PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICT NO. 2 OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON SOUTH SNOHOMISH COUNTY COMMISSION FOR HEALTH

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting **September 28, 2011**

Commissioners Charles Day, Secretary

Present Deana Knutsen, Commissioner

J. Bruce Williams, M.D., Commissioner

Bob Knowles, Commissioner

Commissioners

Absent Fred Langer, President

Others Present Carl Zapora, Superintendent

Howard Thomas, Consultant

Erica Ash, Consultant

Karen Goto, Executive Assistant George Kosovich, Program Director

Lisa King, Finance Director

Megan Aukema, Aukema & Associates

Citizens from the community

Call to Order The Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of

Public Hospital District No. 2, Snohomish County, was called

to order at 8:10 a.m. by Secretary Day.

Approval of

Minutes

Motion was made, seconded and passed unanimously to approve

the minutes of the Regular meeting on August 24, 2011.

Board Finance

Committee

Commissioner Knutsen reported that the Finance Committee met on September 20, 2011 to review the financial statements and

other ongoing issues.

Profit & Loss

Statement

Ms. King reported on the financials for August (E:27:11).

Authorization for

Payment of Vouchers &

Warrant Numbers 10289 through 10328 for August for payment in the amount of \$178,184.40 were presented for approval (E:28:11). Motion was made, seconded and

passed unanimously to approve.

Preliminary

Budget

Payroll

Ms. King presented the preliminary 2012 budget (E:29:11). There were no objections from the commissioners on the

budget draft. Note that this budget was introduced with a specific line item called "Superintendent Discretionary Fund." This fund is intended for small projects or programs that the superintendent can authorize without prior board approval but the amounts will always be reported to the board so they know what has been committed. The line item is 5% of the total community investment budget.

Superintendent's Budget

Commission for Health staff will present the Superintendent's budget at the October 26, 2011 Board meeting for approval. Mr. Zapora will not be present at the October board meeting due to a previous commitment.

Schedule Board Study Session for Budget

Commissioners are invited to schedule one-on-one meetings with the Director of Finance to review the 2012 budget rather than schedule a study session. Budget deadline is November 15, 2011.

Board Resolution for Enduris No. 2011-07

Motion was made, seconded and passed unanimously to approve Resolution 2011-07 authorizing Enduris for the purpose of providing liability and property insurance for the District.

Board Resolution for Verdant Health Commission No. 2011-08

Motion was made, seconded and passed unanimously to approve Resolution 2011-08 approving changes in the trade name under which the District operates and does business.

Branding Report

Megan Aukema presented the logo and marketing plan (E:30:11) for Verdant Health Commission. Commissioner Knutsen cautioned the commission on sponsorships and give-aways to make sure they connect to health and wellness and comply with state guidelines.

Board Executive Committee

Commissioner Day reported that the Executive Committee met on September 22, 2011 to review the agenda for the September 28, 2011 Board meeting.

Program Oversight Committee Report &

Recommendations

Mr. Kosovich reported that the Program Oversight
Committee met on September 21, 2011 to review four
proposals (E:31:11). The commission elected not to fund at
this time the Sticks 2 Schools Foundation request. *Motion*was made, seconded and passed unanimously to approve
distribution of funds to Project Access Northwest, Jeremiah

Center Counseling Services, and Community Health Center of Snohomish County Emergency Room Diversion Project. There were no commissioner conflicts of interest on the three proposals.

Superintendent's
Report

Superintendent Zapora reported that interviews were conducted with 8 candidates for the Director of Marketing & Communications position and a final applicant will be selected shortly.

Public Comments:

Mr. Al Rutledge brought up the variance on signage at Swedish/Edmonds hospital.

Executive Session

Commissioner Day recessed the regular meeting at 9:25 a.m. into Executive Session to discuss legal matters.

Commissioner Day stated that the Commissioners would reconvene in approximately 10 minutes and no action would be taken in this Executive Session.

Open Session

Commissioner Day reconvened into open session at 9:35 a.m.

Adjourn

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 9:36 a.m.

ATTEST BY:

President		
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Secretary		