IDAHO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMUNITY GUARDIANS

08/23/2018

Location: Idaho County Courthouse, Commissioners' Chambers

In attendance:

Board members: Chris Hagenbuch, Tara Nida, Larry Clark, Darlene Clark, Andrea Soldberg, Lynda Fox, Alan Fox. Non-member: Joan Haaland-Guardian, Kirk MacGregor-Board's attorney, Richard Kremer-advisor

Minutes:

Old Business: Minutes from 04/19/2018 were dispersed and reviewed. Alan Fox motioned for approval and Larry seconded. Minutes approved unanimously.

Update on status background checks and fingerprinting in regards to temporary emergency guardianship. Andrea states she is trying to schedule a time for the fingerprinting. Tara and Debbie have completed this. Debbie and Andrea have completed the online training. Kirk will add this to our file.

New Business:

No emails have been received at this time for review. No new applications for potential wards. received. Alan asked the board if it is necessary that we need two secure email addresses for the board to discuss board business. We currently have one for the board members and one for board members and others that attend the meetings (advisors and volunteer guardians.) It was determined by the board since all involved with this are under oath for confidentiality, we can just use one email address. Chris motioned for the vote with Andrea seconding it. The vote passed unanimously.

Closed Session:

Kirk MacGregor is here for the updates on the wards and potential wards.

S.L.-The petition for guardianship has been completed with the court. Joan and Jerry Haaland are the guardians now. They have met with Joan states she is happy. The nursing home stated to them of some financial issues that still need the attention which they are working on right now. Joan states it is all going smoothly.

L.M.-Kirk stated he is still in need of the evaluation committee from Developmental Disabilities to do the visit for L.M. Due to high caseloads, this has not been accomplished yet, but believes he can have the filing with the court started next week. Chris has talked with the social worker at the nursing home who is concerned that her bank account is getting drained by her giving money to the family.

M.F.- Kirk states a lot has happened since the last meeting. While the paperwork was being started on MF, an involuntary mental hold commitment was done in June by her doctor. She is currently at

Intermountain Hospital in Boise. The staff is actively looking for a placement in a secure, locked facility for elderly patients with mental health issues. She has been deemed that she cannot return to living by herself. A temporary guardianship with the board was granted in July with the next hearing to be set in August to establish permanent guardianship with the board (Twila Hornbeck will be the representative.) During the time of July to August, a nephew has decided to step in be guardian for MF. This is due to a conflict between him and Twila regarding having the nephew's son live in MF's house to make sure it was not vandalized. The end result is that the person can live in the house during this time period as long as there is an agreement between the nephew's son and the board that he will pay all the utilities, home insurance, and property taxes as long as he lives there. Darlene motioned for the vote, and Andrea seconded it with unanimous vote in favor (Tara recused herself due to conflict of interest,) Kirk was hoping the paperwork for the nephew to be guardian would be completed and filed with the court before the 8/15 court date. It was not. An extension for the full 90 days of temporary guardianship of the board was granted and the next court date is now 10/03/2018. Kirk has not heard from the nephew or nephew's legal counsel regarding this. The board decided that a decision needs to be made in a timely manner so the deadline of 10/3 does not pass without a permanent guardian appointed. As both Kirk and the court needs time for a review of the petition, Kirk will notify the nephew's legal counsel that they need to file by 09/12/2018 if the nephew wants to be guardian. If this does not happen, the board will go with the plan to be permanent guardian with Twila as the representative. Alan motioned for a vote and Darlene seconded it. It passed unanimously (Tara recused herself due to conflict of interest.) It was also stated that Twila was concerned of the nephew taking over guardianship and stated that this maybe should not happen. The board then determined that the board will follow along with precedence and the court, the family will have first right at being the guardian if the judge deems this. Darlene motioned for the vote and Andrea seconded it. The vote passed in favor unanimously (Tara recused herself due to conflict of interest.)

G.W.-this referral has now been resolved as the niece of G.W. has come forwarded and petitioned for the guardianship. The final order was started on 8/16/2018, soon to be closed.

Closed session ended.

Our next meeting will be on January 17, 2019. Alan motioned to adjourn the meeting and Lynda

seconded. Meeting was adjourned at this time by unanimous vote.

Approved Minutes January 17, 2019