

BENTON COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES BOARD  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
JUNE 15, 2021

The Benton County Human Services Board met in regular session on June 15, 2021 in the Benton County Board Room in Foley, MN with Board members Beth Schlangen, Jared Gapinski, Ed Popp, Scott Johnson and Steve Heinen present. Call to order by Chair Heinen was at 9:31 AM.

Human Services Deputy Director Sandi Shoberg-Steinbach requested to add to the agenda an invitation on June 24, 2021 at 10:00 AM for the new Behavioral Health Crisis Center Groundbreaking Ceremony at 1321 13<sup>th</sup> Street North St. Cloud, MN 56303. Johnson/Gapinski to approve the amended agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

Gapinski/Johnson to approve the Consent Agenda: 1) approve the Human Services Regular Meeting Minutes of June 1, 2021 as written. Motion carried unanimously.

Community Health Specialist Samantha Hageman asked for approval of the Contracts with the City of Rice for the Railroad project. The City of Rice would like to establish safe routes to school with this project. What started this was a large portion of the residents live on one side of the railroad tracks and the elementary school is located on the other side. The City wanted to work on improving that crossing. This contract would allow the City to work with an engineering company to provide the City with some options on fixing the crossing. This does not commit the County to funding or any implementation. This will provide them with specific needs to apply for grant funding for this project. Motion by Popp and seconded by Johnson to approve the contract for the City of Rice for the Railroad project. Motion carried unanimously.

Chair Heinen adjourned the meeting at 9:34 AM.

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Steven J. Heinen, Chair  
Benton County Human Services Board

ATTEST:

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Montgomery Headley  
Benton County Administrator