COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Commissioners	Presenter(s):	Commissioner Allen McCarty
Meeting Date:	Thursday, May 23, 2013	Type of Request:	New Business

Wording for the Agenda:

Consideration of Commissioner McCarty's recommendation to appoint Ms. Linda Lane to the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board for a three-year term to begin immediately and to expire on May 23, 2016, in order to fill a new position on the Board.

Background/History/Details:

The McIntosh Trail Community Service Board (MTCSB) is a public entity created by the Georgia legislature in 1993 to provide mental health, developmental disability, and addictive disease services. Services are available to residents in Butts, Fayette, Henry, Lamar, Pike, Spalding and Upson Counties. The agency is headquartered in Griffin, and works under the Region 3 Board and under the statues of the Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Development Disabilities.

Each county serviced by the MTCSB is given one seat on the board. Additional seats on the MTCSB are afforded each county based on that county's population according to the most recent United States decennial census. A county with a population of 50,000 or less is afforded one seat, and counties with populations of 50,000 or greater "shall appoint one member for each population increment of 50,000 or any portion thereof.

Based on the latest census, Fayette County has been afforded one new seat at the MTCSB. Commissioner McCarty has interviewed all three applicants who have applied for the vacant positions on the MTCSB. He has recommended Ms. Lane to serve the three-year term on the MTCSB with said appointment beginning immediately and expiring on May 23, 2016.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Consideration of Commissioner McCarty's recommendation to appoint Ms. Linda Lane to the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board for a three-year term to begin immediately and to expire on May 23, 2016, in order to fill a new position on the Board.

A copy of Ms. Lane's application and resume are submitted as supporting documentation for this request.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Not Applicable.

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	No	If so, when?	
Is Audio-Visual Equipment Required for this Request?*	No	Backup Provided with Request?	Yes

**** All audio-visual material must be submitted to the County Clerk's Office no later than 48 hours prior to the meeting. It is also your department's responsibility to ensure all third-party audio-visual material is submitted at least 48 hours in advance.***

Approved by Finance	Not Applicable	Reviewed by Legal	
Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	County Clerk's Approval	Yes
Administrator's Approval			

Staff Notes:

Newest received application

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT
McIntosh Trail Community Service Board

Thank you for your interest in being considered as Fayette County's appointment to the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board.

McIntosh Trail Community Service Board members represent seven counties throughout central-western Georgia to terms which generally last three years. Meetings are typically held once every month anywhere within its seven-county district. Please do not apply if you will be unable to attend a minimum of eighty percent (80%) of all meetings.

Please take a few minutes to complete the form and answer the questions below and return it with a resume, if available, to Floyd Jones, County Clerk, 140 Stonewall Avenue, West, Suite 100, Fayetteville, GA 30214 no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 3, 2013.

If you have any questions, please call (770) 305-5102.

NOTE: Information provided on this form is subject to disclosure as a public record under Georgia Open Records Law.

NAME Linda Carolyn Lanc

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1. How long have you been a resident of Fayette County?

   Since 1998 - 14 1/2 years

2. Why are you interested in serving on the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board?

   To give back to the community. McIntosh Trail and the Fayette Counseling Center were so helpful to my son's wellness and supported our family.

3. What qualifications and experience do you possess for appointment to the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board? • Parent of an adult child with schizoaffective disorder and Asperger's. Member of GA NAMI organization - Fayette Chapter, Licensed Speech-language Pathologist.

4. List your recent employment experiences to include name of company and position.

   • Children's Healthcare of Atlanta - Speech-Language Pathologist - 6/1998
   • Hands On Healing - 9/2002

5. Do you have any past experience relating to the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board? If so, please describe. Attended as a guest - meeting since 1/2013.

6. Are you currently serving on a commission/board/authority or in and elected capacity with any government? NO

7. Have you attended any McIntosh Trail Community Service Board meetings in the last two years and, if so, how many? Yes - 4 meetings.

8. Are you willing to attend seminars or continuing education classes at county expense?

   Yes.

9. What is your vision of the county's future related to the duties of the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board? • Vision - serve faithfully + represent individuals with mental illness, developmental disabilities and addictive disorders. • Be an advocate for programs and fund raising. Educate the community.

10. Would there be any possible conflict of interest between your employment or your family and you serving on the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board? NO

11. Are you in any way related to a County Elected Official or County employee? If so, please describe. NO

12. Describe your current community involvement.

    • Member of Fayette NAMI - organized guest speakers
    • Serve at Providence UMC - member/volunteer with Breast Cancer Survivor Network

13. You have been given a copy of the county's Ethics Ordinance. Is there any reason you would not be able to comply with the ordinance? Yes - I have a copy. There is no reason I can see why I would not be able to comply with the ethics ordinances.

