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MAY 19, 20 & 22, 2008 BOARD MEETINGS FASTLOOK AGENDA ITEMS OF INTEREST

Pg 2	6:00 p.m. Monday Public Budget Hearing
Pg 2	10:00 a.m. Tuesday Budget Work Session
Pg 3	9:30 a.m. Thursday Public Comment
Pg 4	9:30 a.m. Thursday Plan Regarding Use of Deadly Physical Force (Senate Bill 111)
Pg 4	9:55 a.m. Thursday FY 2009 Mt. Hood Cable Regulatory Commission Budget Approval
Pg 4	10:10 a.m. Thursday Establishing Building and Land Use and Other Fees and Charges
Pg 5	10:35 a.m. Thursday Order of Determination Denying Ballot Measure 49 Claim
Pg 5	10:45 a.m. Thursday Ordinance Amending Multnomah County Code & Framework Plan
Pg 5	1:00 p.m. Thursday Budget Work Session

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Monday, May 19, 2008 - 6:00 PM
Multnomah Building, First Floor Commissioners Boardroom 100
501 SE Hawthorne Boulevard, Portland

BUDGET HEARING

PH-1 Public Hearing on the 2008-2009 Multnomah County Budget. Testimony is limited to three minutes per person. Fill out a speaker form available in the conference room and turn it into the Board Clerk. The conference room will be open one hour prior to the hearing.

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Tuesday, May 20, 2008 - 10:00 AM
Multnomah Building, First Floor Commissioners Boardroom 100
501 SE Hawthorne Boulevard, Portland

BUDGET WORK SESSION

WS-1 Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget Work Session for Follow Up, Updated Revenue Forecast, General Questions and Amendments. This meeting is open to the public however no public testimony will be taken. 2 HOURS REQUESTED.

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Thursday, May 22, 2008 - 9:30 AM
Multnomah Building, First Floor Commissioners Boardroom 100
501 SE Hawthorne Boulevard, Portland

REGULAR MEETING

CONSENT CALENDAR - 9:30 AM **NON-DEPARTMENTAL**

- C-1 Appointment of Lenore Bijan, Augusta Hayter, Lorraine Griffey, and Jane Gillespie to the Elders in Action Commission
- C-2 Appointment of Carlene Weldon to the Multnomah County Library Advisory Board

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY SERVICES

- C-3 Budget Modification LIB-06 Reclassifying Two 1.0 FTE Library Positions in Outreach Services Division, as Determined by the Class/Comp Unit of Central Human Resources

DEPARTMENT OF COUNTY MANAGEMENT

- C-4 Budget Modification DCM-15 Reclassifying Three Positions in Information Technology and Fleet Services as Determined by the Class/Comp Unit of Central Human Resources

DEPARTMENT OF COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES

- C-5 Budget Modification DCHS-34 Reclassifying a Program Manger 2 to a Public Relations Coordinator as Determined by the Class/Comp Unit of Central Human Resources

REGULAR AGENDA **PUBLIC COMMENT - 9:30 AM**

Opportunity for Public Comment on non-agenda matters. Testimony is limited to three minutes per person. Fill out a speaker form available in the Boardroom and turn it into the Board Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE / SHERIFF'S OFFICE - 9:30 AM

- R-1 Approval of the Multnomah County Plan Regarding Use of Deadly Physical Force (Senate Bill 111). Presented by Sheriff Bernie Giusto and District Attorney Michael Schrunk. 15 MINUTES REQUESTED.

NON-DEPARTMENTAL - 9:45 AM

- R-2 Introducing the 2008 Rose Festival Court and Highlighting Rose Festival Activities in and Around Multnomah County. Presented by Jeff Curtis, Executive Director Portland Rose Festival and Members of the Rose Festival Court. 10 MINUTES REQUESTED.
- R-3 RESOLUTION Approving the Mt. Hood Cable Regulatory Commission Budget for Fiscal Year 2008-2009. Presented by Andrea Cano and David C. Olson.
- R-4 PUBLIC HEARING and Consideration of a RESOLUTION Establishing Fees and Charges for Chapter 27, Community Services, of the Multnomah County Code and Repealing Resolution No. 07-110
- R-5 PUBLIC HEARING and Consideration of a RESOLUTION Establishing Fees and Charges for Chapter 29, Building Regulations, of the Multnomah County Code and Repealing Resolution No. 08-026
- R-6 PUBLIC HEARING and Consideration of a RESOLUTION Establishing Fees and Charges for MCC 11.05 Land Use General Provisions, 11.15 Zoning, 11.45 Land Divisions, 37 Administration and Procedures, 38 Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, and Repealing Resolutions 07-112 and 07-142

DEPARTMENT OF COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES – 10:20 AM

