

Standing Youth Committee with Pathways

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Work Session

March 22, 2018

11:00am – 12:00pm

**Crater Workforce Center
22 West Washington Street.
Petersburg, VA 23803**

Members Present:

Rosalyn Andrews
Shawn Nicholson
Jerry Trovillion
Ryan Follett
Kathnm Thompson
Benjamin Bruce
George Lyons
Tia Grizzle
Juanita Epps
Reci Small
Talisha McAuley-Davis
Brandon Moore

Members Absent:

Syd Averado

Welcome/Introductions and Call to Order:

- Ryan Follett called the meeting to order at 11:32 a.m.
- George Lyons calls for all persons present to introduce themselves

Work Session Overview:

- A Request for quote (RFQ) for emergency youth service provider was posted by the board and two organizations responded, as the board felt Pathways was good for the board.

- Purpose of work session is to exchange information between Pathways and the Standing Youth Committee
- Ryan will get with the city of Petersburg procurement officer after work session and request CEOs authorize Pathways contract be extended six months after June 30, 2018 as a “stop gap” measure to eliminate being without an emergency youth service provider. Simultaneously posting a Request for proposal (RFP) for a permanent emergency youth service provider
- Goal is to serve more students with emergency youth service provider
- Current proposal incorporates continued service to the 44 youth enrolled now in all counties with an additional 10 kids served in every county
- Heavy focus in localities with zero enrollments: Surry, Sussex, and Dinwiddie.
- Increase and Improve involvement with subcontractors starting with Pathways
- Pathway has staff in place ready to go and get off the ground
- New focus on in school services
- Case managers from Pathways will be housed at various locations to include the Crater Workforce Center and Emporia
- Prime areas are Sussex & Surry because there are no Workforce Centers in he area
- Pathways will utilize local high schools in those areas as a meeting place
- Pathways will not be training, but managing with partners that provide actual training.

Next Meeting

May 9, 2018 at 10:00a
22 West Washington Street
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Meeting Adjourned: 12:25p by George Lyons