### PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS BOARD APPOINTMENT SUMMARY

Meeting Date: February 11th, 2025

Department:

Submitted by: Community Services

Advisory Board: Palm Beach County HIV CARE Council

### I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

**Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to approve:** the reappointment of one (1) member to the Palm Beach County HIV Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act Council (HIVCC), for the term February 11, 2025 to February 10, 2028:

Seat No:

Appointment: Brittany S. Henry Recommended By:

HIV CARE Council

Summary: HIVCC establishes priorities for the allocation of Ryan White (RW) HIV/AIDS Program funds within Palm Beach County (County); and develops a comprehensive plan for the organization and delivery of health services described in 42 U.S.C. § 300ff, et seq., that is compatible with any existing state or local plan regarding the provision of health services to individuals with HIV disease. The United States Department of Health and Human Services, through the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), requires the County to maintain a planning council, and the HIVCC serves as that council. Federal law requires that the planning council's composition reflect the demographics of individuals with HIV/AIDS in the County. At least 33% of its members must be consumers of RW services who are not affiliated with subrecipient service providers. The law also requires that the planning council represent designated categories including health care providers, social service providers, communitybased organizations, local public health agencies, non-elected community leaders, and grantees of Federal HIV programs. According to Resolution No. 2011-1560, the total membership for the HIVCC shall not exceed 33 at-large members. The HIVCC recommends the reappointment of Ms. Brittany S. Henry, who is employed by FoundCare, Inc. This agency has a contract with the County for services; however, HIVCC does not provide regulation, oversight, management, or policy-setting recommendations regarding the contracts or transactions with FoundCare, Inc. Disclosure of this contractual relationship at a duly noticed public meeting is provided in accordance with the provisions of Section 2-443 of the County's Code of Ethics. The diversity count for the 24 seats that are currently filled is African-American: nine (9) (38%), Caucasian: eight (8) (33%), Hispanic-American: five (5) (21%) and Asian-American: two (2) (8%). The gender ratio (male: female) is 10:14. Ms. Henry is African American. The staff has addressed the need to increase diversity within our boards and will continue to promote efforts to expand this Board's diversity. Countywide (HH)

Background and Justification: In accordance with the RW Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act of 1990 (RW Care Act) (P.L.101-381), the County was designated an eligible metropolitan area disproportionally affected by the HIV epidemic, with a demand for services exceeding the capacity of local resources. HRSA has made funds available to the County. In order to access these funds, Title I (Part A) of the RW Care Act mandates that the County designate a Title I (Part A) HIV Services planning council. Accordingly, the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) established the HIVCC, per Resolution No. R2011-1560, dated October 18, 2011, and amended it on January 23, 2018. The RW CARE Act Amendments of 1996 mandate a nomination process for appointments to Title I (Part A) planning councils. As vacancies occur on the HIVCC, replacements are selected in accordance with the nominations process that was adopted and approved by the HIVCC on June 25, 2012.

#### Attachments:

- 1. Boards/Committees Application and Resume
- 2. Inventory of Seats
- 3. Resolution 2011-1560

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### II. REVIEW COMMENTS

A.	Other Department Review:	
	Department Director	

### PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS BOARDS/COMMITTEES APPLICATION

The information provided on this form will be used in considering your nomination. Please COMPLETE SECTION II IN FULL. Answer "none" or "not applicable" where appropriate. Please attach a biography or résumé to this form.

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#### Section II Continued:

CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIPS: Pursuant to Article XIII, Sec. 2-443 of the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics, advisory board members are prohibited from entering into any contract or other transaction for goods or services with Palm Beach County. Exceptions to this prohibition include awards made under sealed competitive bids, certain emergency and sole source purchases, and transactions that do not exceed \$500 per year in aggregate. These exemptions are described in the Code. This prohibition does not apply when the advisory board member's board provides no regulation, oversight, management, or policy-setting recommendations regarding the subject contract or transaction and the contract or transaction is disclosed at a public meeting of the Board of County Commissioners. To determine compliance with this provision, it is necessary that you, as a board member applicant, identify all contractual relationships between Palm Beach County government and you as an individual, directly or indirectly, or your employer or business. This information should be provided in the space below. If there are no contracts or transactions to report, please verify that none exist. Staff will review this information and determine if you are eligible to serve or if you may be eligible for an exception or waiver pursuant to the code.

