

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

**ORDINANCE NO. 1087**

Amending the Multnomah County Code by Abolishing the Office of School and Community Partnerships (Chapter 25) and Combining it with the Department of County Human Services (Chapter 23), and Declaring an Emergency

(Language ~~stricken~~ is deleted; double underlined language is new.)

**Multnomah County Ordains as follows:**

**Section 1.** MCC § 23.001 is amended as follows:

**23.001 Department Of County Human Services.**

The Department of County Human Services is created. The head of the department is the Director of the Department of County Human Service (director). The director must appoint and the Board will approve a community mental health program director who will perform the duties prescribed by state law. The department is assigned the following functions:

- \_\_\_\_\_ (A) Community, Adult, mental health services;
- ~~(B) Child and adolescent mental health services;~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ ~~(CB) Developmental disability services;~~
- ~~(D) Community mental health services;~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ ~~(EC) Alcohol and drug treatment services;~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ ~~(FD) Senior services;~~
- ~~(G) Disability services;~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ ~~(HE) Public Guardian;~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ ~~(HF) Adult Care Home program, and~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ ~~(JG) Domestic violence program;~~
- \_\_\_\_\_ (H) Community, youth and family services; and
- \_\_\_\_\_ (I) Housing and community development services.

**Section 2.** MCC Chapter 25, School and Community Partnerships is repealed as follows:

**~~25.010 Department Established.~~**

~~An Office of School and Community Partnerships is created as a department. It manages and coordinates county services to individuals, families, youth and young children. The head of the department is the Director of the Office of School and Community Partnerships.~~

**~~25.020 Functions.~~**

~~The Office of School and Community Partnerships is assigned the following functions:~~

- ~~(A) — Early childhood services;~~
- ~~(B) — Youth services;~~
- ~~(C) — Family and community resource services;~~
- ~~(D) — Early learning and school achievement programs;~~
- ~~(E) — Services for the homeless, and~~
- ~~(F) — Weatherization and energy assistance services.~~

**~~25.030 Service Partners.~~**

~~The Office of School and Community Partnerships will work with the following county programs:~~

- ~~(A) — School based mental health services;~~
- ~~(B) — School based health clinics;~~
- ~~(C) — Alcohol and drug programs for children;~~
- ~~(D) — Student attendance initiative, and~~
- ~~(E) — County advisory committees and other county departments that provide early childhood, adult and family support services.~~

**~~25.040 Commission.~~**

~~The Office of School and Community Partnerships will work with the Commission on Children, Families and Community as the Commission develops its plan for children and family services in the county. The Office will implement the parts of the plan that relate to the functions assigned by section 25.020.~~

**Section 3.** MCC § 3.301 is amended as follows:

**3.301 Committees Established.**

Citizen Budget Advisory Committees are established for the Department of County Human Services, the Department of Community Services, the Department of County Management, the Department of Community Justice, the Health Department, ~~the Office of Schools and Community Partnerships~~, the Library, the Sheriff, the District Attorney, the county non-departmental programs. The Library Board functions as the Library Citizen Budget Advisory Committee. The Community Health Council functions as the Health Department Citizen Budget Advisory Committee. The County Human Services Citizen Budget Advisory Committee will have representatives of the Disability Services Advisory Council, the Elders in Action Commission Leadership Team, the Adult Mental Health Services Advisory Committee, the Children Mental Health Services Advisory Committee, and the Developmental Disability Advisory Council. The Citizen Budget Advisory Committees advise the Board and all county directors, elected officials, and non-departmental programs. Citizen Budget Advisory Committees will actively participate in county budget development and review, give advice on policy considerations, and participate in operational and strategic planning.

**Section 4.** An emergency is declared in that it is necessary for this ordinance to take effect consistent with approvals of new directors, and other changes beginning with Chair Wheeler's administration that are necessary for the health, safety, and general welfare of the people of Multnomah County, and this ordinance will take effect on January 4, 2007, under section 5.50 of the Charter of Multnomah County. For budget purposes this ordinance will take effect on July 1, 2007 and will not affect the structure of the 2006-2007 budget.

FIRST READING AND ADOPTION:

January 4, 2007



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