- R-7 Budget Modification DCHS-36 Increasing the Domestic Violence Coordinator's Office Federal/State Appropriation by \$19,957 from a Grant Renewal with the Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
- R-8 Budget Modification DCHS-38 Increasing Mental Health and Addiction Services Federal/State Appropriation by \$3,579,896 to Reflect State of Oregon Funding Revisions

R-9 Budget Modification DCHS-39 Increasing SUN Services Federal/State Appropriation by \$20,000 in Federal Youth Investment Grant Funding

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES – 10:35 AM

R-10 ORDER of Tentative Determination Denying the Ballot Measure 49 Claim Filed by Ray and Virginia Hausler for Property Located at 5514 SW Hewett Boulevard, Multnomah County, Oregon

R-11 First Reading of a Proposed ORDINANCE Amending the Multnomah County Code and Framework Plan Relating to: Alternative Uses of Public School Buildings; Lot of Record Requirements to Correct Unlawfully Divided Parcels; Easement Placement During Land Divisions; Permit Processing Timelines; Biofuel Facilities; and Substandard Lot Size for Public Parks or Conservation

NON-DEPARTMENTAL - 11:00 AM

R-12 2008 Meaningful Care Conference Recap and Committee Members Award of Appreciation. Presented by Commissioner Maria Rojo de Steffey.

Thursday, May 22, 2008 - 1:00 PM
Multnomah Building, First Floor Commissioners Boardroom 100
501 SE Hawthorne Boulevard, Portland

BUDGET WORK SESSION

WS-2 Fiscal Year 2009 Capital Budget Work Session for Multnomah County Facilities and Transportation Programs. This meeting is open to the public however no public testimony will be taken. 2 HOURS REQUESTED.

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MULTNOMAH COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC TESTIMONY SIGN-UP

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MEETING DATE: 5/19/08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: Program 25040D Supervised Visitation

FOR: X AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Sara Clark

ADDRESS: 10317 E. Burnside

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland, OR 97216

PHONE: DAYS: 503-988-6250 x25436 EVES: same

EMAIL: sara.m.clark@co.multnomah.or.us FAX: 503-988-6240

SPECIFIC ISSUE: We would like \$30,000 of funding restored for this program offer.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY:

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MEETING DATE: 5/19/08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: All info inclusion in 2008-09 County budget

FOR: AGAINST: THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Susan Salisbury

ADDRESS: 4942 SE 28th Ave Apt 444

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland, OR 97202

PHONE: DAYS: 503-416-2606 EVES: 503-288-6324

EMAIL: SusanS@allinfo.org FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: All info inclusion in budget in the amount proposed (\$25,000)

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: copy to clerk

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May 19, 2008

Thank you Commissioners. My name is Susan Salisbury and I am a Resource Specialist for 211info and a Southeast Portland resident. I am here today to urge you to approve \$25,000 in funding in the 2008-2009 Multnomah County Budget for 2-1-1.

My job as a Resource Specialist is to identify and keep current over 4,000 community human services programs in the 211info database. Our callers are typically struggling with basic needs – food, housing, and medical care. At 211info, we recognize how daunting it can be to navigate the social services world, so we work hard to make sure that our information is current and directly addresses our callers' needs.

Prior to working with 211info, I went through a long period of unemployment. As a single mother of a young child, I was frightened by our financial problems, large amount of debt and a big bill from the IRS. At the public library I learned about a 211 number in Portland that I could call for suggestions of help. I was a bit suspicious in those days, so it was a hard call for me to make, but I desperately needed to find some financial advice. I was quickly given several suggestions of agencies to contact, including a consumer financial counseling agency.

I pushed myself to make an appointment with the counseling agency suggested. Not only did the counselor give me very valuable practical advice, he also called the IRS on my behalf and arranged for me to make reasonable payments that I could handle. Afterwards, I felt as though a huge weight had been lifted from my shoulders. I know that I would not have gone to this agency had I not called 211info. For me, reaching out for help by calling those three numbers, 2-1-1, and hearing a calm voice on the other end of the line was the boost I needed to motivate me to overcome my fears and take action.

We are asking for funding from both Multnomah County and the City of Portland this year. Without this funding, we will be forced to reduce our services and many people in need like I was will fail to receive much-needed help. As social services become more and more difficult to find, please allow us to continue our crucial role in connecting people to those agencies that still remain able to assist those in need. Please include 211info in the final budget and approve its passage. Thank you.

