



Treatment Sales Tax (TST) Advisory Committee

April 20, 2018 Meeting—Minutes

Date	Time	Location	Preparer of Minutes, Title, Phone
Friday, 20 April 2018	8:30 AM— 11:30 AM	Building 4, Room 111	Carrie Hennen, Program Manager, 360-867-2092

Attendance			
Committee Members		TST Staff	Other County Staff
<p><u>Present:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jim Stanton 2. Skip Steffen 3. Steve Tilley 4. Marilyn Roberts 5. Glenn Dunnam 	<p><u>Excused:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Joe Marmo 2. Michelle Marti <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p><u>Absent:</u></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Carrie Hennen 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sabrina Craig 2. Schelli Slaughter
Other Attendees			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Amy Martin, Thurston Mason Behavioral Health Organization 2. Sara Ellsworth, Educational Services District #113 			

Agenda	Notes	Action Items
<p>Introductions and Agenda Setting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion with Schelli Slaughter, Director of Thurston County Public Health and Social Services (PHSS) - Review and Approve Minutes: March 16, 2018 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Group members and Schelli Slaughter, Director of Thurston County Public Health and Social Services (PHSS) introduced themselves. The group discussed the move of Treatment Sales Tax to PHSS, which will occur as of July 1, 2018. 2. The group approved the March 16, 2018 meeting minutes. 	



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<p>TST Updates and Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community Grants - Data Analyst - Upcoming Conferences/ Travel - BoCC Prevention Discussion - Budget Process- What will it look like? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Staff provided updates related to TST community grant proposals received, the hiring of a TST Data Analyst, and upcoming conferences that will be attended by TST staff, Advisory Committee members, and funded programs. 2. The group discussed the April 12 BOCC discussion re: use of TST funding for prevention in other communities and options for Thurston County. 3. Staff presented a timeline outlining plans for the development of a budget recommendation for the 2019-2020 biennium. The group reiterated that discussion with funded programs is helpful. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. TST staff will review the budget development calendar and consider alternate and/ or additional dates for meetings to ensure maximum participation on the part of committee members and program staff.
<p>Program Discussion: DUI/ Drug Court</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Background - Data update - Discussion 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The group reviewed updated data on the DUI and Drug Court programs through 2017. 2. Committee members and Sabrina Craig of Superior Court discussed the data and the program. Discussion topics included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Underspending on the program in 2017 and factors including the changing Medicaid landscape and the Criminal Justice Treatment Account; • Realignment of the program in recent years to serve high risk, high needs participants (in accordance with national best practice); • Recidivism data and dashboards developed by DSHS for Drug Courts across the state; • Reasons for the small number of participants in DUI Court, and options to increase referrals (including outreach to local municipalities); • Drug Court services to individuals with co-occurring mental health needs. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. TST staff will follow up with program staff on the identified items. b. Staff will share DSHS Drug Court dashboard with Advisory Committee.



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partnership with District Court related to urinalysis testing. 	
<p>Program Discussion: Youth Outpatient Treatment/ True North</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Background - Data update - Discussion 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The group reviewed updated data on the Youth Outpatient Treatment program through 2017. 2. Committee members and Amy Martin (Thurston-Mason Behavioral Health Organization) and Sara Ellsworth (True North/ ESD 113) discussed the data and the program. Discussion topics included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How TST funding is blended with Medicaid and other funds to ensure services are available to all students; Acuity and needs of students enrolled in the program; Coordination with other programs; The extent to which the program works with families (primarily youth focused, with family involvement where possible and appropriate); Other True North programs in other communities, such as PAX Good Behavior Game in Shelton; Other BHO-funded programming serving young children with high levels of need, such as Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT). 	

Next Meeting: Friday, 18 May 2018, 8:30 AM—11:30 AM