



# Regional Service Council Minutes Indiana Department of Child Services Region # 13

Meeting Date: October 21, 2016

Meeting Location: Monroe County DCS Training Room

Council Members Present: Harmony Gist, Doug Chastain, Sonya Seymour, Elizabeth Bullock, Kristin Varella, Samantha Flath, Kelli Deckard, Shawn McBride (proxy)

Council Members Absent: Chris Gaal, Judge Galvin, Judge Allen

## Meeting Minutes

Meeting Called to Order at: 10:00 AM

1. **Welcome:**  
Laura welcomed members and audience.
2. **Approval of July Minutes:**  
Elizabeth Bullock motioned to approve the minutes as written.  
Kelli Deckard seconded, members and proxy approved as written.
3. **Community Partners for Child Safety Report (CPCS) Prevention Services:**  
-See Attachments
4. **Prevention Services**  
-See Attachments
5. **Preservation Services- Jason Nelson**  
CAC- Child Advocacy Center Contract Continuance Vote (Hendricks County – Susie's Place)  
Motion for Approval of Continued Use: Harmony Gist  
Seconded Motion for Approval of Continue Use: Sonya Seymour  
-Contract for the Child Advocacy Center approved by all members and will continue.
6. **Regional Budget:**  
-See Attachment
7. **Provider Fair:**  
-31 Provider's Participated, 121 Individual's attended, 90 RSVP'd.  
-Survey provided showed most who attended had an Excellent rating on the event. Comments included: Make the event annual, Great Venue and Networking.  
-2017: Looking at ideas and expansions to other counties; Considering two sessions (AM/PM) to accommodate more Family Case Managers; further look into extending the invitations to include Probation, CASA's and Juvenile Courts. Brainstorming additional ideas for 2017 as we plan the next Provider Fair.
8. **QSR – May 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
-This will be the 4<sup>th</sup> QSR for Region 13 (Focus is Safety, Stability, Permanency & Well Being)

Meeting Adjourned at: 10:40 AM

Next Meeting Date & Time: February 10, 2017 at 10:00 AM

Location: Monroe County DCS Training Room