:31.409 --> 00:35:41.872

Recommend if you focus on a particular area, if you want to mix it all depends on what ultimately the commission comes up with. Thank you. Yeah.

314 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:35:41.872 --> 00:35:56.579

Commissioner commissioner steps, and that is a fantastic question and 1 of the misnomers that we have to be aware of most of the money that we work under, that the DVH grant money is actually.

315 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:35:56.579 --> 00:36:14.489

samhsa provides this money nationally and they put their own set of restrictions on that. I know that in the block grant that there is a certain percentage of money that has to be spent on prevention. And then the store money has a laundry list of restrictions. We are not encumbered.

316 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:36:14.489 --> 00:36:27.719

By those same restrictions, in the same way that the legislation that we're working under is intentionally skeletal in some of those ways. And so we do have a lot more latitude. And I think we need to take advantage of that.

317 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:36:27.719 --> 00:36:38.789

Up in, and until somebody stops us from doing that, because I think we have a very important job to do that fill some of those gaps that, you know, with all of the best intentions legislation is is.

318 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:36:38.789 --> 00:36:44.369

Is a difficult thing, and a lot of this grant money that is out there.

319 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:36:44.369 --> 00:36:57.269

With no bad intention is hindered from doing some of the things that need to be done in D. C. and we have an opportunity here to not work under some of those hindrances that the grant people that DVH have a.

320 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:36:57.269 --> 00:37:01.259

To have an onerous task of making sure that they get these grants.

321 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:37:01.259 --> 00:37:21.259

Into a fashion that is acceptable from the larger national body, and in D. C. we're particularly on understanding of how the national government can step into our, our local government and and cause issues. And I think that same. Some of those same things apply here when we're talking about this.

322 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:37:21.259 --> 00:37:31.386

Money coming from the federal government.

323 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:37:31.386 --> 00:37:35.126

Doctor Chapman seems to have his hand up.

324 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:37:35.126 --> 00:37:41.999

Uh, if I can get just give you a quick example, uh, in our last, uh, treatment and.

325 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:37:41.999 --> 00:37:47.459

A recovery meeting, most of our time was spent talking about, uh.

326 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:37:47.459 --> 00:37:51.449

Uh, our reduction and, uh, peer support.

327 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:37:51.449 --> 00:37:56.639

Just to give you an example, if only and I see the, uh.

328 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:37:56.639 --> 00:38:00.419

The, uh, uh, uh.

329 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:00.419 --> 00:38:05.699

I believe Dr, uh, he has his own is on the call this time.

330 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:05.699 --> 00:38:09.419

That only 1 out of 10 patients who overdose and died.

331 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:09.419 --> 00:38:12.570

Are actually in treatment at that time.

332 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:12.570 --> 00:38:17.190

So, obviously, if we could get more people in treatment.

333 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:17.190 --> 00:38:20.370

And, hey, appears on the ground to get people in treatment.

334 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:20.370 --> 00:38:24.240

We have a network of providers by now.

335 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:24.240 --> 00:38:30.120

Who are already certified and, uh, uh, have the mechanism to build.

336 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:30.120 --> 00:38:41.460

We could, we could increase those numbers, maybe double triple or quadruple those numbers. If we had boots on the ground, it could actually get people in the treatment.

337 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:41.460 --> 00:38:44.490

So so we have the.

338 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:44.490 --> 00:38:48.630

Mechanisms to, uh, to treat, but our.

339 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:48.630 --> 00:38:51.810

Our ability to treat is based on.

340 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:51.810 --> 00:38:55.080

Uh, the folks who are actually doing the.

341 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:55.080 --> 00:38:59.940

The, uh, peer support, uh, work and the harm reduction work.

342 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:38:59.940 --> 00:39:06.829

It's all in a relate.

343 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:39:06.829 --> 00:39:16.110

There's a very good point chairman and I think you're right I think, but we have to have people willing to go into treatment. And so we have to meet people where they are.

344 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:39:16.110 --> 00:39:31.230

With these people that are dying outside of treatment, and then the 10%, if they're dying inside of treatment are both equally important. Every death is important here, every overdose death and we need to be able to interact on a.

345 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:39:31.230 --> 00:39:37.680

On a most simple and complex level with these people who were overdosing in our city and some of that.

346 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:39:37.680 --> 00:39:50.430

Falls outside of the treatment area. The reason we put these 3 commissions together. Treatment is incredibly important. That's my background is in the treatment side of things. And so I think it's important, but we can't it's not exclusionary of the other.

347 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:39:50.430 --> 00:39:57.148

Um, methodologies that we're that we're working with here.

348 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:39:57.148 --> 00:40:01.530
Yeah, I guess what I'm saying is we may have to spend millions.

349 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:40:01.530 --> 00:40:04.920
Uh, in peer support and, uh.

350 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:40:04.920 --> 00:40:08.970
Harm reduction in order to get the results that we want.

351 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:40:08.970 --> 00:40:12.990
And that may require on to the city council.

352 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:40:12.990 --> 00:40:17.790
As opposed to just putting out, uh, 50,000 dollar grant.

353 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:40:22.244 --> 00:40:42.320
Understood and that's more of the long term stuff that we are going to get to. Let's this is this is really progress report stuff that I wanted to talk about after we get through the business of today, which is going through. Um, let's talk a little bit about data if everyone, if, if you will indulge me. Um, and.

354 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:40:42.320 --> 00:41:02.320
And then let's get into these reporting, I would like to shorten our reporting times down as much as possible so that we can get through this meeting because of our late start. But let's start with 10 minutes on that. But let's Dr, Bennett, if you have the presentation on on data, and kind of give us an understanding of of what.

355 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:41:02.320 --> 00:41:06.808
We have in.

356 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:41:06.808 --> 00:41:10.146
I have a presentation here, I can just move forward.

357 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:41:10.146 --> 00:41:15.600
That would be great because I'm, I, I could only get in on my phone. I don't have a lot of leeway.

358 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:41:15.600 --> 00:41:35.600
Um, okay, so this is very short. I just wanted to give everyone an idea. I'm getting an echo just as a word, um, of what data sources we have, and where they're coming from. So we are getting data sources from multiple places. We're getting Medicaid.

359 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:41:35.600 --> 00:41:40.350

Data and other things from D. C.

360 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:41:40.350 --> 00:41:46.620

We are trying to get other kinds of data from them the office of the chief medical examiner fems.

361 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:41:46.620 --> 00:41:50.970

Dvh Department of corrections MPD.

362 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:41:50.970 --> 00:42:01.860

Dfs, so we're, we're trying to bring together lots of different kinds of data and additional entities we're trying to work with, or at least start a conversation with the drug court Department of veteran affairs.

363 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:42:01.860 --> 00:42:11.100

Various others, DHS, so if you can think of data points that that those agencies collect, we can try to move forward in those areas.

364 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:42:11.100 --> 00:42:17.940

Next 1.

365 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:42:17.940 --> 00:42:32.010

Sorry there. Oh, okay. So, um, here's the data that we are currently really using fatal overdoses, non fatal overdoses, behavior and medical health services. There's some limit. Um.

366 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:42:32.010 --> 00:42:47.070

On that, to the Medicaid population, that does cover quite a, quite a lot of what we're concerned about, but not everything and there's limits on the behavioral health information that we can use for various federal law reasons naloxone reversals and lots of distribution.

367 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:42:47.070 --> 00:42:58.710

Program outputs from the state opiate response. Grantees, um, are available jail admissions and releases hospital admissions and releases and stabilization center data.

368 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:42:58.710 --> 00:43:08.670

Next slide so possible ways we can use it. Um, we looked around for various different things and this came from.

369 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:43:08.670 --> 00:43:12.900

1 of my staff, uh, looking at the system they're using in Maine.

370 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:43:12.900 --> 00:43:24.150

So, I'm going to give you some slides of how EMS used data to try to track people. So, and they tracked 3 points. We have lots of other data points, but just showing how we can use data.

371 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:43:24.150 --> 00:43:27.180
When someone was revived by was marked.

372 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:43:27.180 --> 00:43:35.820
When they began refusing transport with Mark, and when they became listed as homeless and so that helped kind of tell a story.

373 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:43:35.820 --> 00:43:38.820
Can you go to the next slide?

374 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:43:38.820 --> 00:43:45.420
And so that's a visual of what that would look like. So, the data points in here are things like where they.

375 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:43:45.420 --> 00:44:05.420
Had an RPN reversal the beginning, where you see something pop up that might be refusals for transport, which generally, um, would be associated with somebody who was using more. And then, um, whether they're homeless or not, or in other, or in jail or not. And those might be considered end points that that are, um.

376 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:44:05.420 --> 00:44:21.480
Acquiring more aggressive outreach, we can do some of that already. We are not doing all of that. Some of what we need, um, is additional support and there's I have a I outlined the proposal that we were talking about. It's in here somewhere next slide.

377 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:44:21.480 --> 00:44:27.270
And we I had a conversation with.

378 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:44:27.270 --> 00:44:33.570
The, um, city administrator's office includes a group called the lab DC that does.

379 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:44:33.570 --> 00:44:53.570
Civic design, and and look at that data and try to use social science to determine what's best for city programming. In this case, they are offering to be helpful in a few different ways. We wouldn't be paying for this, but it may suggest other things we would want to spend money on. Um, so in terms.

380 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:44:53.570 --> 00:44:57.240
You know, data or in terms of consultants.

381 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:44:57.240 --> 00:45:12.870

So, they design policy and program interventions that are tailored to the district. They look for research and academic papers and in looking for best practices, they conduct evaluations. They start communities of practice with practitioners.

382 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:45:12.870 --> 00:45:17.280

I'll leave that besides will go out and people can read in more detail next slide.

383 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:45:17.280 --> 00:45:34.290

Um, so the things that they have done and can't do is, um, they've done before is agenda setting with the opioid data group. So they facilitated some research with that group. And that was a collaboration within DC government.

384 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:45:34.290 --> 00:45:42.630

Fire risk prevention, prediction, uh, career, mobility, plans, evidence, and form budgeting. So all of those are things that you can.

385 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:45:42.630 --> 00:45:47.640

Use these links when you get the slides to look at what that what that involved next slide.

386 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:45:47.640 --> 00:45:59.910

So Here's some ways in which they might be helpful to the commission. Um, at least that they've identified so far, we can maybe think of other ways as we have greater conversation.

387 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:45:59.910 --> 00:46:03.270

Identifying evidence based intervention, so they will.

388 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:46:03.270 --> 00:46:12.810

Are willing to do research and review, um, sources that they find, or we give them to look for what the, to tell us report back with the evidence behind different.

389 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:46:12.810 --> 00:46:27.000

Kinds of treatment or interventions is design evidence based intervention. So try to tailor those things to the district and what the characteristics or conditions are here, and then develop a plan for evaluation of those things.

390 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:46:27.000 --> 00:46:34.860

Next slide, so the, um, before we get to that the lab, um.

391 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:46:34.860 --> 00:46:39.600

Director was planning to come to answer questions if there are any.

392 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:46:39.600 --> 00:46:43.950

And I'm happy to answer data questions. I'm not sure Chad, if we have time for that.

393 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:46:48.738 --> 00:46:53.070

I would like to make a little bit of time here at least, you know, we've got.

394 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:46:53.070 --> 00:47:03.420

5 minutes till 10, and then we got 15 minutes. Well, we don't have a lot of time, but I think data is a very important part of this and.

395 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:47:03.420 --> 00:47:14.838

Um, it's not only having enough data, but having the right data and being able to bring the data to bear in the right way. So it's a complicated issue. And I think we have to spend time on it but.

396 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:47:14.838 --> 00:47:22.380

Why don't we try to questions and only had from the lab is here on the call if there are questions about what they might do.

397 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:47:22.380 --> 00:47:28.675

And I'm happy to take back questions. I can't answer on data if there are any.

398 "NE" (739019776)

00:47:28.675 --> 00:47:36.330

I have a quick question. This is Dr lives so, in terms of the data that we could get, and that was an impressive list.

399 "NE" (739019776)

00:47:36.330 --> 00:47:47.197

Would we send it all to your office? Shoot it through Chad or Orlando Barker? Is that the request? Yes, the request should probably.

400 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:47:47.197 --> 00:47:53.649

We go through Orlando and we can correlate them and they probably will overlap to some degree to make sure everybody's getting what they need.

401 "NE" (739019776)

00:47:53.649 --> 00:48:02.670

And the 2nd, quick 1 is regarding the lab. This this is an amazing entity. I didn't know this existed. Do you know on what scope they work.

402 "NE" (739019776)

00:48:02.670 --> 00:48:11.340

Is this something that would affect the city as a whole? Is it a particular ward? Do you know what the limits of the parameters are in terms of?

403 "NE" (739019776)

00:48:11.340 --> 00:48:18.868

When they look for evidence based interventions, or they're design or a plan for evaluation.

404 "Amelie Hecht" (1701958656)

00:48:18.868 --> 00:48:36.980

I can document it, we work across all government agencies and work on on interventions that affect residents across the city. So we're not limited by Ward or by particular population. We're, we're able to work across interventions and across the city.

405 "Amelie Hecht" (1701958656)

00:48:36.980 --> 00:48:41.949

Thank you. Yeah.

406 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:48:41.949 --> 00:48:47.245

Uh.

407 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:48:47.245 --> 00:48:51.505

Any other questions Dr. Dr. Simpson. Did you hear me?

408 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:48:51.505 --> 00:49:00.360

I realized some of this data is very interesting. I still want to know.

409 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:00.360 --> 00:49:03.630

With all of the data that has been collected.

410 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:03.630 --> 00:49:06.990

Which ones have promise.

411 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:06.990 --> 00:49:12.780

Which 1 has good anything that we could say was a good outcome.

412 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:12.780 --> 00:49:26.460

That's what seems to be missing. We get we're collecting numbers, but what have we doing with it and what are the end results once you get it? For instance, I remember that. I'm still looking for.

413 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:26.460 --> 00:49:30.180

Uh, whether these are duplicate counts.

414 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:30.180 --> 00:49:50.180

And also, for age, remember the old people, and also people who are getting services that they're paying for, that are not going to be Medicaid, et cetera. So, have we just made it we decided where it was a problem because it was.