Susan Salisbury, MLIS, CRS
Resource Specialist
211info

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MEETING DATE: 5/19/09

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: LOW INCOME ROOT CAUSES OF PROBLEMS

FOR: NA AGAINST: NA THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: DON MacGILLICRAE

ADDRESS: 2339 SE YAMHILL

CITY/STATE/ZIP: 97214

PHONE: DAYS: 503-234-6354 ← EVES:

EMAIL: hwcast@teleport.com FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: SR 12 ABOVE

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: YES

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Don MacGillivray 5-19-08 Multnomah County budget hearing.

Thank you for your good work on this budget.

I realize how difficult it is to find reductions after seven years of budget reductions.

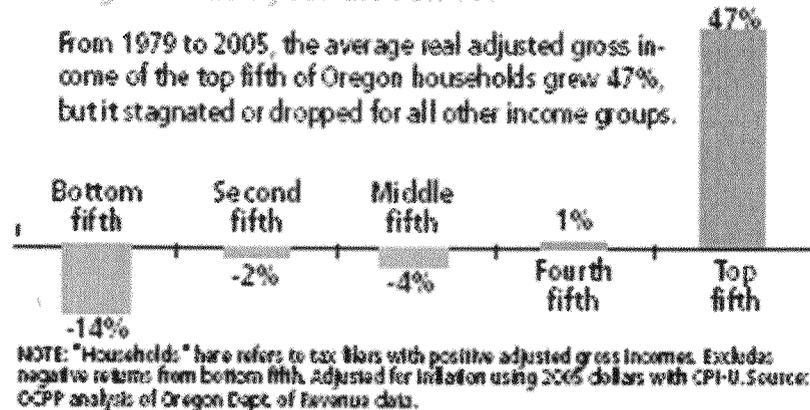
I was very pleased to see the work done on finding efficiencies in the criminal justice system, but you don't seem to be a model of sustainability.

I just want to remind you that the need is much greater than the county budgets can provide.

The answer lies not in increased public revenue but in better income producing opportunities locally and the provision of living wage jobs.

Low personal income is the root cause of many of our problems including: housing, health care, education, transportation, food, safety and as well as savings for retirement.

An Oregon Economy for the Few . . .



Source: Page 18 of the City of Portland Comprehensive Plan Assessment Draft 4-1-08

Portland will increasingly become the home of older persons. Many of these people will need full time or part time jobs to maintain their independence. So again job creation becomes an important issue.

I hope that Multnomah County will participate fully in the Portland Plan process over the next few years as it will be asked to be a necessary partner in its implementation.

I sincerely hope that with a sea change in our national leadership that more will be done at the higher levels of government to address the root causes of our serious domestic problems. It is clear that we must provide more help to more people, hopefully in ways that will positively impact local government resources.

Thank you

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MEETING DATE: 5-19-08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: Supplementing County Revenues

FOR: AGAINST: THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Michael Egan

ADDRESS: 13048 SE Stephens St

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland OR 97233

PHONE: DAYS: 255-6393 EVES: 855-6793

EMAIL: WMM.egan@portland.gov FAX: same as above

SPECIFIC ISSUE: locating sufficient funds to adequately fund all human service funds including public schools

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: I urge the clerk and all members of the Bd to explore all appropriate avenues to acquire available Portland city funds in order to meet the needs of Multnomah County residences living within the City limits of Portland

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MEETING DATE: 5-19-08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: PRESERVE CORE HUMAN SERVICES; EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT

FOR: AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: JOHN STUBENVOLL, OREGON FOOD BANK

ADDRESS: 7900 NE 33RD

CITY/STATE/ZIP: PORTLAND, OR 97211

PHONE: DAYS: 503-419-4175 EVES: _____

EMAIL: JSTUBENVOLL@OREGONFOODBANK.ORG FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: _____

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: _____

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MEETING DATE: 05.19.08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: 25090 - Addictions detox post detox housing

FOR: AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ DAYS: _____ EVES: _____

EMAIL: _____ FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: _____

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: _____

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- #6 Randall Sorvisto
- #7 Sharon Fitzgerald
- #8 Bobby Tsow (pronounced sow)
- #9 Dionne Preston
- #10 Jim Partin
- #11 Gary Cobb

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MEETING DATE: 5/19/2008

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: corrections health

FOR: _____ AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Angela Warnock, Oregon Nurses Assoc.

ADDRESS: 15795 SE HEIDI LANE

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Clackamas OR 97015

PHONE: DAYS: 978-3976 w EVES: 503 558-8582

EMAIL: _____ FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: support for corrections health
CHNS

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: submitted

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Testimony from Angela Warnock, May 19, 2008

Chair Wheeler and Members of the Board of County Commissioners, I know we have met before, but for the record my name is Angela Warnock. I am a Corrections Health Nurse at the Downtown Detention Center on the night shift. I have worked for the jail for 12 years.

