CARR Board Meeting

6/7/22 9AM Zoom Call

Meeting called by: Standing Monthly Call Type of meeting: Monthly Board Meeting

Facilitator: Butch Lewis Note taker: Kevin Fox

Timekeeper: Butch Lewis

Attendees: Amy Cooper, Cali Ryczeck, Gonzalo Ardavin, Rich Montoya, Matt Neptune

Minutes

Agenda item: Next meeting on 7/12 agenda & duration Presenter: Butch Lewis

Discussion:

Butch – Poses next meeting on 7/12 to focus on board governance and lengthen to 2 hours for discussion.

Conclusions:

July 12th board meeting to focus on board governance and set for 2-hour call.

Agenda item: Financial Update Presenter: Butch Lewis

Discussion:

Bank account at \$30,000.00+

Conclusions:

CARR financial reserves recovered and well-funded.

Agenda item: Rural Area Expansion Presenter: Butch Lewis

Discussion:

Cañon City – met w/ mayor, city planner and zoning member, successful meeting to allow 4 Mile Sober Living to operate. City of Boulder – met w/ mayor.

CARR employees leaving for Rural Area Summit in TN.

Provide \$180,000 for Alamosa recovery residence.

Fletcher Group HRSA grant for survey of stakeholders in rural areas/communities.

Conclusions:

CARR continuing pursuits in standing up and supporting recovery residences in rural areas of Colorado.

Agenda item: CARR Standards Presenter: Butch Lewis

Discussion:

Evaluating OBH standards vs. local, municipal zoning codes vs. CARR standards.

Conclusions:

Create a hybrid list of standards relevant to and applicable to recovery residences.

Agenda item: Critical Incident Reporting Presenter: Butch Lewis

Discussion:

Meet w/ OBH to mirror their methods as it applies to recovery residences? What are their standards? At present, CARR has no critical incident reporting.

Conclusions:

Butch to proceed with developing critical incident reporting method for CARR.

Agenda item: House of Light grievance Presenter: Butch Lewis

Discussion:

Butch – In state of Colorado, law on marijuana is a constitutional right. What is CARR's position on legal consumption of marijuana in recovery residences.

Cali – Do they have medical marijuana cards? If they don't? How is this different than suboxone?

Butch – Definition of a recovery residence is free from alcohol and unprescribed drugs.

Butch – SB202 funding is not federal? Block funding is federal.

Conclusions:

Is CARR allowed to interpret the statute to NOT allow marijuana? Amy will look into this with AG's office.

Other Information

Special notes:

Tonya Wheeler said willing to come on board as a community member.

Amy is able to attend the 7/12 meeting.