

ALBEMARLE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES  
ADVISORY BOARD MEETING  
MARCH 19, 2024

**Chair:** Mary McIntyre  
**Vice Chair:** Amy Laufer

**Present:** Mary Stebbins, Natalie Detert, Mary McIntyre, Sarah Harris, Amy Laufer, Kaki Dimock

**Absent:** Willie Mae Gray, the Scottsville seat is still vacant.

**Mary McIntyre Chair called the meeting to order at 3:37 PM**

**Introductions were made around the table.**

**Agenda Item: Approval of the February 2024 Minutes**

**Discussion:** Mary McIntyre asked for approval of the February minutes.

**Action:** Natalie Detert made a motion to approve, and Sarah Harris seconded. February minutes approved.

**Agenda Item: Informational Items – highlight/questions**

**Discussion:** There was a lot of discussion of the informational items, and how the Board really enjoyed reading the stories. Mary Stebbins and Kaki Dimock added clarifications to a couple of the items so the Board could understand some of the verbiage.

**Action: Informational**

**Agenda Item: De-Brief of BOS presentation**

**Discussion:** On April 17<sup>th</sup>, Mary McIntyre will present the report to the Board. Kaki Dimock talked about different parts of the report and what the chapters emphasized. The theme of “Impact” uses the County’s strategic plan as our plan. Draft copies of the report were given to the Advisory Board members for thoughts or suggestions.

**Action: Informational**

**Agenda Item: Business from the Board-Childcare/ACPS Update**

**Discussion:** We learned that E-depp used to qualify for childcare subsidies and they no longer accept them. ACPS and CCS were no longer eligible because of facility and licensure

requirements. They are pursuing community learning grants to expand after school care programs that will be in effect for three (3) years. Amy Laufer shares handouts of key budgets.

**Action: Informational**

**Message Out:** N/A

Meeting adjourned at 5:14 PM

The next Advisory Board meeting will be in person the third Tuesday of the month, April 16, 2024, at 3:30 PM in Room 231

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Mary McIntyre -Chair

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Brad Page - Secretary