I have brought many of my colleagues and supporters with me this evening and I invite them to stand up here with me. Many of them confessed to being a little shy so I am doing the public speaking on behalf of all the nurses in the three jails this evening.

I want you to know that for most of my career, I have loved what I do. I love being a nurse, and I have enjoyed nursing in the jail working with a population in our community that really needs our services.

But the last few years have gotten to me and my peers. The job is becoming unbearable.

I believe the accumulative stress of the way MCDC is currently being staffed is beginning to wear down everyone to the point that it gives us all a sickening feeling in the pit of our stomachs every time we know we have to work reception or come to work period.

Recently I asked my co-workers if they honestly feel that there was adequate staffing in reception when they work day shift. Reception is like the ER in a hospital. It is booking. The resounding answer was no.

I asked my co-workers if they honestly felt that by the time the mid-shift person comes in at noon that their work is so out of your control with patient demands that you feel paralyzed to know what to do? The resounding answer was yes. Keep in mind these are college educated people, many who have been doing this job for many years.

I asked my co-workers if they honestly spend the rest of the shift, once the mid-shift person came into work, just trying to finish the work that was thrust upon them before the mid-shift person arrived? The resounding answer was yes.

I asked my co-workers if they honestly felt that they could take on anymore work? The resounding answer was no.

I finally asked them if they honestly felt so overwhelmed at work that their ability to provide safe patient care is compromised and if they ever find themselves in near tears, or in tears away from work because of the stress of the workload? The answer was a resounding yes.

Please know I don't work with a bunch of whiners. Many of my colleagues, prior to the budget cuts 2 years ago had an average of 10 years or more experience working in the jail. With the cuts from two years ago we have gone from a total of 81 years of experience on the evening shift in corrections health to 11 years. We have a lot more agency and temporary staff on the shifts now to cover the holes in schedule. While we are grateful to have their help, they don't replace the knowledge and expertise of experienced full time staff.

We are worried about the care that we are giving. We are missing things. We are worried that we are not safe. Two people have already died, one very recently.

We approached the Health Department asking for 4 more additional nurses, 4 FTE, to help address the work load and the stress in the system due to the cuts that were made two years ago -- 3 for MCDC and 1 for MCIJ. Our request was not taken up. We are asking you to consider this request.

Perhaps, with the possibility of closure on the 8th floor of the Detention Center and maybe the 7th floor too those 4 more nurses could be left at MCDC, and thus fulfill our request and stabilize the program and keep things working. If that does not happen and staff who are designated for the 8th and 7th floor just go to Wapato you will have actually just made the situation worse by reducing the nursing staff by 4 more people.

Again please help us. We want to do a good job. We want the inmates to be treated appropriately and properly, and we need more help if we are doing to be able to that.

**From: Susan Milholland
smilholland@comcast.net]
Meeting with Chair**

I am sorry I am working and I cannot take time off, nor sick day. Here's a thought for your meeting. Evening shift went from 80 plus years of correction health experience to 11.5 years. This leads to mistakes and problems and babysitting of the temporary and new staff. We have an agency providing nurses that have no care for the work except their paycheck. No one now feels safe, something is always left undone, and now we have infighting.

Corrections Health is a specialty and you cannot learn it in a day, these agencies nurses pass pills, and we need nurses that can and want to do it all. We lost the greatest nurses 2 years ago. They spent over 100 thousand on agency nurses for couple of months. What a waste of money that is as they cannot or do not want to do what the job description is. We were sold a lie with that agency guy and he is laughing all the way to the bank, as we are desperate for the bodies. It is unsafe and I have fear every day I go to work.

**Statement from Roger Hands RN
Corrections Health
To County Board of Commissioners.**

To whom it may concern,

I have been a Registered Nurse for 14 years and have held many positions in that time. Nurses are in short supply in this country, and the shortage is growing acute. Any nurse can find employment, which is a good thing for us, however many positions that are open place the nurse in a position where short-staffing is endemic and after a few frustrating months of performing the impossible on a daily basis, the nurse again goes employer shopping or leaves nursing entirely.

Employers of nurses must recognize the unique position of a nurse, who is always trying to provide quality care to the client population and being unable to do so knows that he/she will likely be creating pain and suffering in the clients she serves. Words can't express how frustrating that can be, day after day.

The population in your jails is unique to the nurse in that it takes a certain type of individual to compassionately care for inmates. Nurses see their clients as people in need. They provide care in accordance with that need. They should not be made a part of the inmate's punishment.

Please take whatever steps are necessary to assure this population of incarcerated souls the proper medical and nursing care that they so desperately need, and assure that staffing is such that nurses serving this population are not placed in a position of providing inadequate care caused by under staffing.

