



DRAFT MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES
Meeting Minutes
December 10, 2018 | 4:00PM
401 Hungerford | Rockville

Board Members			HHS and Council Staff			
Name	Title	Present			Present	
Marquette Rogers	Chair	X		Angela Cabellon	HHS Staff	X
Jason Martin	Vice Chair	X		Vivian Yao	Council Staff	X
Lesley MacDonald	Secretary	X		Belinda Cervas	HHS Staff	X
Samaura Stone	Member	X				
Lesley MacDonald	Member					
Spencer Boyer	Member					
Catherine “Cat” Kahn	Member	X				
Kendell Battle	Member	X				
Stephanie Mensh	Member	X				
Chanté Leverette						
Rodolpho “Rudy” Lunasin	Member	X				
Councilmember Rice	Member					

I. CALL TO ORDER:

- **Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 4:05PM.
- **Approval of Minutes:** *No meeting minutes for November as this was not a full quorum.*

II. Social Services Officer Report, Angela Cabellon

- Angela provided an update to her transition out of Department of Health and Human Services and the outlook on the assignment of a new Social Services Officer for the board which will be decided by Vickie Buckland or JoAnn Barnes. Angela will do a new board member orientation during the week of December 17, 2018.

III. BOARD BUSINESS

- **Legislative Committee Assignments:** Rudy, Stephanie, and Cat
- **Outreach and Communication Committee Assignments:** Kendell, Chanté
- **Committee’s Vote:** Motion by the Chair to move vote for Chair and Vice Chair of Committees,



to February 2019 meeting. The motion was seconded by the Vice Chair.

- **Resiliency Screening:** Jason will follow up with his company on sponsorship of public screening of Resiliency film. He stated his organization is interested, if it is open to the public. Agreed that Summer 2019 would be a good time to screen the movie. Members agreed that multiple screenings of the movie should be done, up county and down county over a few days. Marquette will follow up with Crystal Townsend on sponsorship through her organization. In addition to finding out about venue locations via contacts. Leslie also mentioned in November meeting that she will seek sponsorship opportunities through her organization.
- **Two-Generational Poverty Presentation:** Samaura will working on setting up a presentation of Two-Generational poverty for the Board for March 2019.
- **Facebook page:** The Facebook page for the BSS is (@montgomerycountybss) – talked about having the outreach committee come up with ideas for content and the frequency of postings for the page. In addition to adding other social media accounts, such as Instagram and Twitter.
- **MDGA Account:** Presentation on how to setup an account for following legislation on the Maryland General Assembly website. This presentation will be done by Marquette at the February 2019 meeting once the legislation has got into session.
- **Action Item:** Angela to coordinate with Leslie Fry on Legislation presentation to the Board members for January 2019 meeting.

IV. NEXT MEETING

Topic: Legislation 101

January 7, 2019 4:00-6:00pm

V. **ADJOURNED: Marquette Rogers, Chair 5:55pm**