415 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:50.180 --> 00:49:55.980

Obvious, but I've maintained that it is a problem across the city.

416 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:49:55.980 --> 00:50:05.629

And that means the rich, the poor, the disenfranchised the people who are able to go out of the district to get services, et cetera.

417 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:05.629 --> 00:50:07.778

Can I answer that? Yeah.

418 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:50:07.778 --> 00:50:15.980

Yeah, I really want to know have we gotten anything that says it was effective and what was that? What.

419 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

00:50:15.980 --> 00:50:19.858

Cost it so that we could then perhaps use that model.

420 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:19.858 --> 00:50:25.410

So, the data, um, we're not the data and the evaluation are 2 separate things.

421 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:25.410 --> 00:50:35.970

So the data can give you the information you need to answer the question, but we have to ask the questions. So if there's a feds intervention, we can look at those.

422 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:35.970 --> 00:50:41.790

Encounters versus encounters that didn't include that intervention, but that's a an analysis we would have to do.

423 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:41.790 --> 00:50:51.540

Having the feds data makes that possible, but it doesn't mean we've already done that. So that's a question you would have to ask. And the, um, data that we have is.

424 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:51.540 --> 00:50:55.680

For the most part limited to government sources that we own.

425 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:50:55.680 --> 00:51:15.000

So, we have Medicaid data cause we administer Medicaid. We don't have blue cross data cause we don't administer Blue Cross. We are in conversations about how to get those things, but data agreements and legal restrictions it is not simple or rapid. So, we may have to take the limitations of the data. We have easy access to.

426 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:51:15.000 --> 00:51:22.530

And try to extrapolate or simply live within the limits of what's available right now and wait for more later.

427 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:51:22.530 --> 00:51:28.236
Okay.

428 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
00:51:28.236 --> 00:51:33.514
I think last question with jasmine yes. Uh.

429 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:51:33.514 --> 00:51:44.010
To answer doctors, Simpson question I think if we look at the overdose desk, uh, information from the medical examiner.

430 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:51:44.010 --> 00:51:54.570
461 death in 2022 to, uh, about a 3rd of those are listed as either homeless.

431 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:51:54.570 --> 00:51:58.800
Or, uh, uh, address on no.

432 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:51:58.800 --> 00:52:04.620
Which, to me, it's, uh, it's almost, uh, about 5 years ago. Those numbers were 2%.

433 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:04.620 --> 00:52:08.820
So that's an obvious data point. We don't have to be labeled.

434 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:08.820 --> 00:52:12.690
The 2nd is access to.

435 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:12.690 --> 00:52:17.100
I sent a lot of information, uh, on.

436 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:17.100 --> 00:52:20.730
A Congress now trying to liberalized methodology.

437 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:20.730 --> 00:52:26.370
Access, for example, those rules and regulations have not been changed.

438 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:26.370 --> 00:52:29.970
For over 40 years, uh, we learned from.

439 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:29.970 --> 00:52:34.620
That, uh, uh, liberalizing access to.

440 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

00:52:34.620 --> 00:52:41.640
Did not increase, uh, overdose this related to.

441 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:41.640 --> 00:52:44.640
It's stayed the same at about 2%.

442 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:44.640 --> 00:52:53.640
The 3rd thing is, uh, dosing of, uh, methadone and buprenorphine and I sent a lot of literature out this morning.

443 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:53.640 --> 00:52:57.360
Um, I've been asked to participate in a.

444 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:52:57.360 --> 00:53:00.930
Rational hearing, I believe on the 6th on methodology.

445 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:53:00.930 --> 00:53:07.560
And access to methadone, but dosing standards have changed for both methadone and buprenorphine.

446 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:53:07.560 --> 00:53:12.420
Because of and we're at nearly 100, um, synthetic.

447 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:53:12.420 --> 00:53:17.700
So those are 3 data points that would give us immediate, uh, results without.

448 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
00:53:17.700 --> 00:53:21.358
Uh, waiting another year, 2 years this study.

449 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:53:21.358 --> 00:53:29.340
Thank you Dr Chapman. I think that those are good points and I think some of that is going to come out when we start hearing our reports from.

450 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:53:29.340 --> 00:53:32.580
From the, uh, committees.

451 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:53:32.580 --> 00:53:35.580
There are a couple of just.

452 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:53:35.580 --> 00:53:43.170
Housekeeping things that I want to get in before we have these 3 reports before we start the reports. Um.

453 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:53:43.170 --> 00:53:53.370

1 of them is, we do have the availability of interns. The way the legislation seems to be written. The office of opioid abatement would be the place that these interns would be.

454 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:53:53.370 --> 00:53:59.220

Would report to it from the office. The opioid abatement is, um.

455 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:53:59.220 --> 00:54:02.700

Responsible for, uh, spending.

456 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:54:02.700 --> 00:54:22.650

Some of our opioid abatement funds, respond responsibly and their budget comes out of our opiated abatement fund. So I want to put this in front of everybody. I would like to present some sort of small step into these interns that are qualified to do work and help us get some of these questions. Right? So that we can get the answers right?

457 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:54:22.650 --> 00:54:34.290

And I just want to make sure that everybody knows that I don't know if we need to make a motion, because it's already kind of part of the purview of the office of opioid abatement too.

458 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:54:34.290 --> 00:54:54.290

To provide support for this, and I think this is a quick way for us to get support the rest of the staff where the office is hung up in the HR process of getting Dr barkers done a good job of getting these job requirements into the city system, but they're getting them back out and getting interviews and stuff is is time consuming.

459 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:54:54.290 --> 00:55:00.510

So, we have the ability to to almost immediately get some, uh, some.

460 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:00.510 --> 00:55:05.490

Assistance with some interns from Georgetown from the graduate program um.

461 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:05.490 --> 00:55:08.730

The routine of a bell runs over at Georgetown, the masters and.

462 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:08.730 --> 00:55:26.580

Addiction policy and practice. The other thing is that we are looking at doing something kind of unusual doing some open ended grant. We've have a lot of people that want to report to the commission on on ideas. That can help the city, and I think it's important for us to be an incubator of ideas.

463 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:26.580 --> 00:55:33.030

But it's also very important not to exclude those people by virtue of the fact that they have ideas from being.

464 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:33.030 --> 00:55:46.650

Funded through the grant process, and 1 of the ways we're thinking about doing this, and I want to put it out there to everybody so that we can get some comments on it and understand it's doing some open ended grant.

465 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:46.650 --> 00:55:53.490

Notices of funding availability that are very open ended that allow people to present their ideas.

466 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:53.490 --> 00:55:57.060

And their expectations to.

467 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:55:57.060 --> 00:56:17.190

Through the grant process without hampering their ability, we're trying to find ways that we don't have for their ability to actually receive grant money by showing favoritism by keeping a level playing field. And this is 1 of the solutions that we've come up with. We're open to other solutions because we want to hear.

468 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:56:17.190 --> 00:56:20.400

In every potential.

469 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:56:20.400 --> 00:56:36.750

Way that we can help the community and the community the people that are on the streets in the community are the ones that understand some of this stuff the best. But we don't want to then preclude them from being able to be part of those solutions that they have discovered. So, that's a, it's kind of a.

470 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:56:36.750 --> 00:56:44.310

Touchy sort of way to go about this and we think we found a way with some open ended grants. We'll hear more about that.

471 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:56:44.310 --> 00:56:49.740

Moving forward, um, those are the 2 things that I have.

472 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:56:49.740 --> 00:56:54.480

Um, stipends for the interns and the open ended grant things that we're working with. Um.

473 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:56:54.480 --> 00:57:00.379

With Dr Barker in the office, any questions about that Dr.

474 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:00.379 --> 00:57:06.600

I'd really like to, um, cause I, I feel like we are discussing and and I'd like to get some.

475 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:06.600 --> 00:57:10.710

Votes and decisions made is it possible to package the.

476 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:10.710 --> 00:57:21.270

Intern stipends the data improvement stuff that I've been talking about, needing support for whatever researchers or other things that the, the office needs.

477 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:21.270 --> 00:57:30.314

Into a single thing that we can approve so that that money can start getting spent and we can get those things cause. I think some of them are foundational for us doing the rest of the work.

478 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:57:30.314 --> 00:57:33.075

I believe we can do that.

479 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:33.075 --> 00:57:41.220

Or, even if we just set a package limit and and said, you know, up to a 1Million dollars or up to 5, whatever.

480 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:41.220 --> 00:57:49.440

Um, we think is a reasonable number. The data stuff alone is about 500,000 dollars, but it's most of it's a 1 time expense for recoding a bunch of stuff.

481 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:57:49.440 --> 00:58:03.840

But it is not small, so I want to be able to just do those things and I, they're not immediate needs, um, that I have budgeted for already. I know the interns aren't. And other things aren't. I'd really like to just vote on giving.

482 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:58:03.840 --> 00:58:14.414

A budget to the office to do these foundational things, and we can make a list of what they are, or they can present us the list of what they are that we can see to something like that. That can go more quickly.

483 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

00:58:14.414 --> 00:58:16.658

Do you want to make that into a motion.

484 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:58:16.658 --> 00:58:28.920

I move that we give the off the abatement office, a budget of 1Million dollars to budget for basic foundational things like data, research assistants.

485 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

00:58:28.920 --> 00:58:36.797

And other supports that they can spend to give, um, support to the commission.

486 "Francisco J Diaz MD" (3604522752)

00:58:36.797 --> 00:58:40.378

i2nd that motion.

487 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:58:40.378 --> 00:58:45.675
Dr, the 2nd, the motion all in favor.

488 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
00:58:45.675 --> 00:58:49.994
Questions on questions on the motion.

489 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:58:49.994 --> 00:58:53.554
I have a question. My hands been up a bit. Can I ask a question?

490 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:58:53.554 --> 00:58:54.713
Yes.

491 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:58:54.713 --> 00:58:57.394
I'm sorry Dr Adam is your hand?

492 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
00:58:57.394 --> 00:59:01.819
Blended it. I'm sorry, I didn't see your hand now that you've mentioned the.

493 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
00:59:01.819 --> 00:59:08.599
No, I didn't have my hand right? I just mentioned that there should be a question to the motion. That was it.
Oh.

494 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
00:59:08.599 --> 00:59:09.717
Are you.

495 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:59:09.717 --> 00:59:15.600
And that's my, and I have a question just to the, to the motion. Um.

496 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:59:15.600 --> 00:59:35.600
Sort of, and I guess that and I think, um, council our chairman Henderson is on the line, and that is, uh, I'm in favor of the, the budget. I I still come back to, um, the issue of how quickly we can see the money go out the door and.

497 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:59:35.600 --> 00:59:48.960
So, the question is, you know, we based on the attorney general, uh, comments and and our, um, ability to recommend approved, blah, blah, blah, uh, how quickly.

498 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)
00:59:48.960 --> 01:00:08.960
Uh, can we actually get, um, approval so trying to understand we, we have this motion go forward, uh, which I'm fully in support of then next steps in terms of again let's approve the motion. Let's deal with that, but making sure we're all.

499 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:00:08.960 --> 01:00:15.240

All clear in terms of next steps that this money actually is then available to spend.

500 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:00:15.240 --> 01:00:21.591

In terms of getting through the mayor and.

501 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:00:21.591 --> 01:00:29.276

Um, and the Council, I didn't think it had to be proof separately by the mayor in the Council, but please attorney general or.

502 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:00:29.276 --> 01:00:31.955

That's what I need clarity on. Yeah, because.

503 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:00:31.955 --> 01:00:40.920

The procurement, my, the data's parallel most of it and that could happen tomorrow. Frankly, it's just a transfer of money between our 2 agencies.

504 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:00:40.920 --> 01:00:52.179

So, the money is sitting in budget already, so I want other, but it's sitting there already so it it should be available unless there's some steps we're missing. Okay. G. yeah.

505 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

01:00:52.179 --> 01:00:59.130

I think that the statute requires the commission to make a recommendation to the mayor and the council.

506 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

01:00:59.130 --> 01:01:06.390

About how the settlement funds are going to be used and so it is true that the settlement funds are sitting in an account.

507 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

01:01:06.390 --> 01:01:13.710

But they are not to be used until this commission makes a specific recommendation for the guidance that the statute.

508 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

01:01:13.710 --> 01:01:17.640

Provides and that recommendation goes up to the mayor and the council and.

509 "DC Attorney General Schwalb" (4018898944)

01:01:17.640 --> 01:01:21.656

The mayor, and or the council authorize the use of that money.

510 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:01:21.656 --> 01:01:25.290

But they can empower the office as they're a representative, right?

511 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:01:25.290 --> 01:01:32.958

To do that they don't have to do it directly. I mean, that's the mayor and the counsel at the power for all the agencies.

512 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:01:32.958 --> 01:01:38.400

Yeah, it is. My understanding I mean, the is.

513 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:01:38.400 --> 01:01:45.690

The executive office it is the mayor in, in the way, I've, I've always thought of this and so, um.

514 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:01:45.690 --> 01:01:55.320

You know, 1 of these are questions that, I think answered themselves as we go through the process here. Um, and a lot this money, these, these are questions that.

515 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:01:55.320 --> 01:02:15.320

Once again, the legislation is is relatively skeletal on this on the exact procedure for the council to approve, or whether they tacitly approve this. I don't know exactly how that works or not, but I put a lot of thought into this and the executive office. The mayor is directly involved in this in that we are.

516 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:02:15.320 --> 01:02:29.430

Through in the office of opioid payment lives within, and they're already approved to pay Orlando salary and the staff salaries and the expenses of the office through the segment of the.

517 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:02:29.430 --> 01:02:35.280

Legislation that that authorizes the office of opioid abatement has already already has.

518 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:02:35.280 --> 01:02:40.014

Access to the funds to to support themselves.

519 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)

01:02:40.014 --> 01:02:44.310

Yes, uh, this is the commissioner, uh, we need a price.

520 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)

01:02:44.310 --> 01:02:47.610

Um, my question with regard to the motion.

521 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)

01:02:47.610 --> 01:02:51.780

Is, um, I was seeking clarification.

522 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)

01:02:51.780 --> 01:02:56.820

Is this money to go to the Department of health?

