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HELLO,

My name is Meaghan Weber, I have been personally victimized through the corruption by the after said agencies and elected officials. I am wanting to address these said issues and to have a motion set on each of them. Just how the Constitution is set. These issues are dear to my heart and all need to be addressed.

We the people of Luzerne County are requesting MANDATORY DRUG TESTING on ALL Luzerne County employees as well as Foster and kinship homes BEFORE employment as well as RANDOM drug testing.

We the people of the broken systems of care of Luzerne County are REQUESTING that CHILDREN and YOUTH along with JUDGES to be INVESTIGATED due to the "MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM being broken, The JUDICIAL SYSTEM being broken, FAMILY COURT which is also broken, our FOSTER CARE SYSTEM is even broken and needs to change. "

You would have thought that the "KIDS FOR CASH SCANDLE" from OUR County would have been the worst news this COUNTRY has ever heard and seen and it's happening for the second time.

Right now with all the secrecy inside family courts, Foster Care agencies, nonprofits that are abusing the system to keep a stream of Money flowing in their door.

The solution is to LISTEN to all sides and figure out the best solution for families to stay united with the PROPER SERVICES!! Example a parenting class should not be a person coming into a home reading a piece of paper with the parent speaking for 20 minutes and leaving.

A proper parenting service would be someone coming into the clients home seeing the needs and addressing issues, so teaching the parent how to multitask, Watch a 2 year old and do the laundry, Watch a very quick moving 3 year old and clean up a room at the same time. Proper positive reinforcements for the child

'HOW THE HELL ARE WE HERE AGAIN WITH KIDS FOR CASH 2 ???? THAT IS WHAT CHILDREN AND YOUTH IS A BUDGET LINE ITEM ON THE COUNTY BUDGET, STATE BUDGET AND FEDERAL BUDGET. ' NO ONE IS SPEAKING UP AS YOU DO NOT WANT TO LOSE THE FUNDING FOR YOUR DISTRICT. '

To a reader that is unaware federal money is funneled into state and counties by the number of children under the care of said agency so if they close a case no issue no need for services they lose funding. if they have a child in case foster home, kinship home , adoption they receive \$\$ about \$9,000 a month per child, Mental Health Services also works the same way and the Dept of Aging similar, but in this situation they also take the persons home/ assets when they DIE for services provided !! UGGG

Foster families/kinship (when a family member takes the child they also get paid this is called kinship) are paid about \$1,200 per child to care for the child, out of that \$9000 and the rest is used for salaries and to pay non profits for services provided.

So if you're a foster/kinship family and there are some great ones out there! I am not saying everything is bad and I am not saying some children need to be removed. I am saying that the trauma caused by removal has been studied and proven to be horrific with life long consequences and families should be worked with with the right services to help keep blood lines together. BUT the system is being abused.

So for example you are a foster/ kinship family and you have a child that will be turning 18 what. What Is that family going to do when that child turns 18 (called aging out of the system) (might be 21 with the pandemic) and that payment is going to stop? You put in for another foster/ or perjure yourself in family court to get your income back or increase... Are we following along to see how this all works ? or is it too much in one lesson?

So to sum it up, when they return a child home after providing the broken services to keep up with the budget line item similar year to year they need to take another child. If a child ages out of they system they need another child to replace that lost \$9,000 income in revenue to the state and county budgets, so Van Suan was picking and choosing what children were going to make the county more money., anyone that hid her horrific crimes is just as guilty as she is from the lowest on the totem pole to the head of the county.

Let's work and get every RAT and EVERY SNAKE out of this County and start protecting the children and low income families from the travesties that keep occurring in our county!!! The Death of Mr Mackey, Guards overdosing in our jails just last week , Van Saun arrest. WAKE UP PEOPLE !!!! Tonight at the 6 pm County Council meeting I ask all of you that read what I have to say in this email and in my speech, lets see what kinda answers you have for us for our recent travesties being done to and on our most needy.

We the people of Luzerne County are demanding that the CORRUPTION stops within our communities, neighborhoods, and County. We are requesting that we get new Judges, new caseworkers, and that the STATE TO TAKE OVER our local Children and Youth Agency.

"Not allowing GRANDPARENTS of children who want them and not given the opportunity to care for them in the absence of the parent."

We the people are requesting that Foster/ Kinship parents should have a certain income bracket, meaning people on welfare, and SSI should not be allowed to foster/ Kinship.

We the people of Luzerne County are REQUESTING open records in FAMILY COURTS. When Families REQUEST records they should be entitled to them and not be DENIED by any JUDGE.

We the people are REQUESTING that anyone that goes on RECORD and who PERJURE themselves to be held accountable.

We the people of Luzerne County should not be held accountable for pursuing documents that WILL BENEFIT US AND OUR COMMUNITY

We the people DEMAND some type of CHANGE for Luzerne County on how it's run by ELECTIVE OFFICIALS. This system is BROKEN and CORRUPT it needs to be fixed NOW!

I appreciate your time for reading this and helping OUR County make a difference in all of these concerns that WE THE PEOPLE have of Luzerne County.

Thank you for your time.

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