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By signing this acknowledgement, I am attesting that I have done the following:  Read the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics Ordinance. (Click to open)
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The Code of Ethics Training Program on the Intranet/Internet. (Click to view)
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I understand that I am responsible for understanding and abiding by the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics as I conduct my assigned duties during my term of employment. I also understand that the information in this policy is subject to change. Policy changes will be communicated to me by my supervisor or through official notices.    12
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### **BRITTANY HENRY**

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### **EDUCATION**

Master of Public Health, Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of Florida, Gainesville FL Bachelor of Science, Biological Sciences, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL Associate in Arts, Palm Beach State College, Lake Worth, FL

May 2020 May 2018 August 2015

### WORK EXPERIENCE

### Director of Prevention Programs, FoundCare, Inc., West Palm Beach, FL

Jan 2023 - Present

- Oversees the design, delivery, and quality of prevention programs
- Monitors and coordinates the provision of Prevention Program Services by agency staff
- Ensures maintenance of all related program records in a complete, accurate manner that is compliant with confidentiality procedures
- · Ensures agency programs meet operational standards required by funders as well as internal agency standards

#### Health Education Manager, FoundCare, Inc., West Palm Beach, FL

Aug 2021 - Jan 2023

- Implemented and managed HIV Prevention Programs to assure compliance according to grant requirements, builds and facilitates working relationships with community partners and agencies
- Ensured that staff collected and maintained program data according to grant requirements, and provided feedback to program staff
- Provided accurate and timely grant reports, developed, reviewed and revised policies. Participates in site visits, and recruits and train staff

#### OPS - Biological Scientist IV, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

Oct 2020 - Jun 2021

- Worked with epidemiologist to track COVID-19 cases through the University of Florida's Screen Test and Protect Program
- Assisted the Screen, Test, and Protect Program to provide students and community members access to COVID-19 vaccines
- Conducted risk assessments to determine level of exposure

### OPS - Biological Scientist III, Florida Department of Health, Fort Myers, FL

Apr 2020 - Oct 2020

- Worked in both office and remote locations to perform investigations of all confirmed COVID-19 cases reported to the Florida Department of Health in Lee County
- Conducted full contact investigations, contact tracing, and data entry of confirmed cases in all government database to provide updated information on all cases reported to the CDC
- Served as team lead to assist with administrative duties such as, staff trainings, access to patient medical records and daily reports of cases completed by the investigation team to the team supervisor

### Public Health Graduate Intern, University of Florida Mobile Outreach Clinic, Gainesville, FL Jan 2020 - Apr 2020

- Improved education by providing pre/post-tests to Medical and Physician Assistant students on the Social Determinants
  of Health
- Improved clinic operations/patients engagement by developing and implementing new patient check-out process and assessed the need for inclusive care in the clinical environment
- Developed and Implemented new home visit program to address the key determinants affecting health, provided trainings on how home visits integrate with care coordination, and attended home visits with the clinic's nurse practitioner to address medical and social issues affecting health

### Quality Improvement Manager, Interdisciplinary Clinical & Academic Program, Gainesville, FL Jan 2019 - Aug 2019

- Performed clinical/administrative program duties for the Neuromedicine department at UFHealth (i.e. reviewed death reports, provided wayfinding services to patients and visitors, etc.)
- Introduced and discussed the benefits of Advance Directives to patients visiting the Neuromedicine clinic
- Assisted with project management, team management, and attended weekly staff meetings/community engagements