Thank you for your time and thank you for your attention to this matter

Sincerely,

G. Roger Hands, RN

**Statement from Jennifer Harrison
Former corrections Health Nurse
Displaced during the budget cuts two years ago.**

From my five year experience as working as a corrections health nurse I can tell you it is not an easy job and is seldom rewarding.

The inmates are demanding and often manipulative; they expect what they want when they want it. As you can imagine, this is stressful for the nursing staff who must field all requests/demands. Rarely does one hear a "thank you for getting my meds continued" or "I really needed to see the doctor, thank you for getting me in so quickly". The lack of positive reinforcement in the work place is almost absent. This may be one reason why there is such high turn over in corrections health staff.

Over the past few years the budget has been slashed drastically and as a result there has been an imbalance of nurses to inmates for far too long. Imagine each nurse caring for up to 240 inmates, some with serious medical problems others with unstable mental health disorders.

Many come "off the street" unmedicated and untreated for quite some time, expecting to get right back on their meds as soon as they walk through the door. The nurse then has to do a lot of research in to what medication is current, when was it last taken, has there been follow up with an "outside provider". All of this takes time; a *lot of time*. Now add in the potential 240 inmates who are waiting for medication rounds. All of whom deserve attention from the nurse.

After five years I left my position in corrections health in August 2006 when budget cuts finally made it to me. Luckily, I moved in to an open position in the county which I love. However, it took me a couple of months to lose the anxiety I felt when leaving my office. "Oh no. The door shut. What if I left something inside. How long will it take for someone to let me back in?...oh yea I can let myself in the door, I don't have to wait for a deputy to buzz me in".

The stress of working as a corrections health nurse does not lie strictly in the number of inmates one serves, it's the environment, it's the "what ifs". It's the not knowing who will swear at you that day, which inmate is watching you out the cell window, WHAT is he doing behind the cell door, who will stalk you as you leave the building at midnight, do they know what car I drive?

Balancing the budget is not an easy task, especially in this day and age. However, corrections health nurses need and deserve more as do the inmates whom they serve.

Thank you for your time.

Jen

Jennifer Harrison, RN
Multnomah County Health Department
Early Childhood Services
Nurse Family Partnership
503.988.5055 x24046

Randy Gallagher
Statement to the Board
Lead Nurse at Inverness Jail

I'm sorry I am unable to attend the meeting because of the duty to be working at Inverness tonight. I have noticed an increase in work load and stress level with the Nursing staff especially, since the last two budget cuts. We are today giving more medication and doing more tasks with two fewer nurses per shift. This has resulted in an increase turn over of experience Nurses.

The ability to replace these Nurses with those that can succeed at this work load and in this challenging work environment becomes harder to find.

The inmates I'm sure have noticed a change in the care provided to them. The Nursing staff has become very task oriented just in the hopes of completing all there task that include: processing providers orders, dressing changes, diabetic management and medication administration. There is very little time for teaching or setting up a treatment plan on a challenging client and no discharge planning.

The problem multiples when we have a medical back-up or a client having chest pain or respiratory problems when there is no reserves available. Something end up getting lost in the struggle to finish ones assignment, most often lunch and breaks have become something that is seldom seen.

I would personally be very grateful for any help that the board could provide to support the dedicated nursing staff of Multnomah County Correction Health.

Randy Earl Gallagher RN
Lead Nurse
MCIJ Evening Shift
(503) 988-5033 x29435
Fax (503) 988-5030

Brief Statement from Debbie Planert
To the Board of County Commissioners

Dear Rob:

Please pass this information along.

The last two budget cuts have placed a great burden on the RN(s) and clients. Since then, I have had to file inadequate RN staffing forms to ONA on multiple occasions because there wasn't any help available when management was notified of the acuity in reception. (This is a form that ONA promulgates mostly in hospitals to help RNs document inadequate staffing).

The short staffing jeopardizes the quality of health care being provided to the clients. There isn't anyway the RN(s) can provide the standard of care under these conditions. When clients are arrested off the street, we see them at their worst and they don't always give accurate medical information and it becomes the RN's responsibility to research there medical needs while dealing with multiple clients at the same time.

This is stretching the RN staff to thin and there could be more deaths in the jail.

Sincerely,
Deborah Planert RN

Statement for the Board of County Commissioners.

I have been working for Corrections Health since last August. I was hired at a .5 level meaning that I am scheduled for five days every two weeks. However, I normally work .8, or eight days in a two week period and often have worked ten of twelve. This is because I really want to work full time and because the staffing is so short that they can use me for near full time all the time. In one way this hurts me, as I don't get full time benefits, but I am grateful for the job and like the job very much.

I work night shift at Inverness and we have two nurses on each night, so on nights I do not feel like there is a shortage of nurses. I hear the other nurses from day shift and afternoon shift complain about not getting their work done or not taking their breaks because they are so busy.

