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Our Mission:

MACDDS is dedicated to the promotion of county initiatives in developmental disability services.

**Meeting Minutes
December 2, 2010**

Call to Order – Jennifer Wooldridge, President

Introductions/General Announcements/Celebrations of Success

- Jasper County held a political forum in October
- Brenda Rocoberto thanked Dent County for all the help getting Phelps County set up for TCM.

Missouri Transportation Alliance –Bill McKenna

Discussed the possibilities to solve the challenges surrounding transportation issues in both urban and rural settings. Five things the Alliance promotes

1. Take care of the current system
2. Get local projects completed
3. Safety
4. Match dollars for economic development
5. Public transit

Updates and Open Discussion – Bernie Simons

President Jennifer Wooldridge began the discussion by addressing the TCM as a provider issue. MACDDS recommends that the Division consider allowing more time to consider the issues while working with specific counties individually. If a county does not have a SB40 tax and is interested in providing TCM, they would contact the closest county that does for a possible partnership.

Bernie Simons announced

- An Autism Commission replacement is needed
- The ABA CSR needs to be written (DMH website for more information)
- Waiver service definitions state that behavior therapy plans written by CDDP does not meet criteria.

- Some concern that the PON scores on the previous waiver do not meet the CSR, will need to be rewritten
- The beginnings of UR committees on a local level are emerging
- Department of Justice will be in SE Missouri in January

Jeff Grosvenor noted

- Possibility of non SB40 counties or entities joining in on the Partnership for Hope, questions arose about how the match money could be paid in the Trust fund without public dollars- DMH may transfer monies to GR and then use GR to pay the match.

Partnership for Hope Update – Robin Rust

- Distributed handout on current partnerships and dental and durable goods
- Tremendous growth and success
- Wait list is a moving target
- Asked if regional Offices are holding up the process?
- Are there slots not being used? Can be moved around but the original number is the same
- Will there be unallocated slots when ramped up by 500?

Wrap up of discussion from November 11, 2010 concerning TCM agreements

All counties should be signing the agreement with individual county differences noted on the third page.