### **SKILLS**

- Proficiency with Electronic Health Records (EPIC)
- Excellent written/oral communication skills, attention to detail, computer proficiency, and grant/people management
- Highly Proficient in Typing (50-60wpm)

# Attachment 2

## Palm Beach County HIV CARE Council BOARD ROSTER

Seat Updated 12/17/2024

CC B Laws Page 6 Article III – SECTION 7: The CARE Council member term of office shall be three years. There shall be a limit of three (3) Consecutive three-year terms that a member can serve. This provision is effective as of March 1, 2013, and applies to any member who is appointed or reappointed subsequent to that date.

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1	Vacant	Health care provider, including federally qualified health centers	Found Care, Inc.	11/04/2026	0	HW
2	Kristen Harrington	Community-Based Organizations serving affected populations/AIDS Service Organizations	AHF	10/04/2026	1	WF
3	Damion Baker	Community-Based Organization serving affected populations/AIDS Service Organizations	Monarch Inc.	08/21/2026	1	ВМ
4	Dr Youssef Motii	Social Service Providers, including housing and homeless service providers	Oceana Healthcare	04/17/2026	2	ВМ
5	Kim Rommel Enright	Social Service Providers, including housing and homeless service providers	Legal Aid	03/21/2025	3	WF
6	Nancy McConnell	Substance Abuse and/or Mental Health Providers	Rebel Recovery	10/18/2024	3	WF

SEAT	OCCUPANT	NON-ELECTED COMMUNITY LEADERS – SEATS 7-10	ORGANIZATION	CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	TERM LEFT AFTER CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	DEMOGRAPHIC INFO.
7	Dr Jyothi Gunta	Local Public Health Agencies	PBC Health Department	Appointed 07/02/2024 Term Expired 05/16/2025	3	Asian
8	Denise Grigoriou	State Medicaid Agency	Planned Parenthood	05/16/2025	3	нw
9	Christian Johnston	Local Public Health Agencies	Florida Department of Health	Appointed 07/0/2024 Term Expired 05/16/2025	3	WM
10	Ashnika Ali	Hospital Planning Agencies or other health care planning agencies	Health Council of South East Florida	Appointed 10/18/2024 Term Expired 10/17/2027	1	APIF

SEAT	OCCUPANT	NON-ELECTED COMMUNITY LEADERS – SEATS 11-14	ORGANIZATION	CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	TERM LEFT AFTER CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	DEMOGRAPH C INFO.
11	Ashaki Sypher'	Part D, or if none present, representatives of organizations addressing the needs of children, youth, and families with HIV	Families first of PBC	Appointed 8/20/2024 Term Expire 8/19/2027	1	BF
12	Lysette Perez	Other federal HIV Programs: HIV Prevention Program	Compass	Appointed 8/20/2024 Term Expire 8/19/2027	1	HF
13	Miguel Vazquez	Other federal HIV Programs: HOPWA	Housing Authority of PBC	05/16/2025	1	НМ
14	Brittany Henry	Other federal HIV Programs: Other	FOUNDCARE,INC	02/07/2025	3	BW

SEAT	OCCUPANT	NON-ELECTED COMMUNITY LEADERS – SEATS 15-18	ORGANIZATION	CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	TERM LEFT AFTER CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	DEMOGRAPHIC INFO.
15	Tyrina Pinkney	Representative of/or formerly incarcerated People Living with HIV/AIDS	The Lords Place	05/16/2025	2	BF
16	Angelie Diya	Non-Elected Community Leader	Community Member	06/13/2025	0	BW
17	Hector Bernadino	Non-Elected Community Leader	Midway Health Inc.	Appointed 10/ 18/2024 Expired 10/17/2027	0	НМ
18	Thomas McKissack	Non-Elected Community Leader	Ret. Jerome Golden	12/19/2025	0	ВМ

