



City Council Agenda

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Meetings will end prior to 10:00 p.m. unless extended by a vote of the Council.

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November 18, 2024
Monday

6:45 p.m. Work Session
Council Meeting Room

or

Virtual Attendance

Registration Required:

Attend from your computer, tablet or smartphone:

Zoom

Meeting ID: 879 1475 0442

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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL -- Mayor VanGordon ___, Councilors Webber ___, Moe ___, Rodley ___, Blackwell ___, Doyle ___, and Pishioneri ___.

1. Lane County Behavioral Health Update
[Niel Laudati]

(60 mins)

ADJOURNMENT

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY S P R I N G F I E L D C I T Y C O U N C I L	Meeting Date:	11/18/2024
	Meeting Type:	Work Session
	Staff Contact/Dept:	Niel Laudati/City Manager's Office
	Staff Phone No:	
	Estimated Time:	60 Minutes
	Council Goals:	Promote and Enhance our Hometown Feel while Focusing on Livability and Environmental Quality

ITEM TITLE:

Lane County Behavioral Health Update

ACTION REQUESTED:

Receive a presentation on Lane County's vision for behavioral health.

ISSUE STATEMENT:

The City Council will receive a presentation updating the vision for Lane County's work on Behavioral Health. Eve Gray, Lane County's Director of Health and Human Services and Alicia Beymer, Chief Administrative Officer for PeaceHealth, will provide an overview of a public-private collaboration, the vision for an expansion of inpatient behavioral health beds, an overview of the inpatient behavioral model of care and the crisis stabilization model of care.

DISCUSSION/FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Information provided in Attachment 1.

Attachments

1. Lane Co. Behavioral Health PowerPoint Presentation

Behavioral Health Vision for Lane County

Springfield City Council, November 18th

Eve Gray, Alicia Beymer



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Our Vision

- ▶ **Expansion of Inpatient Behavioral Health Beds:** PeaceHealth is partnering with Lifepoint to establish a state-of-the-art, multi-story, 96-bed behavioral health hospital through a joint venture. This collaboration aims to significantly enhance access to and capacity for inpatient behavioral health services in Oregon, particularly benefiting Lane County. The new facility will incorporate advanced technologies and therapeutic environments designed to provide comprehensive care to individuals experiencing mental health crises, thus addressing the growing demand for mental health services in the region.
- ▶ **Public-Private Collaboration:** In a groundbreaking initiative, PeaceHealth and Lifepoint are collaborating with Lane County and Connections Health Solutions to create an integrated behavioral health campus. This campus will feature both the Lane Stabilization Center and the newly planned Inpatient Behavioral Health Hospital. As the first public-private partnership of its kind in Lane County and its surrounding areas, this collaborative effort aims to meet the diverse behavioral health needs of the community. The initiative underscores a shared commitment to improving mental health outcomes through innovative solutions and coordinated care, thereby setting a new standard for behavioral health services in the region.

Public-Private Partnership

Three core entities makeup the partnership.



Key Components

- 1. Co-location of services:** The inpatient hospital will be located near the crisis stabilization center, allowing for efficient collaboration.
- 2. Seamless continuum of care:** This integrated approach minimizes disruptions in treatment, promotes consistency in care plans, and enhances overall patient outcomes by providing continuous support through different levels of care.
- 3. Comprehensive, coordinated treatment:** This holistic approach addresses both immediate and long-term mental health needs, fostering better recovery and stability.

Inpatient Behavioral Health Model of Care

The hospital will feature a range of specialized units to address the diverse needs of the community, ensuring that each patient receives tailored care in a supportive environment.

- ▶ **Adolescent Psych Beds:** Dedicated to teenagers experiencing mental health issues, these beds will provide a safe and therapeutic environment where adolescents can receive age-appropriate care. The unit will focus on integrating family involvement, educational support, and individualized treatment plans to promote recovery and resilience among young patients.
- ▶ **High Acuity Beds:** Reserved for patients requiring intensive psychiatric care, these beds will offer a high staff-to-patient ratio and access to advanced medical and therapeutic interventions.
- ▶ **Low Acuity Beds:** Designed for patients with less severe psychiatric conditions, these beds will provide a supportive environment where individuals can receive ongoing treatment and engage in therapeutic activities aimed at maintaining stability and preventing relapse.
- ▶ **Substance Dependency Beds:** This unit will focus on individuals struggling with substance use disorders, offering detoxification services, medication-assisted treatment, and comprehensive addiction therapy. The goal is to support patients in achieving long-term recovery through a combination of medical care, counseling, and peer support.