523 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)
01:02:56.820 --> 01:03:00.810
For the research resources.

524 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)
01:03:00.810 --> 01:03:09.690
Or if it is with the Department of behavioral health, then the opioid, um, abatement.

525 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)
01:03:09.690 --> 01:03:14.310
Office would already have access to these funds.

526 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)
01:03:14.310 --> 01:03:20.640
So that we could capture the, um, resources necessary.

527 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)
01:03:20.640 --> 01:03:28.434
To, uh, build the infrastructure to collect the data and begin the evaluation work.

528 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:03:28.434 --> 01:03:34.350
I don't, um, so the contract, the money would pass through the department to a contract that we already have.

529 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:03:34.350 --> 01:03:40.170
So, that's why it's doable in the short order. The, um.

530 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:03:40.170 --> 01:03:48.180
I'm not sure if it makes sense for DVH to create their own contract for the same thing. And.

531 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:03:48.180 --> 01:03:53.160
The Department of health is mostly the holder of all this data on behalf of all the other agencies.

532 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:03:53.160 --> 01:03:56.340
So, I don't know that it would make any sense to build a separate.

533 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:03:56.340 --> 01:04:00.840
Parallel data system, so, yes, it would go through the Department of public health to pay.

534 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)
01:04:00.840 --> 01:04:06.030
The contractor his name, I don't remember, but who, um, does the coding for the data.

535 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:04:06.030 --> 01:04:11.195
Also faster, but it also keeps us within the window of the health emergency.

536 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:04:11.195 --> 01:04:13.115
This is commissioner.

537 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:04:13.115 --> 01:04:15.518
Didn't have a I did have up my hand up.

538 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:04:15.518 --> 01:04:17.459
I'm sorry.

539 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:04:17.459 --> 01:04:24.180
So so I, I agree that we definitely should take advantage of the interns and we do need data.

540 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:04:24.180 --> 01:04:31.560
I am not comfortable cart blanching, a 1Million dollars or a budget. I haven't seen.

541 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:04:31.560 --> 01:04:38.550
Where's the money going? Who's going to be paid? What? How is it going to be spent? I'm wondering is there a budget.

542 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:04:38.550 --> 01:04:42.990
With something that we can, I don't feel like I'm prepared to make a solid decision.

543 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:04:42.990 --> 01:04:50.280
So, what is their budget that we could look at to see where this money would be going?

544 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:04:55.019 --> 01:05:03.120
I think that's a good point. I think we should create a budget, at least a generalized budget around this so that we can show.

545 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:05:03.120 --> 01:05:12.300
Um, you know, pending the approval of the budget, we could extend this money, you know, approval of, uh, of the.

546 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:05:12.300 --> 01:05:20.760
Where this money is intended to go a big chunk of it is going for our data, which I think we desperately need. Um, but this part of the commissions for.

547 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)
01:05:20.760 --> 01:05:32.220
I remember correctly, Chad and forgive me early on very early on. I believe it was at the 1st meetings. We say we would take advantage of all the data that's already out there.

548 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:05:32.220 --> 01:05:44.520

It's already been spent the money is already been spent to do all the data. We would take advantage of that to help inform us to make decisions. This sounds like something completely different. I'm not saying we don't need that.

549 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:05:44.520 --> 01:05:50.476

But what is it that we can do to garner was already out there?

550 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:05:50.476 --> 01:05:59.070

This is not new data. It's, um, it's doing the programming needed to be able to integrate across data systems.

551 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:05:59.070 --> 01:06:02.460

So, it's it's not new data. It's.

552 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:06:02.460 --> 01:06:06.418

Work on the data, which it just costs.

553 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:06:06.418 --> 01:06:09.750

It sounds like a lot that those those are my comments.

554 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:06:12.754 --> 01:06:20.916

They go to Dr Chapman and then, uh, Dr Simpson after that Demetrius Jones so dark chapter if you want to go.

555 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

01:06:20.916 --> 01:06:24.990

So, I, I would, uh, simply like to piggyback on what Adam said.

556 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

01:06:24.990 --> 01:06:30.840

We need to see the live long VSI 3.0but.

557 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

01:06:30.840 --> 01:06:37.200

That will tell us what the thinking is within the Department of behavioral health.

558 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

01:06:37.200 --> 01:06:41.910

Healthcare finance, whether it's aligned with what's already been spent.

559 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

01:06:41.910 --> 01:06:49.500

Whether it's something new, and we can't make a decision on how to spend this money unless we know where that money's gone.

560 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)

01:06:49.500 --> 01:06:54.150
Um, uh, it's critical, uh, uh, in terms of of.

561 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:06:54.150 --> 01:06:59.310
Complimentary as opposed to, uh, uh, being competitive.

562 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:06:59.310 --> 01:07:03.540
No, we haven't seen the budget and I suspect.

563 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:07:03.540 --> 01:07:06.780
Same people that created that budget.

564 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:07:06.780 --> 01:07:11.070
Are going to be the ones that are going to take our, uh, advice.

565 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:07:11.070 --> 01:07:14.430
And and spend the money the same way.

566 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:07:14.430 --> 01:07:19.770
Uh, I, I don't see where there's a different subset of of evaluated.

567 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:07:19.770 --> 01:07:23.580
Then the government, uh, making these decisions.

568 "Edwin C Chapman, MD" (2470961920)
01:07:27.060 --> 01:07:30.683
1, in the site.

569 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)
01:07:30.683 --> 01:07:39.563
The Matrix hadn't had a chance, his hand was up so I'll defer to him.

570 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)
01:07:39.563 --> 01:07:47.970
Good morning, but I wanted to get turned on by the attention to the gender.

571 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)
01:07:47.970 --> 01:07:52.470
And the fact that we haven't went over the subcommittee progress reports yet.

572 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)
01:07:52.470 --> 01:07:59.460
And also there is appears to be a, some of the same behaviors.

573 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)
01:07:59.460 --> 01:08:04.230

They'll possibly, uh, they have been having in the past.

574 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:04.230 --> 01:08:07.470

Well, though, before you made any suggestions.

575 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:07.470 --> 01:08:10.620

Or before you, I've listened to any of the prevention.

576 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:10.620 --> 01:08:13.620

Henry does know treatment progress reports.

577 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:13.620 --> 01:08:19.710

We already talk about a 1Million dollars gone without making no decisions on opioid abatement.

578 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:19.710 --> 01:08:24.240

It is more of the same. Maybe it's just me.

579 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:24.240 --> 01:08:28.920

Who's head is on a sweater or my hair screw on and off.

580 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:28.920 --> 01:08:34.530

Now, it's the same people with the same behavior doing the same thing.

581 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:34.530 --> 01:08:40.410

And I'm more here to let, you know that you are the investigation.

582 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:40.410 --> 01:08:48.180

Not by me, but but it, the whole everybody has on line and not, everybody has done.

583 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:48.180 --> 01:08:53.340

In our community, we don't want a bait the.

584 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:53.340 --> 01:08:58.080

Problem we're not doing the same things.

585 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:08:58.080 --> 01:09:01.770

That we know it's the same behavior.

586 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:01.770 --> 01:09:09.540

They have is in the position that we and Chad gave an example about the, about the tobacco abatement funds.

587 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:09.540 --> 01:09:17.280

Being 97% used for something other than a bait in tobacco or helping the community.

588 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:17.280 --> 01:09:21.180

And Yao, the appears to be doing the same thing.

589 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:21.180 --> 01:09:25.800

Right here and I think it might be the buddy system going on again.

590 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:25.800 --> 01:09:31.170

Kick back system or something does not appropriate.

591 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:31.170 --> 01:09:40.650

We also want to look at the, um, the medical emergency or the state of the opioid emergency, or the state at the mercy of the digital Colombia.

592 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:40.650 --> 01:09:46.620

And using that in a time period that we have, which is over in February.

593 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:46.620 --> 01:09:50.460

In order to make a push, a lot of people that was on his commission.

594 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:50.460 --> 01:09:56.790

Stated that the opioid emergency or that city health, emergency, public, health, emergency.

595 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:09:56.790 --> 01:10:02.910

Would be advantageous to us getting the opioid abatement Commission, moving faster.

596 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:10:02.910 --> 01:10:10.410

But when we are here for our meeting, we're not looking into the data that we already have. We're not looking into.

597 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:10:10.410 --> 01:10:17.748

Who came out as the committees and I'm just saying that you being watched that's it.

598 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:10:17.748 --> 01:10:27.810

Thank you Demetrius, we have a couple more heads up, but I think, and Demetrius, I think Demetrius makes a good point. We should move on to get some of these reports out.

599 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:10:27.810 --> 01:10:32.910

If if we have no objection, let's table this.

600 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:10:32.910 --> 01:10:50.340

Discussion and table this motion pending some, some more detailed reporting to the commission on what this money is being spent for. I personally believe that this data is important for us to properly understand where this money is being spent and and.

601 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:10:50.340 --> 01:11:02.670

It took me awhile to understand how important data is for some of these things. But but I think, let's, let's make sure we're getting real data and important and it's not the data necessarily. The data's there. It's.

602 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:11:02.670 --> 01:11:08.340

It's how we extrapolate the questions that we specifically have from the data.

603 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:11:08.340 --> 01:11:13.719

So, it is a complicated thing, and I think it's best for us and the interest of time to table this.

604 "Hillcrest" (1713231872)

01:11:13.719 --> 01:11:23.188

Well, commissioner, Jack commissioner Jackson, there is the motion that's been moved and seconded and so then there would need to be.

605 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:11:23.188 --> 01:11:27.300

You have to deal with that motion. Okay. Yeah. Yeah.

606 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:11:27.300 --> 01:11:34.926

You either have to vote it out or withdrawn.

607 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:11:34.926 --> 01:11:50.026

And people that I'd like to move a motion to table the motion at this point and let's go ahead and have the conversations on the on the, on the subcommittee reports.

608 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:11:50.026 --> 01:11:54.450

I think I'm the 1 in parity with dry, which I'm happy to do.

609 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:11:54.450 --> 01:12:00.030

Yeah, if that if that fits, yeah, we can do the sub committee reports and figure out.

610 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:12:00.030 --> 01:12:05.940

Yeah, I really was thinking the motion would include the presentation of a budget, but it's gone a long way.

611 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:12:05.940 --> 01:12:12.788

In this conversation, so we'll table it and do something else. So it's with John.

612 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:12:12.788 --> 01:12:18.724

The motion is withdrawn, let's move on and gets get some reports.

613 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:12:18.724 --> 01:12:30.980

And and Chad can I just make a suggestion then again, in the spirit of time, if we can, um, ask the subcommittees to give the report and, um, if.

614 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:12:30.980 --> 01:12:45.540

Folks could keep those reports to about 6 minutes or so and then we can kind of come back and then based on those reports, look to next steps and action. So that's just a recommendation. I'd like to put out there on the table.

615 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:12:49.868 --> 01:12:55.200

Yes, I think that's a great way to go do it. Um.

616 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:12:55.200 --> 01:12:58.926

Okay, you still have your hand up are you.

617 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:12:58.926 --> 01:13:02.880

That's fine. We have, uh.

618 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:13:02.880 --> 01:13:17.370

That, to me, the most important work is coming out of these committees and so to limit the amount of time that's where the real discussions need to make and where everyone would have.

619 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:13:17.370 --> 01:13:22.325

Be able to contribute so I, I really object to limiting.

620 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:13:22.325 --> 01:13:36.660

Time Dr. Simpson, it was that it was, it wasn't the discussion. It was to have them do the summary of the report, uh, to 6 minutes so that we would have some time to actually, um, ask questions after the report.

621 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:13:36.660 --> 01:13:39.928

So that was the, that was what the 6 minutes was about me.

622 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:13:39.928 --> 01:13:41.485

Okay, thank you.

623 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:13:41.485 --> 01:13:47.088

I agree. All right, let's get the reports. Dr Barker, who was the 1st on the.

624 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:13:47.088 --> 01:13:48.000

For real.

625 "" (0)

01:13:48.000 --> 01:13:53.767

So Dr.

626 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:13:53.767 --> 01:14:02.159

I had a slide, but I'll, I'll just give it verbally. We had a discussion about.

627 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:02.159 --> 01:14:13.260

Um, trying to do some prevention activities that we're working already in the community, the focus became faith based organizations. We looked at the grants that they had already been given.

628 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:13.260 --> 01:14:16.410

Under the sore dollars and.

629 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:16.410 --> 01:14:21.390

The recommendation was made, and I believe, agreed to, by the majority of the.

630 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:21.390 --> 01:14:25.740

Committee by email that we would recommend.

631 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:25.740 --> 01:14:29.940

That those grants be enhanced to the degree that was.

632 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:29.940 --> 01:14:38.820

Possible presuming that there are some limitations or rules, and that those grants would be directed that the extra funds would go to prevention.

633 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:38.820 --> 01:14:48.240

For the current grantees and technical assistance I'm sorry Dr Adams. I didn't add that part. Is anybody in the group want to.

634 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:48.240 --> 01:14:53.160

Enhance that, but I'm, I'm trying to be succinct and that is succinctly what we agreed.

635 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:14:59.400 --> 01:15:06.330

I'm sorry. Okay. 1 more detail. The current grants are to a small number of grantees for 60,000 dollars a piece.

636 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:15:06.330 --> 01:15:12.180

They do cover multiple things, prevention and other things. So this would be an enhancement of 1 part of their work.

637 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:15:12.180 --> 01:15:16.290

And there are some grantees who have models that seem to be effective.

638 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:15:16.290 --> 01:15:21.030

Based on their grant manager, that is what we would be trying to enhance.

639 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:15:29.763 --> 01:15:34.805

I don't remember that we gave an amount or should give an amount.

640 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:15:34.805 --> 01:15:43.320

We did not. Yeah. All right. Well, I did about 50,000 with no, I said their current grants are \$6000.

641 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:15:53.607 --> 01:16:00.540

Okay, I think that because I've sat in on the on the subcommittee hearings and they, they were.

642 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:16:00.540 --> 01:16:11.760

Fabulous by the way, um, there is some overlap in these committees. I think it probably behooves us if if everybody can keep track of having the reports.

