

**Adult Public Guardianship Review Board
of Frederick County, Maryland
Monday, September 8, 2025, at 1:00 p.m.**

MINUTES

The Adult Public Guardianship Review Board met virtually.

Those in attendance were: Hans Curnute (Presenter from the Frederick County Department of Social Services), Scott Birdsall, Michael Nehring (by telephone), Tressa Bell, Sandi Wastler, Brad Petersen, Sassy Daly, Joshua Brewster, Mark Florimbio, and Cristine Evans LoVetro. Also joining for the public portion of the meeting was Miranda Ducey (Administrative Coordinator for Frederick County Boards)

Open Session:

- I. The Board reviewed the Minutes from the meeting held on June 2, 2025.
The Minutes were approved.
- II. The Board discussed the following:
 - a. Introductions
 - b. Welcome to Mark Florimbio! Mark is our newest Board Member and has filled the vacant position for a layperson. Mark's term will expire on June 30, 2027.
 - c. Miranda Ducey, Administrative Coordinator for Frederick County Boards joined our meeting to introduce herself. There are Forty-Seven (47) Boards in the County. There will be a training held in October and we are encouraged to attend.
 - d. Sandi Wastler has been re-appointed to the Board by County Executive Jessica Fitzwater. Sandi's term will expire on June 30, 2027.
- III. Joshua Brewster, Frederick County Attorney, will send a template for Board ByLaws for our discussion.
- IV. The Board voted to hold the next meeting on December 1, 2025, virtually.

No members of the public present and no public comments.

*Miranda Ducey was excused from the meeting.

Closed Session:

Topic: To discuss guardianship matters and to maintain the confidentiality of “all records to the Review Board” as required under *Maryland Code, Family Law Art., §14-404*.

Mission- The Board reviews and makes recommendations to the Court regarding individuals who are under public guardianship by the Department of Social Services or the Division of Aging and Independence as to whether or not the guardianship should be continued, modified or terminated.

Frederick County Department of Social Services, represented by Hans Curnute, presented written reports and discussed each individual under guardianship with the Department of Social Services. Board Members provided recommendations and commented on each individual.

Sandi Wastler moved to approve the continuation of all Guardianships. Tressa Bell seconded the Motion. Quorum was waived by Counsel Michael Nehring.

The Board approved the continuation of Guardianships.

The Meeting was adjourned at 3:05 pm.

THE NEXT MEETING IS ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2025, AT 1 PM (VIRTUALLY)!