

Teleconference:

Board of Directors Minutes Wednesday November 4, 2015 Executive Boardroom

In Attendance: Michael Boyce Vice-Chair

Michael Nettleton Past-Chair

Dr. Elizabeth Coleman Ex-Officio Member, MSA President

Dr. Ian Dawe Ex-Officio Member, PIC

Michael Dewson Member
Scott Dudgeon Member
Dale Goldhawk Member
Judy Geary Member
Tahira Hassan Member
Paul McDevitt Member

Karim Mamdani Ex-Officio Member, Secretary and CEO

Dr. Barbara Mildon Ex-Officio Member, CNE

Ted Moroz Member Surinder Razdan Member Barb Cooney Chair

Absent: JoAnne Butler Member

Viraj Desai Member

Staff: John Chen VP Finance & Support Services

Dr. Phil Klassen VP Medical Services Sheila Neuburger EVP Clinical Services

Recording Secretary: Pam Porter Corporate Executive Assistant

No.	Agenda Item	Action / Decision
1.	Welcome & Call to Order	
	 Meeting called to order by M. Boyce at 18:31 	
2	Declaration of Conflict of Interest:	
	No conflicts to declare	
3.	Confirmation of Agenda	Moved by S. Dudgeon
		Seconded M. Dewson
		Carried
4.	Consent Agenda Appendix A:	
	a) Minutes of the October 14, 2015 Board Meeting	
	b) Finance & Quality Report of the Oct. 28-15 Meeting	
	Motion:	Moved by P. McDevitt
	That the Consent Agenda be approved as presented in Appendix A.	Seconded by T. Moroz
		Carried
5.	Chair's Remarks (M. Boyce, Vice-Chair)	
	 Land and Building is moving forward as reported at the previous 	

	meeting by members of the committee.	
	 Promeus is on track with the schedule of events for the PIC search. 	
	 M. Boyce acknowledged Board members who will celebrate birthdays 	
	in November, December and January.	
6.	Reports	
5.1	CEO Report Highlights	Moved by M. Nettleton
	■ We have just completed our 5 th Employee Opinion Survey, and received an increase in participation rate. Results will be shared with staff in the New Year.	Seconded by T. Hassan Carried
	 Met with the Union regarding the 2016/17 operating plan. We were proud to be at the OHA HealthAchieve nursing leadership session to support S. Riahi when she accepted the Margaret Comack award for Evgellenge in Nursing Leadership. 	
	 award for Excellence in Nursing Leadership. Also recently received an award for Ontario Centre of Excellence to fund the Virtual Care and Patient Engagement in Mental Health project along with academic partners. This project is expected to take 	
	 approximately 18 months to complete. Don Ford, CEO of the Central East CCAC has announced his retirement. 	
	 We are working closely with the Ministry of Labour to provide information related to our due diligence processes and mitigation strategies we have in place. 	
5.2	PIC Report Highlights	Moved by D. Goldhawk
.2	MAC Report reviewed.	Seconded by P. McDevit
	 Articles from popular press – "Could Depression be Caused by an Infection"? 	Carried
	 Global mental health – guardian article speaks to tremendous disparity. Underlines work being done in mental health. 	
	■ Big White Wall – tech platform supporting peer interactions done to scale. Platform coming to Ontario and we are fortunate to be part of the	
	partnership. Research outcomes published speak to some of the things that are intriguing to us as well as reduction in depression and anxiety.	
	Represents the opportunity to do therapy and connectedness when	
	people need us vs when we can see them.	
•	Items for Discussion	
•	Business Arising	
.1	OHA Conference: Advanced Certificate in Board Governance	
	 Attended on September 30 at PRHC by M. Boyce and November 1 in 	
	Toronto by S. Razdan, V. Desai and J. Geary.	
	Note that M. Boyce also attended the Essentials Certificate in Hospital	
	Governance for New Directors at PRHC on September 29.	
	 Comments: good course, effective after being in the role of board 	
	member for a year. From our board perspective we do most everything mentioned. One strategy of interest, when there is a contentious issue is	
	to have an in-camera at the beginning of the meeting rather than the end. Spoke about Governance vs operations, obligations related to conflicts of interest. Key is that the board's obligation is to the	
	conflicts of interest. Key is that the board's obligation is to the corporation, and to be very careful not to let go of fiduciary, strategic and generative processes. A lot of discussion around integration	
	primarily structural vs partnerships. Spoke about our own integration re	

	stage 7 and partnership with Waypoint which generated positive	
	reaction.	
	 In Peterborough all board members were in attendance, received 	
	positive comments about Ontario Shores, quite impressed with our	
	achievement of stage 7. Also focused on conflict of interest and how it	
	could reflect negatively on the board if not addressed. Discussion also	
	around the not-for-profit legislation.	
8.2	HealthAchieve Conference November 2-4	
	 Attended by S. Dudgeon and many of the management team. 	
	 Comments: impressed about the diversity of participants. Good 	
	information in terms of reinforcement.	
	 2 keynotes – Martin Short, had 2 significant losses to cancer, mother 	
	and wife and he spoke about those experiences. He has incredible	
	positive drive and energy. He refused to be a victim from loss. Other	
	was Captain Phillips –Spoke about the high jacking of the cargo ship	
	and his personal journey, very high energy. Someone who had	
	undergone significant trauma and found a way to get through it in a	
	positive way.	
	 Nursing session – incivility and culture created in hospitals, perhaps 	
	next wave of changes that will come regarding how we deal with that.	
	 Mental Health & Addictions session was full as it is every year. 	
	 Financial session, speaker was the whistleblower for Enron and the 	
	effects it had on her.	
	 Expert panel report of Scarborough and Rouge Valley has been tabled 	
	for the boards but not yet publicly.	
9.	In-Camera	
10.	Next Meeting and Adjournment	
	 M. Boyce reminded members of the appreciation dinner on December 	
	9 th , and Board Retreat in April 2016.	Moved by D. Goldhawk
	Next meeting – January 13, 2016	Seconded by T. Hassan
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	To adjourn the meeting at 19:50 hours	
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