People Living with HIV & Community (continued)						
SEAT	OCCUPANT	AFFECTED COMMUNITIES, INCLUDING PLWH AND HISTORICALLY UNDER-SERVED SUBPOPULATIONS AND/OR INDIVIDUALS CO- INFECTED WITH HEPATITIS B/C – SEATS 19-27	POSITION/ ORGANIZATION	CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	TERM LEFT AFTER CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	DEMOGRAPHIC INFO.
19	Vacant	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C		08/21/2026	3	
20	Vacant	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C		08/21/2026	3	
21	Cecil Smith	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	10/02/2026	3	
22	Mary Jane Reynolds	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	07/12/2024	3	BF
23	Dominique Lane	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	05/16/2025	3	BF
24	Cynthia Walker	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	6/13/2025	3	BW
25	Tad Fuller	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	03/11/2025		WM
26	Richardo Jackson	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	05/16/2025	2	ВМ
27	VACANT	Affected communities, including PLWH and historically under-served subpopulations and/or individuals co-infected with Hepatitis B/C	Community Member	10/02/2026	1	WM

Demographic info key: BF= Black Female, BM= Black Male, HAIF= Haitian Female, HAIM= Haitian Male, WF= White Female, WM= White Male, HISF= Hispanic Female, HISM= Hispanic Male, M= Multi-Race, APIF= Asian Pacific Islander Fem

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### RESOLUTION NO. R-2011-1560

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, DESIGNATING THE PALM BEACH COUNTY HIV COMPREHENSIVE AIDS RESOURCES EMERGENCY COUNCIL, HEREAFTER REFERRED TO AS "CARE COUNCIL", AS THE HIV SERVICES PLANNING COUNCIL REQUIRED UNDER PART A OF THE RYAN WHITE ACT: REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. R97-1067; AND UPDATING GRANT TITLE TO RYAN WHITE PART A AND PART B.

WHEREAS, Palm Beach County has been identified as a locality which is disproportionately affected by the HIV epidemic and which as a substantial need for service; and

WHEREAS, the local demand for services far exceeds the capacity of local resources to meet that demand; and

WHEREAS, Congress has enacted the Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act of 1990, P.L. 101-381, as amended, for the purpose of providing emergency financial support services to persons affected by the AIDS epidemic; and

WHEREAS, the Ryan White Act requires a grantee to establish or designate a HIV Services planning Council; and

WHEREAS, the current HIV Services Planning Association has worked with the grantees for Ryan White Part B and Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA) funds to establish a coordinated planning and advisory body to enhance the delivery of services to HIV-infected persons in Palm Beach County, and has created the CARE Council; and

WHEREAS, the Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners wishes to designate the CARE Council as the HIV Services Planning Council.

### NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

- Designation of the CARE Council. The Board of County Commissioners hereby concurs
  with the establishment of a Board to be known as the Palm Beach County HIV
  Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Council (CARE Council), and designates
  the CARE Council to serve as the Ryan White Part A HIV Services Planning Council as
  mandated under Part A of the Ryan White Act.
- II. Membership. The initial membership of the CARE Council shall consist of all members in good standing of the Palm Beach HIV Services Planning Council as constituted pursuant to Resolution R97-1067, on the day this resolution is enacted. Subsequently, the total membership shall be reduced to no more than 33 members through a process of attrition. As vacancies occur on the CARE Council, replacements shall be selected in accordance with the required "Nominations Process" which shall be adopted by the CARE Council. The nomination process must be in compliance with Article II of the CARE Council By-Laws and the requirements of Part A of the Ryan White Act, as amended.
- III. Meeting of the CARE Council: The Council may adopt such rules of procedure as it deems necessary. All meeting of the Council shall be open to the public and shall be subject to the requirement of Section 286.11, Florida Statutes. Palm Beach County will be provided copies of all agendas in advance of meetings and copies of all minutes of meetings.