643 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:16:11.760 --> 01:16:17.250

And then after hearing all 3 reports and understanding that the.

644 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:16:17.250 --> 01:16:24.270

The overlaps then and and assess being able to assess the priorities. We have a discussion after we hear all 3 reports.

645 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:16:28.410 --> 01:16:31.924

The next report Dr Barker is.

646 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:16:31.924 --> 01:16:35.310

Reduction subcommittee.

647 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:16:35.310 --> 01:16:40.565

So, I think, uh, that is Demetrius Jones.

648 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:16:40.565 --> 01:16:44.850

Okay, 1st, I wanted to start off with.

649 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:16:44.850 --> 01:16:50.640

The definition of harm reduction, the harm reduction model prioritizes.

650 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:16:50.640 --> 01:16:55.500

Reducing negative consequences of a person's sadness used over complex abstinence.

651 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:16:55.500 --> 01:17:00.180

This model recognises, the, that drug uses complex.

652 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:00.180 --> 01:17:05.670

And this may not work for everyone harm reduction aims, reduce harmful consequences like.

653 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:05.670 --> 01:17:09.450

The risk of death and our 1st recommendation.

654 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:09.450 --> 01:17:14.550

Expand the appear emergency response team.

655 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:14.550 --> 01:17:19.260

Which is all, um, it's films, the famous model.

656 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:19.260 --> 01:17:26.220

With is currently working throughout the additional Columbia, including peer organizations agencies, especially at high risk.

657 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:26.220 --> 01:17:34.980

Earliest was 6:7:8 as on side. Mercy responds connect with peers and crisis as a result of 9:1:1 call.

658 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:34.980 --> 01:17:38.310

The, um, the peers will go out.

659 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:38.310 --> 01:17:49.080

And they'll also be more peers or higher and more peers men train number 2. we would.

660 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:49.080 --> 01:17:55.890

Look at the intended, um, impact.

661 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:17:55.890 --> 01:18:04.710

For the response periods would be to provide media harm reduction value lab appears in place to follow up and track peers and crisis.

662 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:04.710 --> 01:18:08.820

Once I encourage these individual to seek immediate treatment.

663 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:08.820 --> 01:18:13.500

Or provide access to treatment that we do the number of individuals who will.

664 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:13.500 --> 01:18:20.669

Immediately relapse or be lost the follow up crisis call. We also.

665 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:20.669 --> 01:18:26.279

Wanted to expand harm reduction within the machines.

666 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:26.279 --> 01:18:31.649

And we also wanted to.

667 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:31.649 --> 01:18:40.169

Be able to contact the stakeholders recreation centers, smoke shops, clubs those who? Venues?

668 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:40.169 --> 01:18:44.009

Here in barbershops and get hungry Dustin messages out.

669 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:44.009 --> 01:18:48.629

That'd be utilized as to the community peer advocates and use ambassadors to encourage.

670 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:48.629 --> 01:18:52.049

The use of harm reduction, resources, safety and education.

671 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:52.049 --> 01:18:55.739

Demonstrations of narcan use as emergency overdose.

672 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:18:55.739 --> 01:19:00.629

Um, information on how to access harm reduction, vending machines.

673 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:00.629 --> 01:19:05.219

And knowing where to go for help, should you are ready?

674 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:05.219 --> 01:19:10.469

The 1 already know or know someone who has an opioid use disorder or become.

675 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:10.469 --> 01:19:20.159

Involved in opioids and then we have a background for that.

676 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:20.159 --> 01:19:34.469

Would be, uh, have a different equity implications that we consider for harm reduction. That's practical strategies and ideas aim to reducing negative consequences associated with drug use.

677 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:34.469 --> 01:19:40.499

Jason is also a movement of social justice built on the belief and respect.

678 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:40.499 --> 01:19:45.089

For the rights of individuals who use drugs and, um.

679 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:45.089 --> 01:19:51.179

It's gonna impact would be harm reduction measures for more of a hands on approach.

680 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:51.179 --> 01:19:56.519

To prevent opioid overdose and create and safer environments and resources to reduce.

681 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:19:56.519 --> 01:20:00.149

Otherwise be encountered.

682 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:00.149 --> 01:20:10.139

By using, and hopefully not only reduce depth, but hopefully prolong life while I have an opportunity to encourage the individual to seek medical treatment and mental health counseling.

683 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:10.139 --> 01:20:13.319

Understanding the opioid use and many.

684 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:13.319 --> 01:20:26.039

Any drug use is a complex Marty fast condition that encompasses a continuum of behaviors from severe abuse to total athletes harm reduction measures.

685 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:26.039 --> 01:20:31.949

Messages acknowledges that some ways of using drills are clearly safer than others.

686 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:31.949 --> 01:20:35.159

Does Henry doesn't incorporates a spectrum of strategies.

687 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:35.159 --> 01:20:40.109

For safety use to manage the use, man is use to.

688 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:40.109 --> 01:20:47.039

That meets the individuals where they're at, and we think that should be a number for us. The summary.

689 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

01:20:47.039 --> 01:20:53.991

But, uh, that's it.

690 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:20:53.991 --> 01:20:59.493

Thank you very much. Uh, Demetrius, the last report report.

691 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:20:59.493 --> 01:21:14.053

Treatment and recovery Dr.

692 "NE" (739019776)

01:21:14.053 --> 01:21:23.555

Okay, I don't know where the folks can see this or not. Yeah, we can see it. Okay, let's see.

693 "NE" (739019776)

01:21:23.555 --> 01:21:40.409

So, okay, try to make it a little bit bigger. We had a longer presentation, but just going to shorten it. So we had looked at a number of different options and I just want to put them in categories and then tell you where we landed. So, looking at actually linking people to care.

694 "NE" (739019776)

01:21:40.409 --> 01:21:56.009

We talked a lot about the concept of boots on the ground using peers could be community advocates people from the faith based community. And it's interesting to hear again from the harm reduction team. The discussion about peers that really was strong within our group.

695 "NE" (739019776)

01:21:56.009 --> 01:22:16.009

We also talked about doing a pilot with contingency management where people are given money rewards to connect to care and to stay in care again, using peers placed in different offices. We talked about human access the concept of no wrong door. No matter where anybody presented at a.

696 "NE" (739019776)

01:22:16.009 --> 01:22:27.629

In the city, they could be connected to treatment. We talked about a mobile methadone van, because with the changing of the DA regulations in 2021 existing can.

697 "NE" (739019776)

01:22:27.629 --> 01:22:36.209

Have an extension for a van we talked about over time training, primary care providers who want to be prescribers of treatment.

698 "NE" (739019776)

01:22:36.209 --> 01:22:39.629

To allow them to do that, and giving them that support and again.

699 "NE" (739019776)

01:22:39.629 --> 01:22:49.199

With the presence of peers, and we talked about creating pathways for existing providers to be able to offer residential treatment for youth.

700 "NE" (739019776)

01:22:49.199 --> 01:22:57.929

In terms of recover support, we talked about using the pandemic housing process to see if we could.

701 "NE" (739019776)

01:22:57.929 --> 01:23:03.509

Again, over time set up transitional housing we talked about, uh.

702 "NE" (739019776)

01:23:03.509 --> 01:23:13.019

The C, c's in them, trying to complete their certification training supervisors who could actually approve this given that has been.

703 "NE" (739019776)

01:23:13.019 --> 01:23:29.819

A roadblock, and lastly, in terms of general infrastructure, we talked about a real time dashboard where appear, or anybody else could say, okay, here are the 4 beds and wraps. There are 2 slots here. There are 5 slots here. So we know exactly where treatment is happening.

704 "NE" (739019776)

01:23:29.819 --> 01:23:43.349

In real time at any time we also talked to Matt about a mass media, a treatment campaign regarding stigma, awareness, availability of treatment, where you can't look left, or right in the city without being blanketed with some message about that.

705 "NE" (739019776)

01:23:43.349 --> 01:24:03.349

When it came to peers, and I'm just jumping to this is there's different things that we thought about. We thought about the necessity of a peer network. So, a peer placed in the, er, can reach out to the pier place in an office can reach out to a pure place anywhere else. So there's this navigation and hand off again with an emphasis on the concept of.

706 "NE" (739019776)

01:24:03.349 --> 01:24:14.789

Boots on the ground and the peer being part and parcel of the teams within health within a health office working with case management social workers. I've been thinking a step beyond.

707 "NE" (739019776)

01:24:14.789 --> 01:24:34.789

Ensuring peers have the ability to be general health peers, like a neutral care coordination thinking, when we're over the immediate throes of the epidemic, which is, you know, fingers crossed, where they can become part and parcel of the team but work beyond just opioid use disorder focusing on certain high risk.

708 "NE" (739019776)

01:24:34.789 --> 01:24:50.819

Patients ensuring the quality insurance system and oversight, and keeping in mind the challenges that people have talked about in working with peers, finding them ensuring they get appropriate compensation and finding non, traditional ways of hiring.

709 "NE" (739019776)

01:24:50.819 --> 01:25:03.629

And so, with us, it really was about the contingency management and the peers. But again, we had looked at a whole bunch of other things along the list, which I assume we can share at some other time.

710 "NE" (739019776)

01:25:03.629 --> 01:25:17.759

In terms of funding at a minimum, we thought for each peer would be about 50,000 dollars. And so it would be multiples of that, depending on how many we can fund and where they can be placed.

711 "NE" (739019776)

01:25:17.759 --> 01:25:30.269

1, more slide I wanted to say was the concept of data to help guide us looking at the bottom there, where it talks about peer recovery specialist as well. Where are they in the city? What is the demand?

712 "NE" (739019776)

01:25:30.269 --> 01:25:35.759

Where are they needed corresponding with overdose rates or the availability of treatment?

713 "NE" (739019776)

01:25:35.759 --> 01:25:44.489

That is also data that would be helpful to us so we can get more granular in terms of our recommendations. But again, just to summarize.

714 "NE" (739019776)

01:25:44.489 --> 01:25:52.049

We're looking at the boots on the ground supporting peers, and we're also looking at contingency management pilot.

715 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:25:55.670 --> 01:26:02.609

Fantastic Thank you so much to all of the subcommittees. I know that we've.

716 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:26:02.609 --> 01:26:14.309

We have some people saying they had a hard time hearing. It was loud and clear for me we were working on trying to assess that. This is all being recorded. So we'll, we'll.

717 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:26:14.309 --> 01:26:19.589

Um, if you reach out to Dr Barker, we can make sure you got information. Um.

718 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:26:19.589 --> 01:26:31.949

We're gonna have a discussion on this, and then we're going to have some public comment, but 1 of the things that I've noticed that we have in common there, there are 2 common things that peers are very important. And I think we need to look into.

719 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:26:31.949 --> 01:26:46.469

Specifically where the gaps are, and where, and how to fill those needs across the board of these committees. But everybody, I think understands that this should be and is effective as a peer driven. Um.

720 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:26:46.469 --> 01:26:59.399

You know, it's a peer driven ways, and the other thing is trying to communicate with the community on a more 1 on 1 basis. These religious communication. This pure communication is is, um.

721 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:26:59.399 --> 01:27:07.619

We want to want to reach a lot of people, but in some of these, these crises points with some of the people that are.

722 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:27:07.619 --> 01:27:13.949

They're overdosing we, we need to have some more direct interaction with them. So those are 2.

723 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:27:13.949 --> 01:27:19.469

Underlying themes that that I'm seeing in this, there's obviously some break detail in here.

724 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:27:19.469 --> 01:27:23.189

And I want to open it up for discussion um.

725 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:27:23.189 --> 01:27:26.530

And see what questions we have, thank you.

726 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:27:26.530 --> 01:27:30.389

If I could just just just the technical assistance moment.

727 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:27:30.389 --> 01:27:35.339

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728 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:27:35.339 --> 01:27:39.359

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729 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

01:27:39.359 --> 01:27:45.505

Turn up your output for your speaker, and hopefully that should address if.

730 "NE" (739019776)

01:27:45.505 --> 01:27:50.711
If you're having a.

731 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
01:27:50.711 --> 01:27:53.793
Thank you.

732 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:27:56.191 --> 01:28:02.431
Should you have your hand up.

733 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:02.431 --> 01:28:08.429
Ah, yes, um, just to piggyback on, um.

734 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:08.429 --> 01:28:27.149
Mr. Demetrius report we are, I am also with the harm reduction committee and we yeah. Peers were a heavy discussion with us as well. And it is actually 1 on 1, number 1 recommendations. We talked about the emergency response peers because.

735 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:27.149 --> 01:28:32.969
When when there's an hour 1 call to come out for an overdose or potential overdose.

736 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:32.969 --> 01:28:37.169
Uh, we thought of utilizing what's currently in place.

737 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:37.169 --> 01:28:45.689
Um, as well as expanding, and what's currently is placed that they're appear organizations, peer groups all across the city who are in place.

738 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:45.689 --> 01:28:55.739
And that the network needs to include communications between those peer networks, all those pure entities. So that.

739 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:28:55.739 --> 01:29:08.939
Um, appear can be called locally on site of an emergency, or or appear in crisis. So we were looking at ways to, uh, immediately utilize what's in place as well as.

740 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:29:08.939 --> 01:29:15.659
Continue to expand on that. So if you have and we lose a lot of people.

741 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:29:15.659 --> 01:29:27.449
Uh, in terms of 9:1:1 cause that if the individual refuses to go, or does not go to a follow up treatment, what happens to them, especially those who are homeless, et cetera.

742 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:29:27.449 --> 01:29:35.519

Peers in that community are likely to be familiar with many of the individuals in those places or.

743 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:29:35.519 --> 01:29:51.989

Connected with the areas where someone, maybe where a high risk overdoses occur. So we thought peers in place who are familiar with those particular communities who are there working those communities might be a quick and and, um.

744 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:29:51.989 --> 01:29:56.849

In fact, the resource to talk with the parent crisis.

745 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:29:56.849 --> 01:30:16.849

At the moment, even if the peer does not, even if the individual does not go to the hospital appear now has been connected with that individual and we're able to track that individual and hopefully with the peer support that that individual will have to his community. Um, be able to encourage that person to eventually if not immediately.

