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<p data-bbox="138 396 405 483">Deputy Director Mark Riley Continued.</p> <p data-bbox="96 927 447 984">Support Coordination Erin Epperson</p>	<p data-bbox="478 396 1631 453">Riley has begun a crisis response team and proactive planning team.</p> <p data-bbox="478 496 1583 621">Mr. Riley has also been revising the Senior Support Coordinator Position. The position has been on hold due to revamping of responsibilities. This should be finished soon to re-open the position to SC's.</p> <p data-bbox="478 662 1598 886">Mr. Riley closed by sharing that eitas is looking at options to open recruiting efforts to increase number and steady flow of applicants. Social media, different posting venues, alternative ways of assisting college graduates to gain the year of experience for SC eligibility. In the transportation area signs have been ordered to adhere to back of busses that read: "Apply to Drive" with office phone number.</p> <p data-bbox="478 927 1612 1252">Erin Epperson, Support Coordination Manager shared with members the following information pertaining to Support Coordination:</p> <ul data-bbox="527 992 1612 1252" style="list-style-type: none"> • Currently 52 Support Coordinators on staff • 8 SC openings • 13 Senior Support Coordinators that have been redistributed amongst the various teams • Number of individuals supported: 1,920 • The Intake Coordinator continues to support between 10-15 individuals so our SC's don't have to add those individuals to their caseload. <p data-bbox="478 1292 1583 1349">Eitas Support Coordinators, with full caseloads, have billed an average of 111% of their requirements.</p> <p data-bbox="478 1390 1493 1446">There are 11 interviews for Support Coordination positions scheduled over the upcoming two weeks.</p>	<p data-bbox="1734 396 1929 420">Information</p>

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<p>Organizational Development Department Amanda George Continued</p> <p>New Business</p> <p>Old Business</p> <p>Public Comment</p> <p>Adjournment</p>	<p>The grant proposal was submitted April 19, 2017 to the Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City: 2 years: \$236,623 HCF request; eitas \$71,250. Abstract.</p> <p>Mrs. George shared that the goal of this two year project is to increase the capacity of the Jackson County disability and mental health service systems to serve individuals with co-occurring intellectual or developmental disabilities and mental illness.</p> <p>It should be noted that these grants take much time and effort to write. And, to be awarded a grant is something to be acknowledged and proud of.</p> <p>None.</p> <p>None.</p> <p>None.</p> <p>There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 6:52PM.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted,</p> <p>Staff</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Information</p>