### IV. <u>Duties and Responsibilities</u>. The CARE Council shall:

- a) Develop a comprehensive plan for the organization and delivery of health services described in the Ryan White Act, as amended, that is compatible with any existing state or local plan regarding the provision of health services to individuals with HIV disease;
- b) Establish priorities and allocations of funds within the eligible area, including how to best to meet each such priority and additional factors that the grantee should consider, based on:
  - 1. Documented need of the HIV-infected population;
  - 2. Cost and outcome effectiveness of proposed service strategies and interventions, to the extent that such data are reasonably available (either demonstrated or probable);
  - 3. Priorities of the HIV-infected communities for whom the services are intended and;
  - 4. Availability of other governmental and non-governmental resources;
- c) Assess the efficiency of the administrative mechanism in rapidly allocating funds to the areas of greatest need within the eligible area and assess the effectiveness, either directly or through contractual arrangements, of the services offered in meeting the identified needs.
- d) Establish a grievance procedure to address grievances filed against the council.
- e) Participate in the development of a Statewide Coordinate Statement of Need initiated by the state public health agency responsible for administering grants under Part B of the Ryan White Act.
- f) Establish methods for obtaining input on community needs and priorities, which may include public meetings, conducting focus groups, and convening ad-hoc panels.
- g) Coordinate and monitor service provision and planning outcomes with a designated Lead Agency for the administration of Ryan White Part B funds.
- h) Provide a written report to the Board of County Commissioners by January 15<sup>th</sup> of each year on the membership, attendance records and activities and accomplishments of the CARE Council.
- V. Grantee. Palm Beach County is the grantee for Part A Ryan White Act funds. The Board of County Commissions of Palm Beach County shall serve as the chief elected official for the purpose of applying for, receiving and distributing federal Part A Ryan White Act funds. The Department of Community Services shall provide administrative support, prepare grant applications and agreements and monitor funds necessary to comply with Part A requirements. Distribution of grant funds to Palm Beach County Providers shall be through agreements between the County and each provider. The application for and use of grant funds shall be in accordance with Ryan White Act.
- VI. <u>Repeal of Resolution R97-1067</u>. Resolution R97-1067 which created the HIV Services Planning Council is hereby repealed in its entirety.

VII. Effective date. This resolution shall become effective upon adoption. The foregoing Resolution was offered by Commissioner Aaronson, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Vana, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Commissioner Karen T. Marcus, Chair	•	Aye
Commissioner Shelley Vana, Vice-Chair	-	Aye
Commissioner Paulette Burdick	-	Aye
Commissioner Steven L. Abrams	***	Aye
Commissioner Burt Aaronson	_	Aye
Commissioner Jess R. Santamaria	_	Aye
Commissioner Priscilla A. Taylor		Aye

The Chair thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this <a href="mailto:18th">18th</a> day of <a href="mailto:0ctober">0ctober</a>, 2011.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

Assistant and Attorney

PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMPASSIONERS

Sharon R. Bock, Clerk/Comptroller

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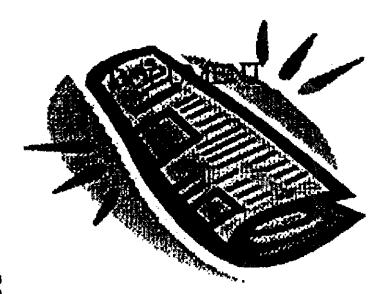
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### PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

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Meeting Date:

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Public Hearing

Department Submitted By:

Community Services

8/19/97

Submitted For:

Palm Beach County HIV Planning Services Council

#### L EXECUTIVE BRIEF

- A. Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to adopt: A resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, designating the Palm Beach County HIV Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Council, hereinafter referred to as the "CARE Council", as the HIV Services Planning Council Required Under Title I of the Ryan White Care Act; Repealing Resolution No. 93-1182; and Providing for an effective date.
- B. Summary: The Palm Beach County HIV Services Planning Council, Title I, and the Palm Beach County AIDS Consortium, Title II, voted separately to recommend the establishment of one Council to effectively and efficiently carry out the mandates of Ryan White CARE Act Title I and Title II. The initial membership of the CARE Council shall consist of all members in good standing of the Palm Beach HIV Services Planning Council and the Palm Beach County AIDS Consortium, the Board formerly constituted to administer Title II funds, on the day this resolution is enacted. As vacancies occur on the CARE Council, replacements shall be selected in accordance with the required "Nomination Process" which shall be adopted by the CARE Council. The nomination process must be in compliance with Article II of the CARE Council By-Laws and the requirements of Title I of the Ryan White Care Act, as amended. The CARE Council shall provide a written report to the Board of County Commissioners by January 15th of each year on the membership, attendance records and activities and accomplishments of the CARE Council. (Ryan White) Countywide) (TKF)
- C. Background and Justification? Per the Ryan White Comprehensive Aids Resources Emergency Act of 1990 (P.L.101-381); Palm Beach County was designated an eligible metropolitan area disproportionally affected by the HIV epidemic and having a demand for services exceeding the capacity of local resources to meet that demand. The federal government, through the Department of Health and Human Services has made funds available to Palm Beach County to meet such demand. In order to access these funds, it is legally mandated that Palm Beach County designate a HIV Services Planning Council, which was done in 1993. The HIV Services Planning Council has worked with the grantees for the Title II and HOPWA funding to establish a coordinated planning and advisory system for all HIV funding in Palm Beach County. The CARE Council was established to fulfill this purpose. It is recommended by the currently appointed HIV Services Planning Council that the CARE Council be designated to fulfill the function of the HIV Services Planning Council as required under Title I of the Ryan White Care Act.

<b>р.</b>	Attachments: 1. New Resolution 2. Rescinded Resolution No. R93-1182	R97	1067
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#### II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, DESIGNATING THE PALM BEACH COUNTY HIV COMPREHENSIVE AIDS RESOURCES EMERGENCY COUNCIL, HEREAFTER REFERRED TO AS "CARE COUNCIL,", AS THE HIV SERVICES PLANNING COUNCIL REQUIRED UNDER TITLE I OF THE RYAN WHITE CARE ACT; REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 93-1182; AND PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Palm Beach County has been identified as a locality which is disproportionately affected by the HIV epidemic, and which has a substantial need for service; and

WHEREAS, the local demand for services far exceeds the capacity of local resources to meet that demand; and

WHEREAS, Congress has enacted the Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resources

Emergency Act of 1990, P.L. 101-381, as amended, for the purpose of providing emergency financial, support services to persons affected by the AIDS epidemic; and

WHEREAS, the Ryan White Care Act requires a grantee to establish or designate a

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HIV. Services Planning Council, and

WHEREAS, the current HIV Services Planning Association has worked with the grantees for Ryan White Title II and HOPWA funds to establish a coordinated planning and advisory body to enhance the delivery of services to HIV-infected persons in Palm Beach County, and has created the CARE Council; and

WHEREAS, the Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners wishes to designate the CARE Council as the HIV Services Planning Council.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

I. <u>Designation of the Care Council</u>. The Board of County Commissioners hereby concurs with the establishment of a Board to be known as the Palm Beach County HIV Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Council (CARE Council), and designates the CARE Council to serve as the Ryan White Title I HIV Services Planning Council as mandated under Title I of the Ryan White Care Act.