Most of the time when I do extra shifts I cover the dorms at MCDC and I do feel the shortage of nursing staff there. Again, I am glad to have this job and am not complaining, but most times I am stretched very thin trying to get everything done, and done safely on this very busy assignment. I have been in the position of having time constraints on getting things done and being met with two of three emergent situations during the same time that have been very stressful. I truly believe for safety's sake that two nurses should cover the inmate care in the dorms on the night shift.

An example of this happened recently. I had six or seven diabetics to assess and give insulin during the last half hour of my shift. By itself this is doable, but it came to my attention that two inmates were having medical emergencies during this time, also. One, I had to send to the hospital because he was having a heart attack and another was having a hypertensive crisis which required close monitoring and medicating. As luck would have it the day shift was arriving and could help me in this crunch. Had it happened earlier, it would have been extremely difficult to meet these emergencies safely by myself.

Most nights when I work MCDC I hit it running and don't stop for a break or lunch as it is difficult to safely get done what needs to be done. There is the review of orders and sorting out of up coming medical needs of inmates that must be done on the night shift. This requires great attention to detail. Scheduled evaluations of inmates for alcohol and drug withdrawal throughout the night as well as preparing for diabetic evaluation and treatment fill in the rest of the shift. In between all of this are the intermittent calls from deputies and inmates regarding health emergencies that often enough require a quick run to the dormitory to evaluate. Frequently, a deputy is not available to escort me into the dorm so I must wait or come back. All this takes time and inordinate planning.

I hope this gives a little window into my experience in Corrections Health.

Sincerely, Anne Eng, R.N

To The County Board of Commissioners
Jane Davis Corrections Health Nurse

I will not be able to attend the hearing on 5/19 but I would like to share some observations now that I have been working here for 3 months on the evening shift. I have been a nurse since 1979 and just "retired" from 20 years in public health in Washington State. I worked in corrections for about 4 years as part of my career, most recently as the nursing director at Whatcom County Health Dept for over 6 years.

It appears to me that although staffing levels have decreased, the expectations for level of care have NOT. So the stress on staff has increased, nurses have quit, hiring is difficult (if not impossible) which means agency nurses are used. However, the use of agency nurses in this environment is not appropriate due to the nature of the clientele and the complications that can arise. This is especially true on weekends when there is no lead nurse to oversee their work.

The system of administering medications is basically unsafe and I am surprised we don't have more medication errors and problems. This again is due to the staffing levels not being adequate for the system. In the past, when there was more staff, the system probably worked fine.

I find this to be the most stressful place I have ever worked and I will probably be looking for other work within the county system as soon as I complete my probationary period – another nurse lost due to staffing levels.....

Janet Davis

April 17, 2008

Dear Chair Wheeler,

How do you begin to explain medical care to a non-medical person?

We have had our budget cut for years. The last budget cut was the last straw; the one that broke the camels back.

We are not just complaining. We are in a major crisis.

We used to enjoy our job. Day shift has some of the best nurses you could ever find. Several of us have been there 15-17yrs. Now everyone wants to quit – several have been to job interviews. How can the County want to lose dependable, experienced, hard workers?

How do I explain how sick the inmates are? Many of them are mentally ill with medical problems also.

If you cut a county clinic, the clients just go to the ER, or they take fewer appointments.

We have no control over how many patients we see a day or how sick they are.

One morning, I had 22 alcoholics and heroin withdrawals to do VS on (temp, pulse, BP). I can't possible do that and my med rounds too.

We have three dialysis patients right now.

We have a nursing home patient that urinated all over. It took me 40 minutes to shower him, get clean clothes, and change his bed. How can I do that and deal with the other 40 patients on my floor?

When a person starts bashing his head in to a wall and goes on the board with a helmet, with 15 min V.S. how can I do that and med rounds on 150 people.

When the cops drag in one person after another with cuts, bruises, HTN, diabetes, drunk, stoned, pregnant using heroin, totally mentally ill, and seeing things on the wall, respiratory distress, how can 1 Booking burse safely admit and monitor all these people?

A Medical Backup can take 30min to one hour, which makes us all late to med rounds, we get no lunch breaks, can't get our work done and go home so stressed we sit on our couch and cry.

The bottom line is we are all scared some one else will die and we are jeopardizing our nursing license by some times giving inadequate care.

Chair Wheeler, could you please try to help us?

Kathleen Ruscoe RN

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MULTNOMAH COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC TESTIMONY SIGN-UP

Please complete this form and return to the Board Clerk
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MEETING DATE: 5/19/2008

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: Corrections Health

FOR: _____ AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Rob Nosse, Oregon Nurses Association

ADDRESS: 1712 SE 47th Ave

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland OR 97215

PHONE: DAYS: 293-0011x318w EVES: 503 235-7879

EMAIL: Nosse@Oregonnurses.org FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: More CHNs for Jails

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: ~~8/1~~ none to submit.

