

**ALCOHOL, DRUG ADDICTION AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES  
BOARD OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY**

**RESOLUTION NO. 16-06-01**

**APPROVAL OF SFY 2017 COMMUNITY PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OhioMHAS) has designed an integrated community planning process for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2017; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services (ADAMHS) Board of Cuyahoga County is required by Ohio law to prepare and submit to the OhioMHAS, a plan for the provision of prevention, alcohol and other addictions and mental health services in its catchment area and constitutes that the ADAMHS Board's application for state funds is prepared in accordance with procedures and guidelines established by OhioMHAS; and,

**WHEREAS**, ORC Section 340.03 establishes Boards as the prevention, alcohol and other addictions and mental health planning agency for the county under its jurisdiction. Each Board must:

- Evaluate the community needs for recovery support services, prevention, alcohol and other addictions and mental health treatment services
- Identify the gaps in behavioral health programs/services
- Evaluate strengths and challenges
- Set program/service priorities in relation to the availability of funding

**WHEREAS**, the Community Plan for SFY 2017 emphasizes the key role of Boards to plan for the needs of their residents to the extent financially feasible. Attention is also paid to the Legislative intent in creating County Boards as a citizen-directed funding, planning and evaluating organization; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Community Plan is due to OhioMHAS by June 30, 2016; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Planning and Oversight Committee recommends that the full Board of Directors approve the SFY 2017 Community Plan.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:**

1. The ADAMHS Board of Cuyahoga County hereby approves the SFY 2017 Community Plan.
2. The ADAMHS Board of Cuyahoga County approves and requests the Chief Executive Officer and the Board Chairperson to sign the Community Plan, as validation of the Board of Directors' approval of the Community Plan submission.
3. The Chief Executive Officer is hereby authorized and directed to submit the approved Community Plan to the OhioMHAS by June 30, 2016.

On the motion of Eileen Saffran, seconded by Erika Thoms, the foregoing resolution was adopted.

**AYES:** R. Blue, E. Caraballo, B. Gohlstin, C. Handler, P. Jones, S. Killpack, R. Romaniuk, E. Saffran, H. Snider, E. Thoms, M. Warr, A. Williams

**NAYS:** None

**ABSTAIN:** None

**DATE ADOPTED:** June 29, 2016