

NAMI Upper Valley Board Meeting
 Minutes December 16, 2025

X	Kim Jardine-Dickerson President	X	Sandy Sandvig, Support Chair	X	Jane Roberts, CSP Liaison & BHB Liaison Past Pres.
X	Larry Roberts, VP, Mental Health Court Liaison		Brandi Daw, BHC Liaison		Membership Chair
X	Lynne Wade, Secretary, Children's BHB Liaison		Emily Usher, Veterans pgms	X	Kim Felde, promoter/organizer for NAMI Walks
X	Michael Sandvig, Treas, CIT Liaison		Chloe Felde, Youth outreach	X	Sandra McManus, Mental Health Court Liaison

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Bonneville County Sheriff Sam Hulse and his wife Michelle,
- Sheriff Hulse spoke to us about programs at the Bonneville Co. Jail that are encouraging self-improvement through education for prisoners.
- Erika Neiner and Jeffrey VanRooyen from Peer Advocates Pocatello, ID.
- They gave a slide presentation about Peer Advocates that offer lived experience support for mental health and substance use recovery.
- Erika and Jeffrey are also working to establish a NAMI affiliate in Pocatello.

2. Review and approval of minutes

- Minutes' review and approval will be at the January Board Meeting

3. Treasure Report

- Mike Sandvig reports total inflows YTD donations from unrestricted organizations and individuals = \$12,077.79
- Total outflows YTD consisting of advertising, computer software, insurance, meals entertainment, postage, PO box rental, printing, professional and legal fees, web services = \$7,648.65
- Overall total = \$4,429.14
- Larry moves to accept financial report, and Ray seconds the motion.
Unanimously Approved

4. Other Business

- Kim introduces a contract for NAMI Walks on June 6th, 2026.
- Mike moves that we sign the agreement and Jane 2nds the motion.
Unanimously Approved

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- Because the Chukars game was a popular event in 2025, Larry moves to pay \$1,000.00 to reserve May 20,2026 for the Chukars game and Ray 2nds. Unanimously Approved.

5. Adjournment and Potluck

- Mike moves and Larry 2nds. Unanimously Approved

6. Upcoming Events

- 1st Thursdays.....Community Suicide Prevention meeting at noon. See their FB page for details: communitysuicidepreventionid.org
- 3rd Fridays.....R7 Behavioral Health Board Meetings See [Meetings, Agendas & Minutes | Eastern Idaho Public Health](#)
- Every Thursday at 7 pm.... Connection Peer Recovery Support Group namiidaho.org/calendar for meeting information.
- 3rd Tuesdays.....NAMI UV Board Meeting
- 2nd and 4th Tuesdays...Family Support Group – in-person and Zoom (meeting ID 860 4324 9858, passcode: nami)