

**State Of Illinois**  
**State Use Committee Meeting**  
**Minutes**  
**May 18, 2016**

Video Conferencing sites:

SIU-C  
Lawson Hall Room 225  
Carbondale

Stratton Bldg.  
Room 500 ½  
Springfield

JRTC  
Room 9-035  
Chicago

**I. Call to Order**

Chairman Rutter called the meeting to order at 1:00 P.M.

**II. Roll Call**

Brynn Henderson conducted roll call.

The following members were present: (Attachment #1 sign in sheet)

Tracy Rutter: Stratton Springfield

Richard W. Gloede: Stratton Springfield

George Indelli, Chicago

Dan Strick: JRTC Chicago

Skylar Tierney, Springfield

Chairman Rutter announced that there was a quorum present.

**III. Approval of the April 27, 2016 Meeting Minutes**

Chairman Rutter confirmed the members had reviewed the Minutes and that there were no proposed corrections. Chairman Rutter called for a motion to approve the Minutes.

Motion to Approve: Member Gloede

Second: Member Tierney

Tally of Votes: Members unanimously approved the Minutes.

**IV. Review of and Vote on Proposed Contracts (Attachment #2 vote sheet)**

Chairman Rutter asked the Committee if everyone had a chance to review the list of contracts and request letters that are to be voted on today.

The Committee stated that they did.

Corrie Smith read aloud the contracts for vote.

After the reading of each contract, Chairman Rutter asked if there were any questions from a committee member or a member of the public regarding any contract. After voting on each contract individually, Chairman Rutter called for a motion to approve the list of contracts read aloud by Corrie Smith.

Motion to approve: Member Gloede

To second: Member Strick

Tally of Votes: The contracts were approved

Chairman Rutter announced that the contracts voted on represents 154 job opportunities and \$5,858,277.92.

#### **V. New Business**

Chairman Rutter introduced Tania Morawiec with the Department of Human Services. Ms. Morawiec was an observer to the meeting as Mr. Khari Hunt was unable to attend and will be stepping down from the Committee.

Corrie Smith introduced Rich Cupuro from Thresholds Workshop in Chicago. Rich told the Committee that Thresholds is forced to give up their State Use contracts since the State of Illinois has not paid them in a year. They cannot continue to service these contracts under the present conditions. This act will put about 45 clients out of work.

#### **VII. Adjournment**

Chairman Rutter called for motion to adjourn.

Motion to Approve: Member Gloede

Second: Member Strick

Tally of Votes: Members unanimously approved the motion to adjourn.

Chairman Rutter announced the motion to adjourn was approved and adjourned the meeting at 1:26 P.M.

Future meeting dates:

June 15, 2016

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