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MEETING DATE: 5/19/08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: _____

FOR: X AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: KRISTA LARSON

ADDRESS: 1808 SE BELMONT

CITY/STATE/ZIP: PORTLAND OR 97214

PHONE: DAYS: 503.232.0007.104 EVES: 503.248.9314

EMAIL: KRISTAL@METFAMILY.OR FAX: 503.232.9178

SPECIFIC ISSUE: Prevention services for children, families and older adults

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: _____

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MEETING DATE: 5/19/2008

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: 2-1-1 info budget

FOR: _____ AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Omar K Salomon

ADDRESS: 19901 SW Poplarwood Pl.

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Tualatin OR 97062

PHONE: DAYS: (503) 416 2608 EVES: _____

EMAIL: Omar@211info.org FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: Program offer # 10009
" 211 info "

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: Copies to clerk

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Omar K. Salomon
Information & Referral Specialist

503-265-6508 phone
or 877-287-3230
503-499-4302 fax

621 SW Alder, Suite 810
Portland, OR 97205
omar@211info.org

May 19, 2008

My name is Omar Salomon and I am a bilingual Information and referral Specialist at 211*info*. I am here today to request that you include program offer #10009, titled "211*info*" in the 2008-2009 final budget and approve its passage.

The primary reason callers dial 2-1-1 is to find assistance in meeting life's basic needs. Securing a place to live by finding rental assistance or shelter, obtaining food and clothing for a family and locating a job in a step toward self-sufficiency have been the most-requested services.

We had targeted the Hispanic community with 2-1-1 presentations that have been conducted in Spanish. 2-1-1 employs bilingual staff in the call center. We answered more than 4000 calls in Spanish last year.

When we connect people to social services, it is very important to be sensitive to cultural differences. Breaking the language and the cultural barrier offers a great advantage when you are to helping others to achieve their goals.

According to a national study (published by the Tomás Rivera Policy Institute, Washington, D.C., in March 2001), a substantial income gap remains between Hispanic households and U.S. households in general. That gap had widened.

Only 10.6 percent of Hispanics 25 or older have college degrees, compared to 25.6 percent of the overall U.S. population.

Hispanics comprise 10 percent of Oregon's correctional-facility population, despite the fact that Hispanics make up eight percent of the state's population.

Here in Multnomah County the Hispanic population grew by 170 percent between the 1990 and 2000.

The recent migration was not the traditional seasonal migration of single male Hispanic workers – and a few families – searching for farm labor. Now Hispanics are a very valued workforce in all kind of industries. The migration during the last 15 years has increasingly been Hispanic families coming to make Oregon their home.

2-1-1 understands these challenges. And we are helping this population with unique needs connecting them with the resources that they need to improve their lives. 2-1-1 has a very important role and a great responsibility with the fastest growth minority.

Percent of Increase, 1990-2000	County	Hispanic Population (current in 2000)
245%	Washington	49,735
170%	Multnomah	49,607
167%	Marion	48,714
135%	Clackamas	16,744
117%	Lane	14,874
104%	Jackson	12,126
114%	Umatilla	11,366
118%	Yamhill	9,017
57%	Malheur	8,099
96%	Polk	5,480
86%	Hood River	5,107

REFERENCES:

<http://www.oregon.gov/Hispanic/facts.shtml>

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MULTNOMAH COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
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MEETING DATE: May 19, 2008

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: _____

FOR: AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Leroy Patton

ADDRESS: 8630 SW Fairway Dr.

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland, Oregon 97225

PHONE: DAYS: 503 284 9805 EVES:

EMAIL: lpatton@bigplanet.com FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: Family Economic Security

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: Working Families can use the extra money
Free tax assistance saves consumers money
People on low-income need access to financial education

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MEETING DATE: 05.19.08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: Family Economic Security Proposal

FOR: AGAINST: THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Sam Harper

ADDRESS: 380 NW Maclean Blvd

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland OR

PHONE: DAYS: 503 702 4923

EVENINGS: 503 295 1965

EMAIL: _____

FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: _____

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: _____

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MEETING DATE: 05.19.08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: Under specific funding restraint

FOR: X AGAINST: _____ THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: KIRIS INC - Annette Linn, Ajeya Skyp

ADDRESS: 6310 SE 58th Ave Carver

CITY/STATE/ZIP: PDx, OR 97206

PHONE: DAYS: 503-887-9942 EVES: _____

EMAIL: _____ FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: _____

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: _____

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Jamio, Cyrena, Ajaya, Skye

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Dear Chair

wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

it is important for girls
to learn to make decisions
for their future and girls
inc. can help them with that.

