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IN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE OF OREGON

FOR THE COUNTY OF YAMHILL

SITTING FOR THE TRANSACTION OF COUNTY BUSINESS

In the Matter of an Order Granting Authority to)	
HHS Director Silas Halloran-Steiner and Certain)	
Other Designated Individuals to Take Actions)	BOARD ORDER 14-222
Allowed by ORS 426.233; and Rescinding)	
Board Order 13-693.)	

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF YAMHILL COUNTY, OREGON (“the Board”) sat for the transaction of county business in formal session on April 24, 2014, Commissioners Mary P. Stern, Allen Springer, and Kathy George participating.

THE BOARD MAKES THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS.

A. Oregon Revised Statutes 426.233(1)(a) allows a Board of County Commissioners to grant authority to a community mental health and developmentally disabled program director or designee of the director to place a “hold” on a person when the director or designee has probable cause to believe that a person:

(A) Is dangerous to self or to any other person and is in need of immediate care, custody or treatment for mental illness; or

(B)(i) Is a mentally ill person placed on conditional release under ORS 426.125, outpatient commitment under ORS 426.127 or trial visit under ORS 426.273; and

(ii) Is dangerous to self or to any other person or is unable to provide for basic personal needs and is not receiving the care that is necessary for health and safety and is in need of immediate care, custody or treatment for mental illness.

B. For purposes of ORS 426.233(1)(b), a “hold” means that the director or designee may:

(A) Notify a peace officer to take the person into custody and direct the officer to remove the person to a hospital or nonhospital facility approved by the Oregon Health Authority (the “Authority”);

(B) Authorize involuntary admission of, or, if already admitted, cause to be involuntarily retained in a nonhospital facility approved by the Authority, a person approved for care or treatment at a nonhospital facility by a physician under ORS 426.232;

(C) Notify a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section to take the person into custody and direct the authorized person to remove the person in custody to a hospital or nonhospital facility approved by the Authority;

(D) Direct a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section to transport a person in custody from a hospital or a nonhospital facility approved by the Authority to another hospital or nonhospital facility approved by the Authority as provided under ORS 426.235; or

(E) Direct a person authorized under subsection (3) of this section to transport a person in custody from a facility approved by the Authority to another facility approved by the Authority as provided under ORS 426.060.

C. As director of Yamhill County Health and Human Services, Silas Halloran-Steiner is a community mental health and developmentally disabled program director. Mr. Halloran-Steiner has recommended that the Board grant him and certain other designated individuals the authority to place "holds" on persons eligible under ORS 426.233 ("Director's Holds"). The Board finds such action to be in the best interests of the citizens of Yamhill County. NOW, THEREFORE,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE BOARD AS FOLLOWS:

1. Silas Halloran-Steiner, MSW, CADC III, Director of Yamhill County Health and Human Services (HHS), is hereby granted authority to take those actions allowed by ORS 426.233(1)(b) with regard to a person after determining that the person meets the criteria of ORS 426.233(1)(a).

2. Director, Silas Halloran-Steiner, or his designee, will be responsible for training individuals who will be working in crisis screening positions. All such individuals will be required to meet criteria for Qualified Mental Health Professionals and Silas Halloran-Steiner, or his designee, will be responsible for maintaining a training log to ensure that such individuals have met the standards established by rule of the Authority and have been approved by the Board before exercising the authority granted under ORS 426.233. The designated individuals listed in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, have meet the above requirements and are hereby granted authority to take those actions allowed by ORS 426,233(1)(b) with regard to a person after determining

that the person meets the criteria of 426,233(1)(a). The authority granted to the individuals appearing on this list shall terminate automatically if (i) they no longer meet the standards established by rule of the Authority, (ii) they are no longer employed by Yamhill County; or (iii) they are no longer working with Yamhill County under a written agreement to provide crisis screening services.

3. Director's Holds may be placed at critical intercept points within Yamhill County, including but not limited to HHS clinics and residential programs, hospitals and the county jail.

4. Board Order 13-693 is hereby rescinded and the authority granted in numbered paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 will remain in effect until rescinded by the Board.

DONE at McMinnville, Oregon on April 24, 2014.

ATTEST

YAMHILL COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Exhibit A

YAMHILL COUNTY STAFF

Bethany Ball, MA, QMHP, CADCI
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