746 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:30:16.849 --> 01:30:22.289

Seek treatment, so we thought that that would be a a strong in place.

747 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)
01:30:22.289 --> 01:30:31.427

Um, impact in terms of capturing those who are lost from 9:1: on 1 calls.

748 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:30:31.427 --> 01:30:37.799

Thank you very much. I agree with all of that. Um, the next hand is.

749 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:30:37.799 --> 01:30:45.006

Voice recording.

750 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:30:45.006 --> 01:30:48.989

I'm trying to get off mute here. Uh, uh.

751 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:30:48.989 --> 01:30:55.619

Good morning everyone, um, just real briefly. I just want to add just a.

752 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:30:55.619 --> 01:30:58.889

Additional context to the treatment recovery committee.

753 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:30:58.889 --> 01:31:03.179

And and kind of piggy back, we just said.

754 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:03.179 --> 01:31:16.649

And so, 1 of the peer focus on 1 of the things that really emphasize on that, I emphasized in the, um, human recovery committee, and how we propose to deploy peers and why we want to place them in the.

755 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:16.649 --> 01:31:21.689

And what practice is that our context was, what can we do right now?

756 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:21.689 --> 01:31:28.649

That would have an immediate impact on this opioid crisis challenge.

757 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:28.649 --> 01:31:32.579

That concrete that can be measured.

758 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:32.579 --> 01:31:36.059

And that can be implemented right now.

759 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:36.059 --> 01:31:40.439

That's the context for the peer funding appear.

760 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:40.439 --> 01:31:45.766

Or 2 for every.

761 "AWhetsell" (3214528512)

01:31:45.766 --> 01:31:48.524

And because at the top, and, uh.

762 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:48.524 --> 01:31:54.689

By prescribing volume now, this peer funding in those practices.

763 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:54.689 --> 01:31:59.609

Would be peer navigator and so you got your support.

764 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:31:59.609 --> 01:32:07.289

You got peer coordinators majority of our peers right now, or any a peer support or a peer coordinating role.

765 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:32:07.289 --> 01:32:13.949

So, for the organizations in the practice, we do have peers those peers are primarily focus internally.

766 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:32:13.949 --> 01:32:24.809

This peer Navigator funding would be the peer dedicated to that practice. 1 is to keep those patients who keep falling in and out of treatment.

767 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:32:24.809 --> 01:32:27.869
Who attended would relapse an overdose.

768 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:32:27.869 --> 01:32:31.319
Is the work specific for those patients to keep them end treatment?

769 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:32:31.319 --> 01:32:46.529
Right but also too and the navigator there would be that point on the ground in that community. Piggybacking on Dr settles perspective right? They also would go out and do outreach. They would go out and work with the Chris Hans.

770 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:32:46.529 --> 01:32:54.989
Uh, Chris Thomas, and the prince ham folks on the ground who were seeing Saturday would be a contact with those individuals.

771 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:32:54.989 --> 01:33:03.659
As well, as in the community doing that outreach, and they, when they got somebody the need treatment, or can talk in the treatment, they can bring.

772 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:33:03.659 --> 01:33:23.659
Person right to the practice that they're connected with. Yeah. And the other piece to that, which is really, really important about putting that peer in the practice is to really drive adoption of the peers. Okay we know. Appears. We all love peers, but not everybody. In fact, most people don't even know what a peer is that.

773 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:33:23.659 --> 01:33:28.379
And what the peers do, a lot of conditions don't positions, et cetera.

774 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:33:28.379 --> 01:33:41.519
But to appear in that practice, not only work with that practice care team. We really work hand in hand with the prescribing position and we would ask that that physician be a mentor to that peer.

775 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:33:41.519 --> 01:33:47.459
Right and for those hard to treat patients, not keeping in practice, he would work with the physician.

776 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:33:47.459 --> 01:33:56.189
And then, of course, is appear go out and grab people and get people in the treatment. He would be communicating that directly with the position. So that's the context.

777 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:33:56.189 --> 01:34:00.389
Of, you know, 50,000, whatever dollars it is.

778 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:00.389 --> 01:34:04.799
Is dedicate and fun peers per year, or even 2.

779 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:04.799 --> 01:34:08.579
And the practices that are currently providing, or.

780 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:08.579 --> 01:34:13.079
Uh, treatment, so we can get.

781 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:13.079 --> 01:34:19.469
The people in treatment treatment, and so we can get people in the treatment and bring them directly in the treatment.

782 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:19.469 --> 01:34:23.819
And and then we create that web and infrastructure and then also.

783 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:23.819 --> 01:34:27.899
With the longer term is to drive adoption of the model.

784 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:27.899 --> 01:34:31.499
And integrate the peers into the care team.

785 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:31.499 --> 01:34:35.369
Because right now they're just kind of hanging out there as a support.

786 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)
01:34:35.369 --> 01:34:41.007
Glad to help you thank you very much, but then not truly integrated into the care team.

787 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:34:41.007 --> 01:34:48.029
Thank you Larry Dr Adams you have your hand up, but quickly that I have a thought here.

788 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:34:48.029 --> 01:34:52.619
All right a temporary, um, panel.

789 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:34:52.619 --> 01:34:57.989
1, to 2 people from each of our subcommittee's getting together to talk about peers.

790 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
01:34:57.989 --> 01:35:05.069
And create some sort of organization around a budget and a, and more of a complex.

791 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:35:05.069 --> 01:35:18.329

Uh, network that could be advised and set up through this process might be a way to, to go forward here because it seems like peers are showing up in multiple places and and doing multiple jobs. They don't want our.

792 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:35:18.329 --> 01:35:35.148

Our, uh, report to say, train and hire a bunch of peers because then we're not actually being functional. Here. We need to we need to dig down and make sure that this, that this is that this is a functional thing that we're actually solving problems instead of just creating an army that doesn't have.

793 "Beverlyn" (3691818240)

01:35:35.148 --> 01:35:37.384

Have signed.

794 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:35:37.384 --> 01:35:39.948

Yep, doctor.

795 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:35:39.948 --> 01:35:45.269

I just wanted to go back to, um.

796 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:35:45.269 --> 01:35:53.909

Ask a question about the announcement that the mayor made when she did her state of emergency address.

797 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:35:53.909 --> 01:35:59.999

That she was going to put together a data system.

798 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:35:59.999 --> 01:36:04.049

That would somehow connect the agencies.

799 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:04.049 --> 01:36:09.269

I'm just wondering if this data system she's talking about.

800 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:09.269 --> 01:36:12.599

Isn't a duplicate of what we're talking about?

801 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:12.599 --> 01:36:29.159

And making sure that we don't, we don't duplicate efforts, because I'm sure that if they're going to go through the lengths of putting together a data system that connects agencies that there's going to be a lot of research involved. So, I just wanted to put that out there and wondering if she was using the money from the opioid abatement.

802 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:29.159 --> 01:36:32.279

To do that. So I think that's something that.

803 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:32.279 --> 01:36:39.089

We should explore and find out. I know a couple people on this call was standing right next to her when she make an announcement.

804 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:39.089 --> 01:36:49.349

Secondly, we did, we did bring up the Facebook organizations and, you know, after doing some research.

805 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:49.349 --> 01:36:52.829

Have found that they want to do the work.

806 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:52.829 --> 01:36:58.499

Um, but they feel bogged down and encumbered by the.

807 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:36:58.499 --> 01:37:05.429

Restrictions and only 10% of the money that they're getting can go to staffing. So it just seems like.

808 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:37:05.429 --> 01:37:13.229

There there, it keeps them from being of what the lack of resources keeps them from being affected as.

809 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:37:13.229 --> 01:37:22.610

People on the ground closest to the problem. So I just wanted to throw that out there. Thank you for everyone. And your your comments.

810 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:37:22.610 --> 01:37:26.369

Doctor Adams very insightful is always.

811 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:37:26.369 --> 01:37:29.879

I can say that we are not.

812 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:37:29.879 --> 01:37:44.159

Working with the mayor to, to spend this money on on the mayor's data center and, and I am extremely interested in in this money being effectively spent and not over and not reproducing things. And that's something that.

813 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:37:44.159 --> 01:37:49.199

That we're going to internalize in the office and.

814 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:37:49.199 --> 01:38:00.899

And I'm going to prioritize so this money is properly spent in the right places. I feel that's incredibly important. And an important part of this. And I think that I think that.

815 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:00.899 --> 01:38:12.959

What you're talking about about the faith based groups is another very important point. The samhsa, the federal money comes with strings and those strains. The Department of behavioral health has a.

816 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:12.959 --> 01:38:32.959

It's a momentous job making sure they can get this money out and the categories from the federal government. We don't have some of those restrictions and I think we need to. I think we need to knit some of these things in appropriately. So that so that we can make these moneys more effective because we don't want to notify the money that's coming in.

817 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:32.959 --> 01:38:38.009

But we can make that money more useful and more effective. And I think we're getting towards that.

818 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:38.009 --> 01:38:41.099

So, thank you very much, very insightful. Thanks, Jane.

819 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:41.099 --> 01:38:45.869

Um, let's see.

820 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:45.869 --> 01:38:50.366

Jackie, do you want to move us into the next section is to almost time for public comment.

821 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:38:50.366 --> 01:38:57.189

Here yeah, I see Mr. has been up for a while. So I, I don't want to disregard that.

822 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:38:57.189 --> 01:39:01.029

Sorry Mr. being apologize. I didn't see it.

823 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:39:01.029 --> 01:39:12.930

You're on mute, sir we can't hear you.

824 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:39:12.930 --> 01:39:16.108

We can't hear you.

825 "Patricia Quinn" (3944012288)

01:39:16.108 --> 01:39:19.199

Can you put it in the chat? Mister?

826 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:39:27.881 --> 01:39:39.691

Are you talking? Mr and it looks like you're not on mute. I don't see the little mute side beside your name, but we can't hear you at all. Speakers may not be.

827 "Patricia Quinn" (3944012288)

01:39:39.691 --> 01:39:43.799

You could disengage your headphones sometimes that creates a problem.

828 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:39:59.006 --> 01:40:05.447

It may have to disconnect his headphones.

829 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:05.447 --> 01:40:06.827

Can you hear.

830 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:40:06.827 --> 01:40:09.348

Now, yes, now that's a good.

831 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:09.348 --> 01:40:13.649

All right, I'm on my phone cause I don't know what's happening with my computer.

832 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:13.649 --> 01:40:18.029

But I wanted to go back to something needs to go again. We're talking about.

833 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:18.029 --> 01:40:24.419

The peer Navigator, and I don't know if any of you all have ever visited it.

834 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:24.419 --> 01:40:30.929

Dr. shannon's office but that's what me and my wife do on a daily basis.

835 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:30.929 --> 01:40:35.219

And I would ask that you guys go there, so you all can see what a.

836 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:35.219 --> 01:40:38.399

Peer Navigator really does.

837 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:38.399 --> 01:40:42.149

In terms of the communication, uh.

838 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:42.149 --> 01:40:47.879

He was talking about, uh, following clients and their progress.

839 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:47.879 --> 01:40:52.469

We do that 5 days a week. We have clients who are.

840 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:52.469 --> 01:40:56.609

On weekly BI, weekly and monthly.

841 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:40:56.609 --> 01:41:00.989

And we connect them in real time.

842 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:00.989 --> 01:41:04.889

To, uh, whatever it is that they need.

843 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:04.889 --> 01:41:09.179

With our navigation system on our computer.

844 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:09.179 --> 01:41:13.349

Under the leadership Council held the communities platform.

845 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:13.349 --> 01:41:18.839

So, we're doing that in real time. We are able to find out.

846 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:18.839 --> 01:41:22.199

Who's coming in who's not coming in.

847 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:22.199 --> 01:41:28.979

We are able to reach out to them, find out why they're not coming in if there's transportation issues.

848 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:28.979 --> 01:41:33.269

Well, they're not, they don't they want to disengage or re, engage.

849 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:33.269 --> 01:41:38.699

We are doing that and I would ask that you guys go there and the reason I'm asking that.

850 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:38.699 --> 01:41:45.149

And because so you can see how this works when you're talking about developing a network moving forward.

851 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:45.149 --> 01:41:56.909

If you don't have nothing to base it on in real time, how can you move forward and talking about presenting peer navigation and you don't even know what a platform appear. Navigation looks like.

852 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:41:56.909 --> 01:42:16.970

So, that's why I'm asking you guys to go down job to jasmine's office. So you can see what it looks like 5 days a week. 90390339 to 4, whatever time our clients come in on a daily basis. In real time.

853 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:42:16.970 --> 01:42:21.839

Thank you. Mr. you're exactly right. We have to use evidence based.

854 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:42:21.839 --> 01:42:26.249

Work here, we, we want to have effective use of this.

855 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:42:26.249 --> 01:42:33.989

Um, uh, Mr, I think your, your comments in the tech in the chatter are.

856 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:42:33.989 --> 01:42:37.019

Uh, I accept that that I have.

857 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:42:37.019 --> 01:42:57.019

That we need to keep these things separate as well. Uh, we have to have some sort of my frustration stems from the fact that I want to make sure that we're trying to get. We're, we're trying to get some of this money out the door and try to get it done effectively with, with a shortage of data so that we can make some of these things happen. Um, unfortunately, for the.

858 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:42:57.019 --> 01:43:01.766

Question we don't have any more hands we need to have Jackie. I think you have.

859 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:43:01.766 --> 01:43:23.899

Yes, yes, I want it to just, uh, put out on the table for consideration that we, uh, look at those, um, items that have come up through the subcommittees that are non monetary that don't require, um, funding at this point.

860 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:43:23.899 --> 01:43:38.939

That we can at least think about moving those, particularly in a way, at least, to have them placed on and kind of 1 document. So that we can kind of take a look at those. Um.

861 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:43:38.939 --> 01:43:45.359

Items that aren't not necessarily related to funding. I would also, um.

862 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:43:45.359 --> 01:44:05.359

Think about, uh, when we are looking at those, uh, that, that we at least try to look at some prioritization of those, uh, recommendations. And then separately have, um, Orlando in the office, kind of put together what that budget that was discussed kind of looks like.

