IDAHO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMUNITY GUARDIANS

01/19/2017

Location: Idaho County Courthouse, Commissioners' Chambers

In attendance:

Board members: Ann Hoene, Klarey Ewing, Tara Nida, Tammy Everson, Larry Clark, Darlene

Clark, and Chris Hagenbuch. Non-member: Richard Kremer, Advisor

Minutes:

Old Business: Minutes from 10/27/2017 were dispersed. Minutes were reviewed and approved unanimously.

Follow-up on applicants for volunteer guardians. There is some interested, but no applicants yet.

Have not received notification from county attorney yet regarding the approved applications. Contact will be made again.

New Business:

No emails have been received at this time for review.

We started the process of the review of the introduction handbook for volunteer guardians. We would like to thank Darlene for her hard work in reviewing and adapting the handbook for Idaho County. After a lengthy discussion, it was decided that we need to have the advice of the county attorney for changes to be made on the handbook. It was decided to have the attorney present for our next meeting.

We discussed the types of training to make available to volunteer guardians. Nez Perce County has a training that is available in Lewiston. We are also explored on-line training. At next meeting, we will consult with the attorney of what trainings are available and what is required.

Closed Session:

2016/002 This is a follow up on an application that was previously denied due to insufficient findings per doctor's recommendation. Application was revisited as we have another letter from the physician. This letter is felt to meet the need of guardianship. Application was approve unanimously. We will have county attorney review application.

2017/001 New applicant referred by citizen. Applicant is a woman that persons are worried she is not caring for herself. She is not using the heating in her residence during such a cold time. She is also not using the heat source appropriately (the base board heaters clicks on when the temperature hits 50 and she has curtains touching them.) The referral states applicant is a danger to herself and to others in the complex where she lives. As there are no doctors' recommendations, no police reports, and no other

corroborating evidence that show endangerment, we voted to deny (unanimously.) As this is a referral from a private citizen, we will have the county attorney review the process after denial.

Our next meeting will be determined at the availability of attorney. (Meeting determined later to be on February 2, 2017.) Meeting was adjourned at this time.

Calley Emno

Approved Minutes 05/04/2017