Sincerely,

Lumi Barron

Age: 10

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

we need it

to go on fieldtrips
and for snacks.

Sincerely,

Arlen Hernandez

Age: 11

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Dear Chair

Wheeler _____,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

our schools

need the
money for
pta and stuff.

Sincerely, Gabby

~~Jabrette~~

Age: _____

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving \$50,000 for Girls Inc. programming to serve girls in Portland because

I am a peer council
girl, and I believe
other girls should
be one, too.

Sincerely,

Tyler Jefferson

Age: 14

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

Because every
time I go it
fun.

Sincerely,

Jennifer

Age:

8 1/2

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

it is good to help

girls gain confidence

for their future

Sincerely,

Elizabeth

Age:

10

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Dear Chair

wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

we need the help

so this program

can continue and

help girls in the future.

Sincerely,

Karen

Age: 10

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Dear Chair

Welter,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

the funding will

help with the promotion
of girls inc. girls

Sincerely,

Skye

Age: 15

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

please help fund

Girls inc. girls make

better decisions

for ~~#~~ our future.

Sincerely,

Arlen

Age: 11

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

its important for girls
to learn to be responsible.

So PLEASE help
fund Girls Inc.!

Sincerely,

Abby Diess

Age: 10

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

It is important for
girls to learn
important things
to help them in their
future

Sincerely,

Kyra Logan

Age: 11

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

We are strong, smart,

bold. We depend

on you to help

us. Because we

help other people.

Sincerely,

Shayla nice

Age: 14

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving \$50,000 for Girls Inc. programming to serve girls in Portland because

so we can have more programs for learning and having fun.

Sincerely,

Maddie

Age: 10



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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

Girls Inc. does not
have the funding it
needs to support us
and help us have good fathers

Sincerely,

Surina Krazic

Age: 16

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving \$50,000 for Girls Inc. programming to serve girls in Portland because

it is important to help

girls with making

good decisions about

their future.

Sincerely,

Isabel Kendall

Age: 10

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

We want you

guys to ~~spend~~ spend
the money at
School and Girls Inc.

Sincerely,

Brenda T

Age: 11

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Dear Chair
Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

all girls have a
dream and girls inc
helps and it helps
girls make good
disicions.

Sincerely,

Alexys

Age: 11

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

Girl group needs
to stay because
girls need someone
to let their feelings out.

Sincerely,

Alexis Michelle Arriff

Age: 11

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

it will open
doors for girls to
join Girls Inc.

Sincerely,

Diniqua Procharzka

Age: 15

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

It helps girls
learn and have
Fun. And it tells
girls how they feel.

Sincerely,

Josephine Arceo

Age: 10

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Dear Chair

wheeler,

**Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because**

They need your
help, to help us
Speak out in
the world.

Sincerely,

Karina

Age: 19

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Dear Chair

~~Conn~~ Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

the longer girls don't have

resources to speak their

feelings and reach out for

help, the more chances there
are for crime and drug abuse.

Sincerely,

Sidney Greenstate

Age: 13

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Dear Chair

Wheeler,

Please support girls by giving
\$50,000 for Girls Inc. program-
ming to serve girls in Portland
because

It can

help the girls

for when they deal

with the right.

Sincerely,

^{dashing}

Jordan

Age: 10

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Dear Chair

WHEELER,

Please support girls by giving
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ming to serve girls in Portland
because

Girls should
be strong
smart and
bold.

Sincerely, Jacal

Age: 10

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MEETING DATE: 5.19.08

SUBJECT: Multnomah County 2008-2009 Budget

SPECIFIC BUDGET TOPIC: Homeless youth

FOR: AGAINST: THE ABOVE AGENDA ITEM

NAME: Tammi Blang

ADDRESS: 225 NW Couch

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland OR 97209

PHONE: 503-433-4464

DAYS:

EVENINGS:

EMAIL: blangt@yahoo

FAX: NA

SPECIFIC ISSUE: Thank you for

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: homeless connection at
convention center
my pregnant 2 1/2 yr old
daughter accessed services
she desperately needed
from a hair cut to a dental
exam

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NAME: Carry Pepin

ADDRESS: 225 n.w. Couch #247

CITY/STATE/ZIP: Portland OR 97209

PHONE: DAYS: 503-933-0413 EVES: _____

EMAIL: Carry.Pepin@PCC.EDU FAX: _____

SPECIFIC ISSUE: Recovery center program +
Women coming out of prison

WRITTEN TESTIMONY: I would like to thank you
for support services and ask that
you add more criminality prevention
or education.

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