

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

ORDER NO. 99-57

Authorizing Designees of the Mental Health Program Director to Direct a Peace Officer to Take an Allegedly Mentally Ill Person into Custody

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a) If authorized by a county governing body, a designee of a mental health program director may direct a peace officer to take into custody a person whom the designee has probable cause to believe is dangerous to self or others and whom the designee has probable cause to believe is in need of immediate care, custody, and treatment of mental illness.
- b) There is a current need for specified designees of the Multnomah County Mental Health Program Director to have the authority to direct a peace officer to take an allegedly mentally ill person into custody.
- c) All the designees listed below have been specifically recommended by the Mental Health Program Director and meet the standards established by the Mental Health Division.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Orders:

1. The individuals listed below are authorized as designees of the Mental Health Program Director for Multnomah County to direct any peace officer to take into custody a person whom the designee has probable cause to believe is dangerous to self or others and whom the designee has probable cause to believe is in need of immediate care, custody or treatment for mental illness.

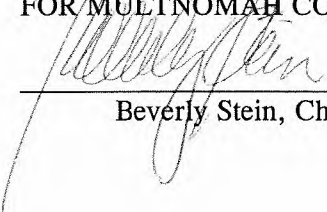
2. Added to the list of designees are:

Greg Thackston  
Sigrid A. Eilertson  
Robin Weaver  
Renee Sheehan  
Daniel Haynes  
Jim Underwood  
Madelyn Antinucci  
Barry Knorr  
Nancy Moore

David G. Mohler  
Candice Cruz  
Lori Wakashige  
Tracy Hutch  
Elisabeth Rogolsky  
Cassandra Gemelli  
Marla Dow  
Cari Masters

Adopted this 15th day of April, 1999.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
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Beverly Stein, Chair

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