



**The Center of Wichita**

**August 10, 2022**

This meeting held via Zoom

- **Call To Order at 6:05 PM**

- Board Members Present:

- Brent Kennedy ... Present
- Sara Moesel ... Present
- Nolin Christensen ... Present
- Gary Kelley ... Present
- Jessica Jones ... Absent
- Robin Dauster ... Absent

- Additional Attendees:

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- Approval of Current Agenda

- **Agenda moved by Gary Kelley, Seconded by Nolin Christensen; approved**

- Approval of Minutes from the previous board meeting:

- **Motion to accept minutes Moved by Gary Kelley, Seconded by Nolin Christensen; approved**

- Public Forum

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- **Reports**

- ◆ Chair (Brent)

- see previous minutes from August 3, 2022
- general discussion

- ◆ Vice Chair (Sara)

- no report

- ◆ Secretary (Gary)

- general discussion

- ◆ Treasurer (Nolin)

- Balance Report
- **Moved as presented ... Report Accepted**

- **Current Committees**

- LGBT Health Coalition (Nolin)

- Report Attached Below

- Library (Sara)

- general discussion

- Fund-raising, Endowment, Grants

- general discussion

- Q Family Connection {{ Member: National Network of LGBT Family Groups }} (Jessica)

- no report

- Get Connected (12 to 18)

- General Discussion

- Events Planning and Recruitment Committee

- general discussion

- Old Business

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- New Business
  - Pride
- As Arises
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- Announcements / Upcoming Events
  - GSA Summit will be hosted at Robinson Middle School on September 17, 2022
  - Pride ... September 24 and 25
  - Halloqueen Story Time ... October 27, 2022 (Backup Date ... October 22, 2022)
- Next Meeting
  - Wednesday, September 7, 2022 @ 6:00 P.M.. - via Zoom
- **Moved to adjourn ... Meeting adjourned at 8:08 PM**

Minutes prepared by Gary Kelley  
08/10/22 08:12:23 PM

## June 29, 2022 Wichita LGBT Health Coalition Meeting Minutes

### Present:

Amanda Mogoi  
Lisa Kilmer  
Kayla Del Rio  
Mary Gonzales  
Kim Neufeld  
Mariah White  
James Boyd  
Heather Roe  
T'Keyah Williams  
Ragan Snyder-Smith  
Will Rapp  
Dawna Raehpour

Lisa Kilmer was able to present to about 70 people at Cargill's Pride event.

James Boyd is new to the coalition meetings. He is an herbalist/owner at Leaf & Stone Apothecary. He hosted the Big Gay Market event in June. He's planning another similar event on September 18 in Riverside at the corner of Bitting and 11th Street. Leaf and Stone will host a medicine-making session in July.

Will Rapp of GLSEN Kansas reported that the GSA Summit will be hosted at Robinson Middle School on September 17, 2022. Student GSA leaders from all over the state will be invited to attend. The cost is underwritten by Spirit Aerosystems. Attendees will be invited to attend the Wallflower Dance hosted by Wichita Pride the same evening at Robinson. Will was invited to send info to James Boyd, who publishes a newsletter.

GLSEN National will be hiring policy coordinators in each state and will pay a small stipend. The position will require about 20 hours per week; coordinator will work with Equality Kansas on legislative days, help with updates, plan action days, etc.

Amanda Mogoi and Ellen Bertels will host a workshop on DPOA (Durable Power of Attorney) and Living Wills at M-Care. M-Care is in the process of buying a larger space for the clinic and will have expanded staff. They have a new nurse practitioner and a Ryan White case manager. Dawna gave updates about how Pride went. Upcoming events will be at the end of September. The coalition normally puts together some kind of giveaway for the parade and/or the health fair at Pride. This is done as funds allow, but the coalition currently has no funding.

Heather Roe, DO is a medical director at a methadone clinic and is new to the coalition. She specializes in addiction medicine, specifically opioid and alcohol addiction. The clinic also offers immigration physicals.

Matthew, of the LGBTQ Foundation, was unable to attend today's meeting. Mar;y shared that his July 3 meeting will include a presentation by Voter to Voter. Dawna will inquire about getting Voter to Voter speaker for the next meeting.

Kayla asked if the coalition has ever done any fundraising. Kim said they haven't. Kayla suggested doing some kind of event. Suggestions include Bitchy Bingo or getting donations from Target, Dillons, or Walmart.

Ragan Snyder-Smith is new to the coalition as a provider. She is at Andover Family Counseling and is working on her sex therapy certification. She works with older teens and adults. Her roster is almost full. Her office is at the Terradyne Country Club.