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- II. Membership. The initial membership of the CARE Council shall consist of all members in good standing of the Palm Beach HIV Services Planning Council and the Palm Beach County AIDS Consortium, the Board formerly constituted to administer Title II funds, on the day a resolution is enacted. Subsequently, the total membership shall be reduced to no more than (45) but not less than (21) members through a process of attrition. As vacancies occur on the CARE Council, replacements shall be selected in accordance with the required "Nomination Process" which shall be adopted by the CARE Council. The nomination process must be in compliance with Article II of the CARE Council By-Laws and the requirements of Title I of the Ryan White Care Act, as amended.
- III. <u>Meetings of the Care Council</u>. The Council may adopt such rules of procedure as it decans necessary. All meetings of the Council shall be open to the public and shall be subject to the requirements of Section 286.011, Florida Statutes. Palm Beach County will be provided copies of all agendas in advance of meetings and copies of all minutes of meetings.
  - IV. Duties and responsibilities. The CARE Council shall:
  - (a) Develop a comprehensive plan for the organization and delivery of health services described in the Ryan White CARE Act, as amended, that is compatible with any existing state or local plan regarding the provision of health services to individuals with HIV disease;
  - (b) Establish priorities for the allocation of funds within the eligible area, including how best to meet each such priority and additional factors that the grantee should consider, based on:
    - 1. documented needs of the HIY-infected population;
    - cost and outcome effectiveness of proposed service strategies and interventions, to the extent that such data are reasonably available (either demonstrated or probable);
    - priorities of the HIV-infected communities for whom the services are intended and;
    - availability of other governmental and non-governmental resources:
  - (c) Assess the efficiency of the administrative mechanism in rapidly allocating funds to the areas of greatest need within the eligible area and assess

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the effectiveness, either directly or through contractual arrangements, of the services offered in meeting the identified needs.

- (d) Establish a grievance procedure to address grievances filed against the council.
- (e) participate in the development of a Statewide Coordinated Statement of Need initiated by the state public health agency responsible for administering grants under Title II of the CARE Act.
- (f) establish methods for obtaining input on community needs and priorities which may include public meetings, conducting focus groups, and convening adboc panels.
- (g) coordinate and monitor service provision and planning outcomes with a designated Lead Agency for the administration of Ryan White Title II funds.
- (h) provide a written report to the Board of County Commissioners by January 15th of each year on the membership, attendance records and activities and accomplishments of the CARE Council.

IV. Grantee. Palm Beach County is the grantee for Tale I Ryan White Care Act funds. The Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County shall serve as the chief elected official for the purpose of applying for, receiving and distributing federal Title I Ryan White Care Act funds. The Department of Community Services shall provide administrative support, prepare grant applications and agreements and monitor funds necessary to comply with Title I requirements. Distribution of grant funds to Palm Beach County providers shall be through agreements between the County and each provider. The application for and use of grant funds shall be in accordance with the Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act.

V. Repeal of Resolution R93-1182. Resolution R93-1183 which created the HIV

Services Planning Council is hereby repealed in its entirety.

VI. <u>Effective date.</u> This resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Commissioner Marcus , who moved its adoption.

The motion was seconded by Commissioner McGarty , and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

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KAREN T. MARCUS - Aye
CAROL A. ROBERTS - Aye
WARREN H. NEWELL - Aye
MARY MCCARTY - Aye
BURT AARONSON - Aye
KEN L. FOSTER - Absenc
MAULE FORD LEE - Aye

The Chairman thereupon declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted this

<u>19th</u> day of <u>August</u>, 1997.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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V. Organization, quorum and meetings. The Council shall select a Chairperson and such other officers as deemed necessary or destrable to conduct the business of the Council. All officers shall serve at the pleasure of the Council. A Majority of the members at the pleasure of the Council. A Majority of the members present and voting at any meeting shall be pufficient to enable chairs one shall council shall meet at any appropriate place and shall arrange a time for holding meetings of the Council as shall be necessary. The Council may meeting a clark any appropriate place and shall be necessary. The Council meetings of the Council as shall be necessary. All meetings of the Council as a hall be necessary. All meetings of the Council shall be of procedure as if deems necessary. All meetings of the council shall be of procedure as if deems necessary. All meetings of the council shall be of procedure as if deems necessary. All meetings of the council shall be mailed to all members of the Council at least one (if yeek is advance of the next meeting, where possible.

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