



OPIOID RESTITUTION FUND

ADVISORY COUNCIL

Meeting Minutes

August 28, 2023

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

I. Welcome and Introductions

ORF Council Chair, Tiffinee Scott, welcomed advisory council members and those viewing the meeting as members of the public.

Members present: Emily Keller, Brian Edmunds, David Myles, Erin McMullen, Tiffinee Scott, Howard Ashkin, Marcus Webster, Meghan Westwood, Carlos Hardy, Delegate Samuel Rosenberg, Maryland House of Delegates, Senator Dawn Gile, Maryland Senate, Lauren Levy

Members not in attendance: Ryan Moran, Kristin Thomas

II. Motion to Approve August Minutes

ORF approves minutes

III. Discussion: Memo to the Governor and Secretary of Health

The memo to the Governor and Secretary of Health provided background information about the Opioid Restitution Fund (ORF) and the ORF Advisory Council, in addition to current funding available and the council's recommendations for 2023.

Erin McMullen raised a question to the council regarding whether more context or data should be provided with each recommendation. The council agreed.

Howard Ashkin commented that the recommendations are nebulous and could use more detail.

The council decided to adjourn the meeting after deciding that each member will review the memo to provide feedback on what data or context should be provided for each recommendation.

V. Questions

No questions were asked by the public.