863 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:44:05.359 --> 01:44:25.359

In terms of some of that, um, initial funding, a lots of questions have certainly been raised with respect to kind of what's in there. But if we can kind of look at looking at those things that are moving the items that we've discussed through your subcommittees initially, that aren't necessarily.

864 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:44:25.359 --> 01:44:45.359

Um, money related, let's get those kind of out and so that we can move those for further consideration. But then also, then ask that, um, we have the items that have been discussed relatively earlier with respect to the budget and the data the.

865 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:44:45.359 --> 01:45:05.359

Put in, um, as the office to kind of put those together so that we can look at that secondary. So I'm actually action that we kind of do 2 things. Uh, but most importantly to have you guys have done some, tremendous work. And that was the reason why we put these subcommittees together in the 1st place was.

866 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:45:05.359 --> 01:45:14.951

To have that output, but also have those things prioritize. Does that make sense to everybody? Yes.

867 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:45:14.951 --> 01:45:32.869

And so that would be that would be the motion that I would have at least to have you guys, let's move the recommendations that don't necessarily have, um, budgetary implications. So that we can get to go forward with those in terms of next steps.

868 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:45:32.869 --> 01:45:35.969

But then ask for a, um.

869 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:45:35.969 --> 01:45:50.246

A budget, uh, on the on the other items. Uh, and then we'll kind of get to that next phase of, uh, some discussions relative to the other items that were brought up.

870 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:45:50.927 --> 01:45:54.149

And I open that up for discussion of course.

871 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:45:58.028 --> 01:46:03.179

I would like to say that I agree that.

872 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:46:03.179 --> 01:46:11.189

We need to I'm agreeing with Dr Bennett as well. We need every every item needs to have a budget.

873 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:46:11.189 --> 01:46:19.720

Because at the end of the day, I think the fastest way to get to spend his money is how much are we going to allocate to each issue?

874 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:46:19.720 --> 01:46:29.969

Right. And so I think that's something we need to kind of do together is, you know, that's just my opinion instead of separating things out where we know.

875 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:46:29.969 --> 01:46:37.799

We need to know where this money is going and I love what you said that his boss about.

876 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:46:37.799 --> 01:46:42.823

Priority what is the priority? So.

877 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:46:42.823 --> 01:47:01.369

Yeah, and that's Adam's what I would suggest that each subcommittee would look at some initial budgeting of those items and bring them bring those back. I don't this is Jackie's opinion. I don't think we should kind of debate the, um, this full group.

878 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:47:01.369 --> 01:47:21.369

Should be doing that I think that it should start with the subcommittees kind of going back and looking at what those, what the budget looks like for the particular recommendations that they're putting forward and then and with priority. And then we come back to and then allow the office to kind of.

879 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:47:21.369 --> 01:47:41.369

Roll that up, we have each subcommittee look at the financial guesstimates of what they think. Then we bring that back to the office to kind of roll that up. Folks would kind of defend for lack of a better term. And then we vote. I just think having that process.

880 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:47:41.369 --> 01:47:56.908

And having this larger group really focused on hearing, and then going through some ranking of what we believe are the priorities based on the overall budget versus us kind of as a larger group doing that.

881 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:47:56.908 --> 01:48:02.990

Then we will definitely get through the work. That's just Jackie's opinion. Yeah, definitely. Thank you. Yeah.

882 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:48:02.990 --> 01:48:05.009

Bye bye.

883 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:48:05.009 --> 01:48:10.949

Can I suggest that we reverse that since we don't know the limitations and.

884 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:48:10.949 --> 01:48:17.789

The different, um, grant making rules that the office propose a budget.

885 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:48:17.789 --> 01:48:20.969

And explain what limitations might be involved.

886 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:48:20.969 --> 01:48:29.645

And the, the timing involved, and then we, as the subcommittees can look at that and speak to it and and agree or not agree your ask for it to be tweaked.

887 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:48:29.645 --> 01:48:47.790

You mean, just a total uh, yeah, I, I assume we knew that total amount Dr Bennett but I'm, I'm fine. I just think that letting the subcommittees do the, the, the work is probably better than having it done here at this.

888 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:48:47.790 --> 01:48:55.979

That's what I'm saying, but having the office bring back, we gave you a proposal. What do you know about that? Might this might cost.

889 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:48:55.979 --> 01:49:04.199

And what goes into it, and they can get that from whoever, and then come back to us. So that we're not recommending things that then turn out not to be possible.

890 "Ayanna Bennett" (482756096)

01:49:04.199 --> 01:49:09.059

It just so that all of that expertise can go into it before we vote.

891 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:49:12.172 --> 01:49:17.549

I feel like, excuse me I'm gonna say something real quick.

892 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:49:17.549 --> 01:49:22.499

We've been on this call talking about peers all day.

893 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:49:22.499 --> 01:49:26.159

But when I brought up the peer navigation.

894 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:49:26.159 --> 01:49:30.629

And a platform that was working, and as that we go visit it.

895 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:49:30.629 --> 01:49:34.859

So, we can see how it works and put it in place.

896 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:49:34.859 --> 01:49:39.086

I didn't get a yay or nay. I feel like I was totally ignored.

897 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:49:39.086 --> 01:49:48.509

Mr, I thought I heard and maybe it was my imagination. I thought I heard that. Um.

898 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:49:48.509 --> 01:50:08.509

That I don't think that there's any disagreement around that. Um, I think again, it comes back to the subcommittee, um, making at the end of the day, the recommendation to move forward with it. And I don't, I don't think that there was any objection to what you were saying.

899 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:09.768 --> 01:50:16.079

What can we agree that everybody go down there at 1 time and visit.

900 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:16.079 --> 01:50:20.549

I don't see W, we can if we can meet at office.

901 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:20.549 --> 01:50:25.889

Have a meeting what's the problem with all of us going down there?

902 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:25.889 --> 01:50:33.149

To see how this works, so that we going forward, like Mr. and the other dogs that was on.

903 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:33.149 --> 01:50:37.229

Earlier talking about ears and the importance of Avalon.

904 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:37.229 --> 01:50:41.909

On the ground boots on the ground so you will know how to set this up.

905 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:41.909 --> 01:50:45.475

And how it works what's the problem?

906 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:50:45.475 --> 01:50:48.753

There is no answer. So can we come up.

907 "LARRY BING" (2196906240)

01:50:48.753 --> 01:50:49.473

A date.

908 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:50:49.473 --> 01:50:54.113

Can we agree to go? So, Chad, this is your meeting so I'll let you.

909 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:50:54.113 --> 01:51:00.359

Here we are, people are welcome to go do that. The constraints of the open meeting.

910 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:51:00.359 --> 01:51:20.359

System provides us little, very little leeway to do this in an open meeting way. People are welcome to come and see that as their interest. I mean, I've done a lot of work with peers and and some people want to do that more than we appreciate your invitation. And I think some people will take you up on it. But I don't know that we need to.

911 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:51:20.359 --> 01:51:26.339

Normalize a field trip for the commission at this point in time maybe in the future.

912 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:51:26.339 --> 01:51:39.394

But I certainly appreciate it and I think it's a good idea and I think we need to learn from existing best practices, not only here in D. C. but across the country, I've got a couple of hands up and we are running short on.

913 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:51:39.394 --> 01:51:44.736

Because we need to we need to take action on the motion as well. So.

914 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:51:44.736 --> 01:51:49.829

Um, a sense of.

915 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:51:49.829 --> 01:51:53.879

What I'm hearing is that, um.

916 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:51:53.879 --> 01:51:57.389

Most of us have talked about peers.

917 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:51:57.389 --> 01:52:03.210

And it clearly, it reminds me of years ago when we started with 14.

918 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:52:03.210 --> 01:52:07.560

Home health AIDS before there was such a thing as.

919 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:52:07.560 --> 01:52:19.200

So, what we now call home care, started out exactly the way we're starting with the peers now and they were, there were 14 home health AIDS that we added.

920 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:52:19.200 --> 01:52:39.200

More responsibility over time and, you know, now what home health AIDS are and so this sounds exactly like that, except that's using appears in a in a different way, but we, every 1 of us has talked about adding something to.

921 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:52:39.200 --> 01:52:48.780

Peer responsibility, so I agree with Jackie in saying, let's find the things that will cost nothing.

922 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:52:48.780 --> 01:53:05.640

And see how we can build on that and then we can add the things that cause, uh, I almost fell out of my chair when we talked about giving somebody a 1Million dollars to do what staff should be doing. But.

923 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:53:05.640 --> 01:53:25.640

So, let's start out with the things that we believe could be accomplished with costing nothing. And I think it sounds like the condition is saying we want to really expand and improve and all of the other adjectives for the peer.

924 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:53:25.640 --> 01:53:29.190

Group that that's what we want to do.

925 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:53:29.190 --> 01:53:38.730

And work on that, so Mr. being, we have certain, we certainly heard you we don't need to go see it.

926 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:53:38.730 --> 01:53:58.730

It's working all of the time. So gathering into an office is not going to help. You actually want to make sure that the community this commission knows other peers and the work that they are doing and all of the reports, I think DJ is.

927 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:53:58.730 --> 01:54:09.300

Port, uh, was just right on and then I heard someone talk about adding responsibility or training and that the adding.

928 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:54:09.300 --> 01:54:15.390

Um, mental health 1st, state to the peer training would be very, very helpful.

929 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:54:15.390 --> 01:54:30.630

So then, I think that we are at the business of accepting peer enhancement is 1 of our is the thing we want to do, and you're not Chad. We're not going to get money out quickly for.

930 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:54:30.630 --> 01:54:41.160

That yeah, I agree. We're at we are past 11 o'clock. Everybody I, we need to close some, uh, quick business and then we need to have some public comment.

931 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:54:41.160 --> 01:54:53.940

Everyone online, I promise to stay here. We will keep the recording going for all the public comments. If anyone has to leave, I will work on getting our next meeting set up as soon as possible after I reach back to some of the.

932 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:54:53.940 --> 01:54:58.232

Some of the commission members, so Jackie yeah.

933 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:54:58.232 --> 01:55:13.940

We have to we have to, you know, we folks are leaving, but we haven't voted on the, the motion to move forward with the next 2 actions. So that I think we just need to do before we open it up for public comment and folks everyone.

934 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:55:13.940 --> 01:55:17.533

Yes.

935 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:55:17.533 --> 01:55:21.958

Okay, we're voting on what is what is the.

936 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:55:21.958 --> 01:55:26.455

Hey, this is all ready.

937 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:55:26.455 --> 01:55:33.176

So, the, the vote was to move forward to basically, um, move them.

938 "Larry Gourdine" (1762851328)

01:55:33.176 --> 01:55:37.055

I'm sorry.

939 "Dr. LaVerne Adams" (3668169984)

01:55:37.055 --> 01:55:40.432

I think we can hear you, Larry, we can hear you.

940 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:55:40.432 --> 01:56:00.860

Um, so we want to move the motion to move the motion on those items that don't cost money. So let's go ahead and move the motion in terms of that. We would like to then ask the office to give us, uh, clearly what the.

941 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:56:00.860 --> 01:56:05.040

Amount of money the budget is that we have to spend.

942 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:56:05.040 --> 01:56:25.040

Big big picture big to spend, uh, and so that we get that out. So that at least folks are where we're starting to look at the monetary items, have a sense of the dollars that are available. And then they can then look at those dollars that are available, as we think about the recommendations that we're making.

943 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:56:25.040 --> 01:56:45.080

Right. And then have those recommendations within your subcommittee prioritize, we're going to roll those all up and then at our at our meeting the next 1, we're able to clearly say, here's what we have. Here's what we're spending. And then we're then talking about.

944 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:56:45.080 --> 01:57:05.080

Those things so that we can go ahead and have some action. I understand everybody's frustration, but I'm going to ask us just to continue to give each other some grace here. And at least I'm hoping at our next meeting, then we have some clarity around prioritization and cost and then we can.

945 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:57:05.080 --> 01:57:23.774

I'll look at those items that we can move forward quickly what the office can spend right away now. And then what needs to be, um, on that list that we can put forward to the mayor for and the counsel for action. We can 1 at a time.

946 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:57:23.774 --> 01:57:41.150

Can we get that's 2 motions that really I'm just trying to. I'm trying to think. So I'm good with W. W, you know what we need to do to move to move forward in in that order, cause I, you know, I sent the frustration and I respect it. Um.

947 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:57:41.150 --> 01:57:45.840

Yes, we got to go through a process, but I'm just trying to bring some clarity to it.

948 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:57:45.840 --> 01:57:59.996

So, yes, to answer your questions. Um, if that if that makes sense, that's fine but I would like before we hang up to have at least that action approved or or or.

949 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:57:59.996 --> 01:58:05.317

Jackie, give us a sync, something to vote on. We'll do this in 2 sections.

950 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:58:05.317 --> 01:58:18.120

Okay, I'd like to move a motion that we, um, accept those items from the subcommittees that require no funding.

951 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:58:18.120 --> 01:58:22.114

To have those rolled up in our recommendations for consideration.

952 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:58:25.550 --> 01:58:34.077

And what that means is, we're going to gather all of those recommendations and put those forward in 1 single document. Okay.

953 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:58:34.077 --> 01:58:37.650

Hello favor.

954 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:58:37.650 --> 01:58:43.456

Raise your hand proposed Harry.

955 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:58:43.456 --> 01:59:02.592

Okay, then the next the next piece of it is to have the office provide to the subcommittee and the committee what the, the span looks like. So what does that budget look like for the office in terms of available dollars that we have that we can.

956 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:59:02.592 --> 01:59:05.757

Okay, and and and.

957 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:59:05.757 --> 01:59:19.234

So, and have that done, and at the same concurrently, I want the subcommittees. I'm asking that the subcommittees look at prioritizing the items that they have.

958 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:59:19.234 --> 01:59:22.330

Just prioritizing them. Okay so.

959 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:59:22.330 --> 01:59:33.854

Those are the 2 things that I would like to recommend that we do and have that budget shared with the committee or your 2nd.

960 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:59:33.854 --> 01:59:36.958

Permission I'm sorry I keep saying committee commission.

961 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:59:36.958 --> 01:59:39.290

We have a 2nd.

962 "Senora Simpson" (3761453824)

01:59:39.290 --> 01:59:44.986

This thing looks like it looks like okay. Okay.

