

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) BOARD ORDER 16-437
Individuals to Take Actions Allowed by)
ORS 426.233; and Rescinding Board Order)
16-155.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF YAMHILL COUNTY, OREGON (“the Board”) sat for the transaction of County business in formal session on October 27, 2016, Commissioners Mary Starrett, Stan Primozych and Allen Springer 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 met 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 the 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.

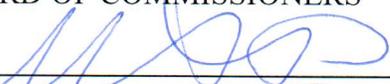
4. Board Order 16-155 is hereby rescinded and the authority granted in number paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 will remain in effect until rescinded by the Board.

DONE at McMinnville, Oregon on October 27, 2016.

ATTEST

YAMHILL COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BRIAN VAN BERGEN
County Clerk

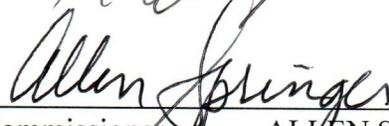

Chair MARY STARRETT

By: 
Deputy KERI HINTON


Commissioner STAN PRIMOZICH

FORM APPROVED BY:

CHRISTIAN BOENISCH
County Counsel


Commissioner ALLEN SPRINGER

Accepted by Yamhill County
Board of Commissioners on
10-27-16 by Board Order
16-437

Exhibit "A"

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Keri Hinton

From: Silas Halloran-Steiner
Sent: Tuesday, October 25, 2016 11:03 AM
To: Mary Starrett; Laura Tschabold
Cc: Christian Boenisch; Keri Hinton; Lucy Flores Mendez; Marie Mcdaniel-Bellisario; Theresa Heidt; Terry Malay; Christina Malae; Lindsey Manfrin; Jason Henness
Subject: Board Consideration: Director's Hold Board Order
Attachments: Director's Hold 102416.docx

Hi Mary and Laura,

The attached file is an updated "Director's Hold" draft Board Order for authorization to designate clinical staff to place Director's holds. The authorization is updated from time to time due to designated staff movement and training. This order allows me and other designated individuals, including our George Fox University contracted staff, to place a hold on persons deemed dangerous to self or others or mentally ill persons placed on conditional release, outpatient commitment, or trial release. If approved, this order will rescind Board Order 16-155.

I recommend the Board approve this authorization as written unless Christian recommends any revisions. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Lucy/Keri, please place this on today's Board Agenda. Suggested Board Agenda language:

"Authorize Silas Halloran-Steiner and other designated individuals to place "director holds" on persons deemed dangerous to self or others, or mentally ill persons placed on conditional release, outpatient commitment or trial release, rescinding Board Order 16-155."

Thanks,

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Our Mission: To promote the public's physical, emotional and social well-being through services, prevention, education, and partnerships.

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