



Bridges of Colorado

Connecting Colorado's Criminal Justice and Mental Health Systems

Bridges Commissioner Meeting

June 13, 2025

Convened at 1:02 p.m. and Concluded at 3:32 PM

Hybrid (In-Person and Virtual)

Centennial Building, 1313 N. Sherman St., Denver, CO

MEETING MINUTES

Attendees

Commissioners

- Hassan Latif, Chair, Founder and Former Executive Director, Second Chance Center
- Julie Reiskin, Vice Chair, Co-Executive Director, Colorado Cross-Disability Coalition (virtual attendee)
- Chief Judge Susan Blanco, 8th Judicial District (virtual attendee)
- Zachary Brown, Chief Deputy, State Public Defender's Office
- Mark Donaldson-Lee, Forensic Peer Navigator, Denver County Court
- Beth Harris-Robinson, Attorney, KO Law PC
- Joy Hart, Judicial & Involuntary Care Integration Policy Advisor, Behavioral Health Administration
- Jack Johnson, Public Policy Liaison, Disability Law Colorado (virtual attendee)
- Alan Marschke, Judicial Liaison, Office of Civil and Forensic Mental Health
- Sean Murray, District Attorney, 6th Judicial District, (virtual attendee)

Other Attendees

- Jennifer Turner, Executive Director, Bridges of Colorado
- Robert Finke, First Assistant Attorney General, Office of Attorney General
- Bree Cole, Legal Director, Bridges of Colorado (virtual attendee)
- Jori Dovey, People and Culture Director, Bridges of Colorado
- Latisha Quintana, Service and Resource Equity Director
- Jessica Spindler, Clinical Director, Bridges of Colorado
- Carl Blake, Senior Clinical Manager, Bridges of Colorado
- Robert Jones, Data Analyst
- Priscilla Broomall, Participant Services Fund Manager, Bridges of Colorado

Minutes

Agenda Item: Welcome and Introductions

Commissioners and other attendees introduced themselves.

Agenda Item: Approval of the March 2025 Minutes

Julie Reiskin moved to adopt the commission's March 2025 minutes, Beth Harris-Robinson seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Item: Commission Business

The commission discussed:

Executive Director Performance Reviews:

Robert Finke presented a proposal for the review process that includes a self-evaluation by the executive director and surveys of staff and stakeholders. At the next meeting, commissioners will review a draft based on the feedback they provide.

Annual CORA Training at September Meeting / Meeting Location

The commission opted to discuss CORA as part of a one-day retreat at the next meeting that's been rescheduled to Oct. 10 in Denver.

New Members and Officers

Commission reappointments

Beth Harris-Robinson moved to recommend commissioner reappointments to the Chief Judge of the Supreme Court for Hassan Latif and Julie Reiskin, whose terms are expiring. Joy Hart seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

Commission officers

Jack Johnson moved to nominate Hassan Latif to serve a one-year term as chair, Beth Harris-Robinson seconded, and the vote passed.

Hassan Latif moved to nominate Julie Reiskin as vice chair, Beth Harris-Robinson seconded, and the vote passed.

Attendance and COI policies

Jennifer Turner reminded all members of the attendance policy that the commission adopted.

Robert Finke discussed the Conflict of Interest (COI) policy. The commission requested a revision that commissioners would be expected to resign from the commission before applying for a position with Bridges. Finke will bring a revised draft for the commission's review and vote at the next meeting.

2026 meeting schedule

Hassan Latif moved to accept the commission's 2026 meeting schedule as follows: February 6, May 8, August 14, December 4. Alan Marschke seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Item: Strategic Plan Presentation, Strategy #2

People and Culture Director Jori Dovey introduced her department's strategic plan within the Bridges model of care.

Agenda Item: Executive Director Update

Executive Director Jennifer Turner began discussion with the commission about potential impacts of federal policymaking on Bridges, and the commission provided input on a SWOT analysis.

Agenda Item: Success Story (Hassan Latif, presenter)

Hassan Latif shared a story of a justice-involved participant struggling with social determinants of health factors for 10 years before being referred to Bridges. The Bridges team in the 4th Judicial District responded and collaborated with the participant, leading to finding supportive and stable housing for the participant.

Agenda Item: Public Comment/New Business

None

Agenda Items for Next Meeting

Executive Director Performance Reviews

Commission Conflict of Interest Policy