963 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:59:44.986 --> 01:59:52.312

So, in favor, raise your hand, I suppose.

964 "Jacqueline Bowens" (3688646656)

01:59:52.312 --> 01:59:53.314

All right. Thank.

965 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

01:59:53.314 --> 02:00:09.480

All right, we'll get we will communicate with the commission further on some direction. We, I'm sorry, we ran out of time. I was a poor time management here. We're going to receive some input from the public Ambrose. You had your hand up.

966 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:00:09.480 --> 02:00:13.050

For quite some time so.

967 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:00:13.050 --> 02:00:16.912

Orlando, are we ready to turn on microphones and have that happened?

968 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:00:16.912 --> 02:00:24.032

Yeah, you all can unmute yourself. Ambrose will start with you. All right. Okay.

969 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:24.032 --> 02:00:31.710

Thank you and I hope that you can adult, uh, for a 2nd, because I've sat here for 2 hours. Listen to this.

970 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:31.710 --> 02:00:37.170

Discussion at a point where, um, just very frustrating number 1.

971 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:37.170 --> 02:00:40.830

The report at the end of this year.

972 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:40.830 --> 02:00:45.390

Will indicate that this will be the 6th straight year.

973 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:45.390 --> 02:00:48.480

Of overdose increases.

974 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:48.480 --> 02:00:51.600

In the district club 6 straight years.

975 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:51.600 --> 02:00:57.480

Of overdose deaths in the district, Colombia, um, the opioid solutions working group.

976 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:00:57.480 --> 02:01:01.830

Uh, half of the people on this call.

977 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:01.830 --> 02:01:05.190

Have the 10th, the opioid solutions working group.

978 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:05.190 --> 02:01:08.490

4th of your commission members come from.

979 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:08.490 --> 02:01:15.120

The solutions working group, we have been doing this work for 2 and a half going on 3 years 32 bucks.

980 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:15.120 --> 02:01:18.270

Deliberations about the crisis.

981 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:18.270 --> 02:01:23.880

On opioids there have been 3 issues that have emerged as the top issues.

982 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:23.880 --> 02:01:31.380

1 is brick and mortar infrastructure. 2 is workforce development and 3 is housing.

983 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:31.380 --> 02:01:49.080

Those are the 3 top issues no matter what sub issues there are those have always been the top issue. This is coming from the ground up. We have 28 organizations, and more than 110 people that are part of many of. You have presented to the RPA solution working group.

984 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:49.080 --> 02:01:52.530

If this commission at the end of the day.

985 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:52.530 --> 02:01:56.010

Does not prioritize what is a major.

986 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:01:56.010 --> 02:02:03.360

Brick and mortar infrastructure piece we've talked about workforce and we talked about peers in fact.

987 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:02:03.360 --> 02:02:10.140

Um, there would be no solutions work group were not for Larry Gordon, Dean, because he asked me 2 and a half years ago to create.

988 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:02:10.140 --> 02:02:19.710

Number 2, there have been 2 people on this commission that I've asked me personally to organize peers into an organization.

989 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:02:19.710 --> 02:02:27.120

We have already had a meeting in September at to try to begin to organize peers.

990 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:02:27.120 --> 02:02:47.120

There is no 1 else that commits to the level of community engagement as a health alliance network. We report regularly to the word 8 faith leaders meetings, the word 7, faith leaders meetings, the Anacostia coordinated Council, every 8 and see in East of the river every 8. and see, or advisory.

991 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:02:47.120 --> 02:02:57.090

Commission and some of the associations east of the river, we have been doing this work for 2 and a half plus years at the top 3 issues. You're only talking about 1 of them.

992 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:02:57.090 --> 02:03:07.470

Not 1 person is, except for actually Dr Elias today thank God. You Dr alliance has talked about the specific things that are needed.

993 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:07.470 --> 02:03:27.470

Yes, we do need to address peers. Yes, we do need to have contingency management, but here's our organized in an organization. Maryland has an organization. So, and I've worked with many people that are on this permission to be able to create that. I have a proposal right? Now, it's deviate.

994 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:27.470 --> 02:03:31.020

To organize peers into an organization.

995 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:31.020 --> 02:03:34.260

So, yes, these things I need to, but I haven't heard 1 this.

996 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:34.260 --> 02:03:42.240

There is no discussion about whether or not what you're proposing for peers can be contained in the 11:15:waiver.

997 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:42.240 --> 02:03:49.140

There is no discussion about some of the things that you're proposing for peers might already be able to be paid.

998 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:49.140 --> 02:03:57.060

So, you know, again, it's frustrating and and no, 1 is talking about.

999 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:03:57.060 --> 02:04:01.650

Behavioral Health stuff that's used to sort of urgent care center, which could.

1000 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:01.650 --> 02:04:04.770

Say, millions of dollars.

1001 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:04.770 --> 02:04:16.440

In the district budget that can then be reinvested I've already sent out and I will send I'll send it to the chair Chad. I will send a proposal that was created in North Carolina.

1002 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:16.440 --> 02:04:25.470

If you cannot as a body, create an infrastructure, a brick and mortar infrastructure, all this means nothing.

1003 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:25.470 --> 02:04:31.620

Okay, because we don't have the brick and mortar infrastructure to deal with this.

1004 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:31.620 --> 02:04:49.980

Problem because that's why we have increases every single year of opioid, despite the 70,000 boxes in our candidate are being distributed despite the 2 to 3000 lives that are being saved because of use of our channel. We are still not getting our hands around this problem.

1005 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:49.980 --> 02:04:55.050

And I'm saying to this group, I speak to my community every.

1006 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:04:55.050 --> 02:05:00.060

Week about this problem and if we cannot come together.

1007 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:00.060 --> 02:05:10.110

And oftentimes the things that will have major impact, now, it doesn't matter whether or not the cost is 2Million or 5Million or less than a 1,000,000.

1008 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:10.110 --> 02:05:17.850

You've got to prioritize these things and you've got to prioritize them in a way that we have major impact right now.

1009 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:17.850 --> 02:05:22.680

When it comes to procurement and grants yes.

1010 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:22.680 --> 02:05:39.720

Procurement absolutely, if it's a 1Million dollars, it's got to be approved by the council. We all know that but we also know that this the cost of this problem is way over the amount of money that the opioid abatement commission even has. So, at the very least.

1011 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:39.720 --> 02:05:46.650

The opioid payment commission can prioritize what is going to be the brick and mortar a piece that you're going to approve.

1012 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:46.650 --> 02:05:56.340

What is going to be the workforce piece that isn't covered by the 11:15:waiver that isn't covered by the store money that isn't covered by Sam some money that you're going to approve.

1013 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:05:56.340 --> 02:06:06.120

What is going to be the housing plan that you're going to approve? Because none of this can work without adequate housing for those that are opioid and substance use addictive.

1014 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:06.120 --> 02:06:20.640

What is going to be the plan all this other batches stuff all this other small stuff and data and stuff I'm not saying that it's not important, but it doesn't reach the level of priority that those 3 things reach. It doesn't reach it.

1015 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:20.640 --> 02:06:27.090

It's not even close and unless you're having discussions about what is the most important.

1016 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:27.090 --> 02:06:34.410

To be able to implement with only 13 or 14 Million dollars when the city is not putting a dime of sending money in.

1017 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:34.410 --> 02:06:37.710

It's a travesty and I'm saying.

1018 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:37.710 --> 02:06:41.670

I'm going to be going out because I continue to do this work in my community.

1019 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:41.670 --> 02:06:54.690

And if we can't as a commission, and I support the commission, and it's worked, but I swear to God, if it fits to this, paying the same folks, do the same thing.

1020 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:54.690 --> 02:06:59.040

Which is the definition of insanity because it hasn't worked thus far.

1021 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:06:59.040 --> 02:07:02.400

If it keeps on going like that, you can do that.

1022 "Ambrose Lane Jr Health Alliance Network" (2404363776)

02:07:02.400 --> 02:07:07.890

That there and others will be speaking out in our communities about the failure of this.

1023 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:07:07.890 --> 02:07:27.076

Thanks, thank you. I appreciate your comments and and it's certainly stuff that is in front of mine and I don't have any disagreement. I appreciate your comments and appreciate you keeping those things forward. Dr Barker who's next? Judy expert?

1024 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:07:27.076 --> 02:07:44.930

Hello, thank you so much for comments about peer support for the difference between the peer support navigators and peer support. We hire them at Samaritans. I'm the director of the residential treatment programs there and my a** to be on the.

1025 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:07:44.930 --> 02:07:57.930

Uh, solution oriented approach here, is that the incredible barriers that we are facing and residential treatment due to the CO imagine? Um.

1026 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:07:57.930 --> 02:08:14.160

Hiring contracting by, is that they are more than 50%, reducing our length of stay, which is reducing positive outcomes in this, uh, fentanyl, opiate crisis. And I am wondering.

1027 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:08:14.160 --> 02:08:34.160

Uh, I'm just asking a simple question if there's a way to submit a 1 pager or 1 paragraph for 50,000 dollars. So we can make use of the public health emergency time that we have, for example, at Samaritan ends this week. I had to put out a mother and her 2 year old child, because they assessed her.

1028 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:08:34.160 --> 02:08:54.160

For 60 days to go to a mental health facility, because if your was extreme, which is what we treat all the time, there is no such thing in D. C. I had to put her out um, we had already funded her for 2 weeks. So, I'm asking for 50,000 dollars every quarter for gap funding for those.

1029 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:08:54.160 --> 02:09:14.160

Opiate for people who are doing exactly what they're supposed to be doing in treatment, but have been assessed by Co, imagine for outpatient treatment by the algorithms. And so I'm looking for small moneys to be released. So that as as Samaritan is, we are not yet putting more money out of our pocket to.

1030 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:09:14.160 --> 02:09:33.540

Work these people in the amount of time, it takes to get the assessment to appeal and to be denied twice. We've already put 2 weeks of their stay. We've already paid for that out of our pocket. So, bottom line is there a way to submit to the subcommittees? And I agree with, um.

1031 "judy Ashburn" (998234368)

02:09:33.540 --> 02:09:50.482

I'm not sure if it was who was speaking, but I'm going to the subcommittees with these recommendations so that there is some money we can get out immediately between now and February for something that would be meaningful to us. Thank you for listening.

1032 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:09:50.482 --> 02:09:55.126

Um, I have a docu.

1033 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:09:55.126 --> 02:10:01.224

Next, but I also see you MR brown. I see.

1034 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:10:01.224 --> 02:10:03.347

Okay.

1035 "Adaku" (3050518528)

02:10:03.347 --> 02:10:21.530

Oh, good morning. Everyone, um, thank you so much. I listened to the entire talk today so just for whoever doesn't know. My name is, I'm a doc who, and I'm a faculty member at the high University College of Pharmacy and, uh, I do research surrounding how we can.

1036 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:10:21.530 --> 02:10:41.530

Used genomics to help improve the treatment outcomes for people who are, um, web opioid use disorder. And 1 of the things I noticed during this talk was that there was mentioned of a opioid data center. So I had a question. Is that data available for people who were outside of the DC government if they like, if it isn't? Is it available?

1037 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:10:41.530 --> 02:10:46.170

Kind of identified fashion, so that way if, like, if I wanted to do, like.

1038 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:10:46.170 --> 02:10:54.300

Research on it, you know, just to kind of see what's going on with the DC data. So far that is that going to be made available.

1039 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:10:54.300 --> 02:11:14.300

And I also wanted to mention that I'm a pharmacist, but I also recognize the importance. I just wanted to emphasize this. It was brought up a lot during the thing that we really need to look at, making sure that the boots on the ground get as much support as possible because we can't even if we get somebody the right dose if they are homeless or they're unable to.

1040 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:11:14.300 --> 02:11:34.460

Find the right peers to help support them. It's not really going to work together. We want to have a structure. That is what we call a patient centered, care home and that have all of the bases covered, not just focusing solely on medications. So, we want to I just want to emphasize the importance of looking at data looking at research so we can optimize what we do.

1041 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:11:34.460 --> 02:11:37.830

And also make sure that we support, um.

1042 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:11:37.830 --> 02:11:44.297

People who have opioid use disorder aside from the medical needs that they have.

1043 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)
02:11:44.297 --> 02:11:53.678

Thank you for that. If I would find out if this I think this is publicly available information.

1044 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
02:11:53.678 --> 02:12:01.470

But a lot of it, a lot of it, there are Hippo restrictions on a lot of the data. There are efforts to put out some public.

1045 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
02:12:01.470 --> 02:12:22.238

Data dashboards, I think, you know, just be on the lookout for that. That's not necessarily under the purview of the commission or office opiate abatement. At the moment. Some of this data's coming from other sources. Uh, Dr Bennett had talked about, but there are some efforts to, to make some of the, um, data de identified and make it public.

1046 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:12:22.238 --> 02:12:31.305

All right, thank you. Would you happen to know? Like, what should I reach out to somebody in particular for that? Or how do I go about that?

1047 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
02:12:31.305 --> 02:12:37.980

You could reach out to I mean, I'm, I'm not exactly sure we can talk about this offline.

1048 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
02:12:37.980 --> 02:12:47.498

I have your contact information, so I just try to make sure we get to you about that or email me Orlando dot Barker and D. C. dot Gov.

1049 "Adaku" (3050518528)
02:12:47.498 --> 02:12:49.749

Okay, thank you. Thank you.

1050 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)
02:12:49.749 --> 02:12:57.848

All right, um, the doctor and then MR brown after that.

1051 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)
02:12:57.848 --> 02:13:13.500

Good morning. Very appreciative to everything. I've heard today. My name is Dr assuming Pearsall I am the program director at prestige, health care resources, but today I am making my comment on behalf of the faith community. I am, and.

1052 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)
02:13:13.500 --> 02:13:30.990

Liaison with the missionary Baptist minister conference, I just presented to them. We have about 400 faith leaders in the digital Colombia that are part of that panel and we are out there during the work. I wanted to. Thank you all for, including um.

1053 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)
02:13:30.990 --> 02:13:50.990

The dialogue of implementing faith leaders into this talk, we are in the process right now of becoming a port recovery center via samhsa that's also going to help in this fight. And I'm really hoping that we are allowed more input on panel discussions. So that you can really see what we are doing.