Resume of Linda C. Lane, MS, CCC, SLP
Speech-Language Pathologist

SUMMARY OF EXPERTISE

Three years as clinical review supervisor for outpatient case management for pediatric outpatient Rehab services. 27 years of experience as a speech-language pathologist working with infants, preschoolers, school-aged and adults with communication, hearing and feeding/swallowing disorders in a variety of settings from inpatient acute, outpatient rehab to school based. 34 years of experience working with the hearing impaired population. Speech discipline lead for satellite speech department for 8 years. Ortho/Rehab Service Line student program coordinator at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta for since 2008. Member of rehab dysphagia competency group, rehab coding task force and EPIC documentation build project and co-chair of Clinical Practice council. Fluent in American Sign Language.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

CLINICAL REVIEW SUPERVISOR, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, building 1644, Tullie Circle, Atlanta, GA 30329, Supervisor: Claire Creech, 404-785-8861. Supervise the clinical review team for acute Medicaid prior authorizations and outpatient case management team for inpatient to outpatient care coordination process. Supervise a staff which includes one verifier and one outpatient case manager. August 2008 to present.

LEVEL III-SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta-Scottish Rite, Fayette Satellite, Piedmont Hospital, Professional Building, Suite 200, 1265 Hwy., 54 West, Fayetteville, GA 30214. 6/22/98- 8/2008, Supervisor: Karin Shah, 404-785-8812. Discipline Lead for speech-language department for 8 years at Fayette. Duties include supervision and performance reviews of seven speech-language pathologists; maintain the speech approved and authorization wait lists, manage department productivity and referrals. Previously, worked from 7/05-6/07 with Scottish Rite Acute Care unit twice monthly for weekend coverage for inpatients. From 2/2008 to 12/2009, provided 8 hours at Mt. Zion for case management duties and 8 hours for the hospital outpatient rehabilitation EPIC documentation build project. Continue to maintain a part-time caseload for specialized evaluations and treatments for the hearing impaired patients, early intervention, dysphagia, dyslexia and apraxia. Additional duties include participation on one hospital-wide council, Clinical Practice; the dysphagia competency committee; mentor for hospital-wide training for the advanced dysphagia competency; and member of coding taskforce for Rehab.

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SENIOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST, Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital, 1708 West Rogers Ave., Baltimore, MD 21209-4596. From 2/97 to 7/98. Provided pediatric inpatient and outpatient speech-language evaluations and treatment at two off campus sites- Prince George County Hospital Center, Cheverly, MD and Anne Arundel Medical Center, Pasadena, MD. Provided specialized evaluations and treatments in the NICU for oral motor, feeding and swallowing patients. Served on two evaluation teams for feeding and swallowing disorders and NICU follow-up.

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST-

8/96-6/97, Anne Arundel Public School System, Marley Glen Special School, 200 Scott Ave, Glen Burnie, MD 21060

9/93-6/96, The Chesapeake Center, Inc., 6506 Loisdale Road, 3rd floor, Springfield, VA 22152.

8/92-7/93, Department of Rehabilitation Services, Southern Regional Medical Center, 11 S.W. Upper Riverdale Road, Riverdale, GA 30274.

6/92 to 7/93, Georgia Parent-Infant Network of Educational Services, Atlanta Area School for the Deaf, 890 North Indian Creek Drive, Clarkston, GA 30021.

8/90 to 6/92, Coweta County Office of Education, P.O. Drawer 280, Newnan, GA 30264-0280.

IN-SERVICE PRESENTER

-"Cochlear Implants and the Hearing Impaired Population", in-service training for Fayette satellite in 2006, MOB speech staff in 2007.

-"From Hand to Mouth", co-presentation with occupational therapist on the importance of collaboration in the area of dysphagia. Held at the Fayette satellite in 11/01.

-"Practical Activities for Augmentative Communication", co-presented with two other speech-language pathologists at the Children's Healthcare of Atlanta 2001 symposium, Atlanta, GA.

Resume of Linda C. Lane, MS, CCC, SLP

-"Cuing Linguistic Awareness for Reading Acquisition (CLARA), case history presentation. Presented at the Georgia Speech-Language-Hearing Association in 2000, Savannah, GA.

-"Pediatric Dysphagia", provided in-service training to nursing staff at Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital, Cheverly, MD.

-"The Impact of Proper Positioning on Pre-Speech and Oral Motor Development", guest instructor for graduate students enrolled in Special Education program at George Washington University.

-"Role of the Speech-Language Pathologist in the NICU, provided in-service training to neonatologists and NICU nursing staff at Southern Regional Medical Center, Riverdale, GA.

EDUCATION

MS, Speech and Language Pathology, Teachers College at Columbia University, 10/86.

BS, Special Education/Elementary Education, specialization in Deaf Education, Michigan State University, 6/79.

PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS

Member of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association obtained Certification of Clinical Competence in 11/87.

Member of the Georgia Speech-Language-Hearing Association since 9/98.

Member of the Georgia Supervisory Network since 6/00.

Member of the Alexandria Graham Bell Association since 4/00.

Member of the National Alliance of Mental Illness since 2004.

Professional State Licenses in GA, VA, MD.

REFERENCES

References, testing certifications and professional file furnish upon request.