

# **CMHB, Moraine Township Minutes of Special Joint Board Meeting held jointly with Moraine Township Board of Trustees April 28, 2025**

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Chair David Paushter at the Moraine Township Office located at 800 Central Ave, Highland Park.

## **Motion to allow Member Anne Lapedriza to join the meeting remotely in accordance with the Moraine Township Community Mental Health Board's Remote Attendance Policy**

- Member Duenow moved, seconded by Member Schwartz. **The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.**

The following Board Members were in attendance in person: Chair David Paushter, Members Nora Barquin, Zach Duenow, Kari Guhl, Allison Levin, Desmond Raftery, Daniel Yohanna.

Also present: Administrator Sanela Abazovic, Moraine Township Supervisor Anne Bassi, Moraine Township Board of Trustees Pablo Alvarez, Allison Levin and Nancy Chausow Shafer.

Absent: Moraine Township Trustee Mark Haggarty.

Attended remotely via videoconference: CMHB Member Anne Lapedriza.

## **Pledge of Allegiance**

- Moraine Township Clerk Gail Brown led the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

## **Proclamations:**

- Proclaimed the month of May 2025 as Mental Health Awareness Month.

## **Approval of Minutes:**

- Member Raftery moved, seconded by Member Yohanna, the approval of minutes from the regular board meeting of April 14, 2025. **The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.**

## **Public Comment:**

- There was no public comment.

## **Presentation:**

- **Assistant Director of Northern Illinois University Center for Governmental Studies – Mindy Schneiderman, Ph.D.**

Provided overview of the Mental Health Needs Assessment. A written summary was provided to the Board.

## **Chair's Remarks**

- None

**Old Business**

- None

**New Business**

- None

**Adjournment:**

Member Guhl moved, seconded by Member Yohanna, adjournment of the meeting at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
/s/ Kari Guhl

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Kari Guhl, CMHB Secretary