1054 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)
02:13:50.990 --> 02:13:56.940

Because we are really the ones with boots on the ground. We are in more 7 and 8 in places where we.

1055 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)
02:13:56.940 --> 02:14:16.940

Where other people are not at, because they just don't have the staff not highlighting anybody. We're working directly getting the word out when the vending machines are not working, letting people know where to go.

We do not pay distributions and unfortunately revive at least 1 to 2 people per month. I am a p a. I've been in this fight for.

1056 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:14:16.940 --> 02:14:37.490

For a little over 29 years I am a retired lieutenant colonel with the military for time comment veteran and I sell that to say that this is really a state of emergency. And I just hope that we are able to utilize all the tools that we have. And that the faith community, Dustin ready.

1057 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:14:37.490 --> 02:14:46.200

Our spinning our own money in addition to some of the sole grants that are received by some of the congregates. So, if there's anything that.

1058 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:14:46.200 --> 02:14:51.750

You all could help partner to help us do more with the prevention. We do education.

1059 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:14:51.750 --> 02:14:59.340

Every week, even on right now we have, uh, uh, offline partnership with here. We have their.

1060 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:14:59.340 --> 02:15:19.340

Uh, name and address and phone number listed. So the parishioners would know who to call 24 hours a day. Even this week. We have referred 3 people and we're keeping our data. The last thing I want to say is that there is a network component for tracking the partners and care network has.

1061 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:15:19.340 --> 02:15:35.490

They did it, and that's it's a system that we are looking at using in real time. And when we're talking about referring people for all needs, you can put in your zip code in any community and it will pull up every treatment center. Every of.

1062 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:15:35.490 --> 02:15:52.950

Food Bank, everything that a person could use for a holistic view, and we are putting our own money out for that as a 50,000 dollars effort and we use that utilize that in our food distribution weekly. Uh, we are located on and in between the quarter of.

1063 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:15:52.950 --> 02:16:04.530

And Eastern Avenue, we have 36 active churches, so just imagine if we could mobilize that, that would be a great impact right now. We have 17 of those churches so I don't want, um.

1064 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:16:04.530 --> 02:16:22.110

The faith needs to be underestimated. I'm actually leaving for Tennessee if there's no permits on Saturday and we're going to present there for the conference on Tuesday about receiving more assistance in the nation's capital, because they see us as the model. So I'm just looking for.

1065 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:16:22.110 --> 02:16:29.190

All the support, we do have trained individuals in our congregation and as a last.

1066 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:16:29.190 --> 02:16:41.070

Kind of thought what we did when I say we, some of the faith community, we, we went to our congregants and said, let us know what you do and we have professionals in our own. Right? So there are people willing to.

1067 "Dr. Ocelia Pearsall" (1171921152)

02:16:41.070 --> 02:16:55.262

Assist everything from therapy to peer support and things of that nature. So I don't think anything should be disregarded or made light of. And again, I want to say, I really do appreciate the work that's being done by this committee. Thank you.

1068 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:16:56.061 --> 02:17:03.780

Thank you. Okay. Mr. brown where I had to wrap up soon. So if you guys can keep it a little bit shorter, but Mr brown go ahead.

1069 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:17:12.727 --> 02:17:15.843

Gotcha, yeah, my name is roach brown.

1070 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:17:15.843 --> 02:17:28.200

From the community, and I've been invited by Dr Chapman, and also on the chat on the waitlist is about 8 or 9 more members from the community destiny. My friend Chris, and I won't talk or whatever, but I echo with the.

1071 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:17:28.200 --> 02:17:48.200

Uh, Andrew said, I come from 3 generations of addicts, father, grandfather myself with addicts, and we here to make sure that the folks on the ground boots on the ground and not ignored or disregarded. I've worked on with seventy's committees with my embarrass office and back in the past, and I know how to use.

1072 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:17:48.200 --> 02:17:57.600

He's committed commissions work please we are saying that the folk who are doing this, because we're dealing with the crisis folk are dying and somebody said previously.

1073 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:17:57.600 --> 02:18:17.600

That the bulk of the money is gone to a data and research, come on people are done we got enough information and data that we can use to formally programs to address this problem. You can have supplemental data and research later, but not the bulk of the money going towards research and data collection.

1074 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:18:17.600 --> 02:18:37.600

We are talking about people's lives. I got folks on the line. Right now. Listening who've been there. We've been waiting for 2 hours. Plus waiting to get in. And doctor Chapman has been meeting with us all over the city. We got a coalition about 45 community organizations. Who have been meeting weekly to see what we can do to address this problem, which is why we're here today.

1075 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:18:37.600 --> 02:18:53.220

So my main concern is please, please, let's make sure that we spend the money to don't get the money, get down to the people who are doing the work and not for those folks who are sitting in the office and talking about his Judy buggy. We need people who can get do it and we're talking about.

1076 "Roach Brown" (1316983808)

02:18:53.220 --> 02:19:07.945

Lives I got 4 people in my family die from his overdose. I don't have time to waste. We don't have time to waste. So we are supporting Dr gentlemen in the Ambrose lane or whatever you need to do. We're there with them and Merry Christmas. Everybody.

1077 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:19:12.626 --> 02:19:18.830

Thank you, sir. Um, Thomas.

1078 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:19:18.830 --> 02:19:37.820

Thank you all for having me today, I'm just really going to piggyback on rose brown. I'm not going to be a very low. I definitely represent Dr Chapman for the Ambrose leg or Dean, and many others on this conversation. As I've presented months ago to, you are definitely 1 of the leaders in the boots on the ground.

1079 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:19:37.820 --> 02:19:57.820

I'm not the only 1 I was doing this work weekly while hearing these communities, underserved communities, the homeless communities. We also do the same passage work right now was not just the optimistic gentleman was brother rose brown didn't even identify his own organization at 1st but again, the number 1 thing here is.

1080 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:19:57.820 --> 02:20:06.030

We've been having this talk too long and and every 3 minutes of the day right now, these, these people are almost coming up into their lives being lost.

1081 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:20:06.030 --> 02:20:09.630

You know, look at the conditions, look at the weather look outside right now.

1082 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:20:09.630 --> 02:20:29.630

All we got to do is look outside and we're not in person, and we know how many costs we had on this week. So, over the last several weeks, and last 2 months we've been in different communities, giving them food, giving them giving them marketing kids giving them just hope just just talking to them. So, that's the part of the outreach that's a part of the boots on the ground. That's a part of in training being.

1083 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:20:29.630 --> 02:20:39.810

Uh, peer support as you all have using your jargon and articulated to us, um, on this call. Uh, well, we're pretty much just presenting this again. What's really happening right now in real time.

1084 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:20:39.810 --> 02:20:56.070

This is in 2023 anymore. 2022. again. I lost several people last year. I lost a lot of mothers in this. I lost 5 was in this, he's kids and these people out here, crying out, whether it's through Instagram, whether it's through a church. Like the lady said before this, there's a lot of people that are out here doing this work.

1085 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:20:56.070 --> 02:20:59.790

On a on a voluntary basis they haven't been getting nothing.

1086 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:20:59.790 --> 02:21:18.420

Going on years of this work right now. So, at the end of the day, I'm not going to. I'm not going to be long winded with it. I respect all of the elders. All of the people. Um, all of the doctors that have been bringing up all of the data and the research with all of this stuff, but I'm primarily, thank you again. Uh, Larry or Dean not the chairman.

1087 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:21:18.420 --> 02:21:28.680

And roles for even giving me the information, the knowledge, and allow me to even present and be out here, given the support to a lot of these people. And thank you. Db.

1088 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:21:32.130 --> 02:21:38.790

We just hope that we're able to save lives a lot sooner and and a lot later. And again, we're in the schools.

1089 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:21:38.790 --> 02:21:43.710

With the children that have in somebody's same overdoses and Virginia. This is a loud.

1090 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:21:43.710 --> 02:21:48.330

D C. is not allowed. We need to set the president. Like the lady just said.

1091 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:21:48.330 --> 02:21:53.460

This is the issue that's been going on too long, and we need to nip it in the butt and at least to increase it.

1092 "Chris Thomas" (3014446336)

02:21:53.460 --> 02:21:57.321

And slow down and the, for the time right now, thank you. All again.

1093 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:21:57.321 --> 02:22:02.043

Thank you Chris. Um, this Lawson.

1094 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:22:02.043 --> 02:22:14.310

Yeah, Dr Lawson, I'm the VP of pharmacy services that United medical center and I just, I heard a lot of conversation definitely want to emphasize.

1095 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:22:14.310 --> 02:22:30.690

How imperative the peer recovery program is what I've kind of seen I think somebody did mention earlier and I'm sorry, the name alludes me that some of the individuals, especially even in our hospital practice.

1096 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:22:30.690 --> 02:22:50.690

Are not quite aware of the intricacies of what the peer recovery, which is actually do they almost seem to be somewhat of a separate entity from the actual health care team. And, uh, it is important to have them as a member at the table. A lot of that comes from, um.

1097 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:22:50.690 --> 02:23:10.690

Organization and standardization, whether it be a use of software, et cetera, what we can do to develop an advanced the program with the sharing of information, et cetera. What I have found just periodically I've seen that has made a concerted effort to unify the.

1098 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:23:10.690 --> 02:23:30.690

Recovery coach program, but sometimes I do get on and I'll find out oh, they're doing something in Georgetown or we're not doing that here. So, you know, there's a disconnect there's a gap and I really just wanted to say that. I think that it is important that we try to standardize.

1099 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:23:30.690 --> 02:23:43.170

Make it more a way that accessibility and incorporation of other hospital administration, et cetera.

1100 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:23:43.170 --> 02:23:48.840

Clinicians are case somebody I know in the treatment strategy I was.

1101 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:23:48.840 --> 02:23:54.270

I'm impressed to hear what their plans and their goals were, because I thought those were.

1102 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:23:54.270 --> 02:24:00.480

Very much in alignment. I didn't know if there is like a 1, 800.

1103 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:24:00.480 --> 02:24:11.040

Hotline for pure recovery coaches or something that, you know, I speak with our peer recovery coaches, find out what their gaps are and maybe we need to have some.

1104 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:24:11.040 --> 02:24:15.750

At this meeting, if they're geared to just be a little bit more vocalized.

1105 "M LAWSON" (1424677120)

02:24:15.750 --> 02:24:27.002

So that we can get some ideas of how to better standardize the program. And that's just my, um, little bit I have to say, thank you.

1106 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:24:27.002 --> 02:24:30.064

Thank you Dr Lawson.

1107 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:24:30.064 --> 02:24:36.420

Thank you, I don't have seen any more, but I know Kelvin manners. You had your hand up.

1108 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:24:36.420 --> 02:24:40.140

I just want to get you the last person to come in if you're still there.

1109 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:24:40.140 --> 02:24:48.480

Okay.

1110 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:24:48.480 --> 02:24:55.960

Well, I think that's it.

1111 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:24:55.960 --> 02:25:04.080

Okay, thank you. Everybody very much. These comments are important. They're important to me. Um, they don't get disregarded.

1112 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:25:04.080 --> 02:25:12.600

Um, we were focused on short term solutions. There are some very important longterm solutions that we have to focus on too. I, I am not.

1113 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:25:12.600 --> 02:25:15.720

Um, limiting or or.

1114 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:25:15.720 --> 02:25:21.090

Or constraining this from any solution.

1115 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:25:21.090 --> 02:25:28.402

That we have some evidence That'll help. So thank you everybody. Thank you. All your comments. We will set up another meeting.

1116 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:25:28.402 --> 02:25:30.418

I just wanted to points them out when you think.

1117 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:25:30.418 --> 02:25:31.962

Yeah, go ahead.

1118 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:25:31.962 --> 02:25:36.120

Yes, so I just wanted to, uh, point out.

1119 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:25:36.120 --> 02:25:39.360

There is a live long D. C meeting on the 31st.

1120 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:25:39.360 --> 02:25:43.170

I just want to point out because there's a lot of questions about data about information.

1121 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:25:43.170 --> 02:26:03.170

And this is the, you know, the 1st meeting quarterly meeting of the year. So definitely try to look forward to that more information. And as far as people mentioned subcommittees, I've talked to chairman Jackson, and we definitely want to have.

1122 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:26:03.170 --> 02:26:12.690

The public involved in the subcommittees, so they're going to be posted in the same areas that the meeting is the general commission meetings are posted as they come up.

1123 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:26:12.690 --> 02:26:20.460

These meetings will be posted on the website for the payment advisory commission as well as the.

1124 "Orlando Barker" (715260160)

02:26:20.460 --> 02:26:26.538

Open, um, D. C website as well.

1125 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:26:26.538 --> 02:26:33.120

We don't have as much advanced notice as is required with the open meetings DC.

1126 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:26:33.120 --> 02:26:38.310

Web site, but we are, we are doing everything in our effort to make sure everybody has.

1127 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:26:38.310 --> 02:26:45.420

Access to all of these meetings, whether it's required by open media open D. C or not. So we are.

1128 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:26:45.420 --> 02:26:51.600

We are doing everything we can to be an open book here. And if anybody has any questions about that, they can reach out to me personally.

1129 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:26:51.600 --> 02:26:54.630

With that.

1130 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:26:54.630 --> 02:27:02.550

We are adjourned. Oh, the next meeting I'll get the next meeting out. I think we're going to have it in a month, but I don't know. Exactly. I need to talk to the.

1131 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:27:02.550 --> 02:27:12.930

The permission leaders, the subcommittee leaders and figure out how quickly we can have a meeting. I want to have 1 as quickly as we possibly can, but I want to have.

1132 "Chad Jackson" (974995456)

02:27:12.930 --> 02:27:19.339

Come in with some things to vote on. So, I don't know the time yet.

1133 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

02:27:19.339 --> 02:27:30.660

Have a good day. Thank you. Thank you. Happy. New year. Hey. Dr gentlemen.

1134 "Demetrius Jones, CPRS" (1418838784)

02:27:30.660 --> 02:27:37.200

Okay.

J. Chad Jackson closed the meeting at 11:32 AM.