Outside Rendering



Inpatient Rehabilitation Hospital



- ▶ 42 bed inpatient facility
- ▶ Break ground January 2025
- ▶ Opening July 2026
- ▶ Partnership with Lifepoint Health
- ▶ Increasing access to care
- ▶ Region's first traumatic brain injury unit
- ▶ Received OHA approval

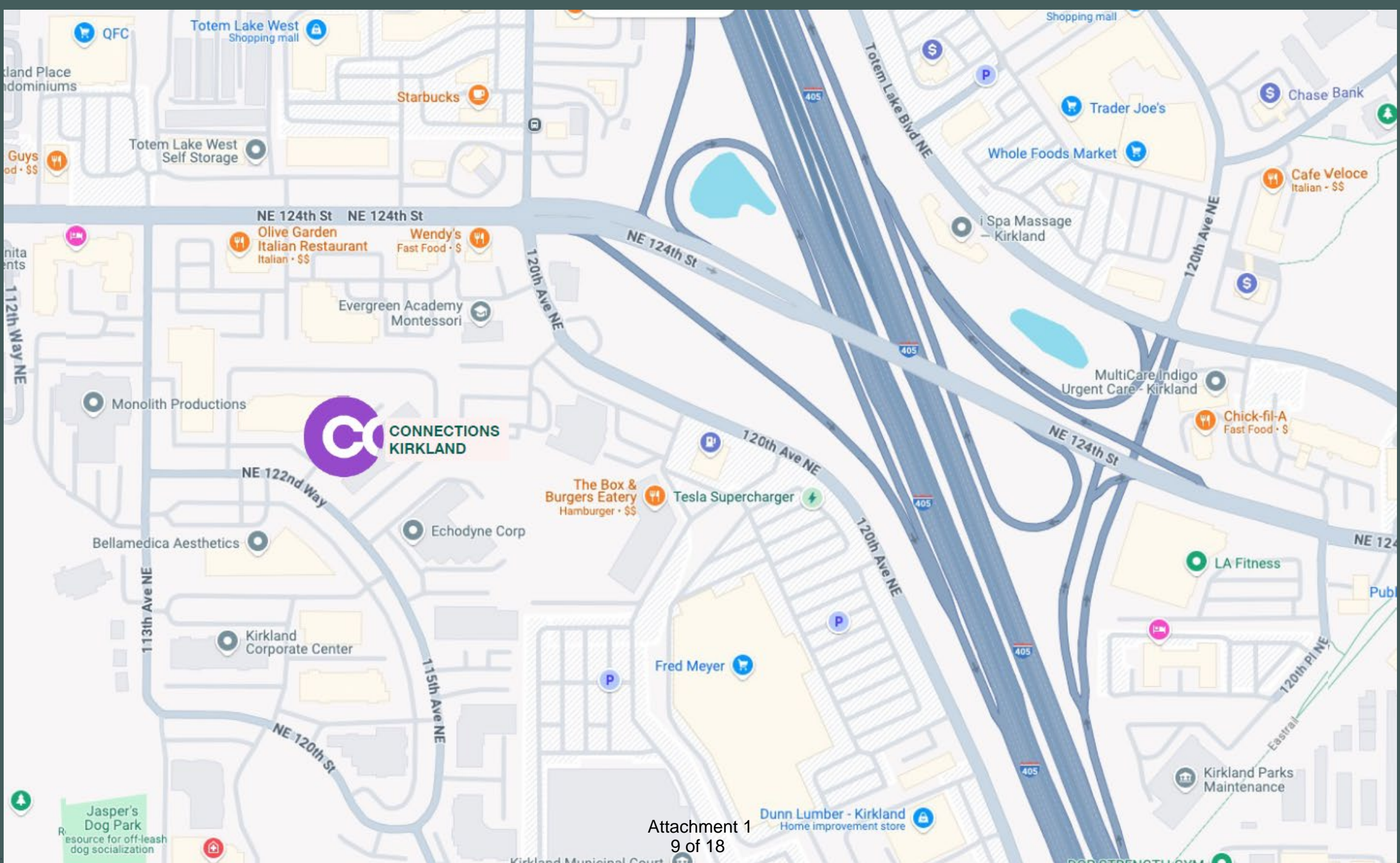
Crisis Stabilization Model of Care

Connections provides immediate access to life-saving behavioral health care in the safest and least restrictive setting, offering a treatment-focused alternative to emergency rooms and jails.

- ▶ **Adult Behavioral Health Urgent Care:** Walk-in urgent care services require no appointments, allowing individuals to simply walk in and get the care and help they need 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Door-to-psychiatric provider time is within 90-minutes.
- ▶ **Adult Behavioral Health Observation:** The 23-hour observation unit serves as a behavioral health stabilization space – with 20 recliners, instead of beds – to help individuals quickly receive more intensive treatment and care planning so they can safely return to the community. The unit accepts individuals from urgent care and directly from first responders. All discharges to the appropriate level of care occur within 23 hours and 59 minutes.
- ▶ **Adult Crisis Stabilization:** A 16-bed continued stabilization unit provides high-quality care and intensive treatment for individuals who require additional time to safely stabilize. Individuals referred from observation requiring continued stabilization services are typically connected back to the community for care in three to five days, reducing utilization of unnecessary inpatient stays.
- ▶ **Youth Behavioral Health Urgent Care:** With a separate entrance specifically for the youth population, walk-in urgent care services are available to get individuals in to see a provider quickly, 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The center also supports families and caregivers of the individual accessing care.
- ▶ **Youth Crisis Stabilization:** A 12-bed youth stabilization unit specifically designed to meet the unique needs of the youth population, supports individuals needing 23-hour observation and/or continued short-term stabilization, reducing utilization of unnecessary inpatient stays.
- ▶ **Post-acute services:** Connections' post-acute services partner with local resources and providers to help individuals overcome social or clinical barriers as they embark on their recovery journey. Individuals engaged in the program can continue to leverage services as needed.

Connections Kirkland Exterior







Reception



Reception



23 Hour Observation

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Calm Room

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Staff Lounge

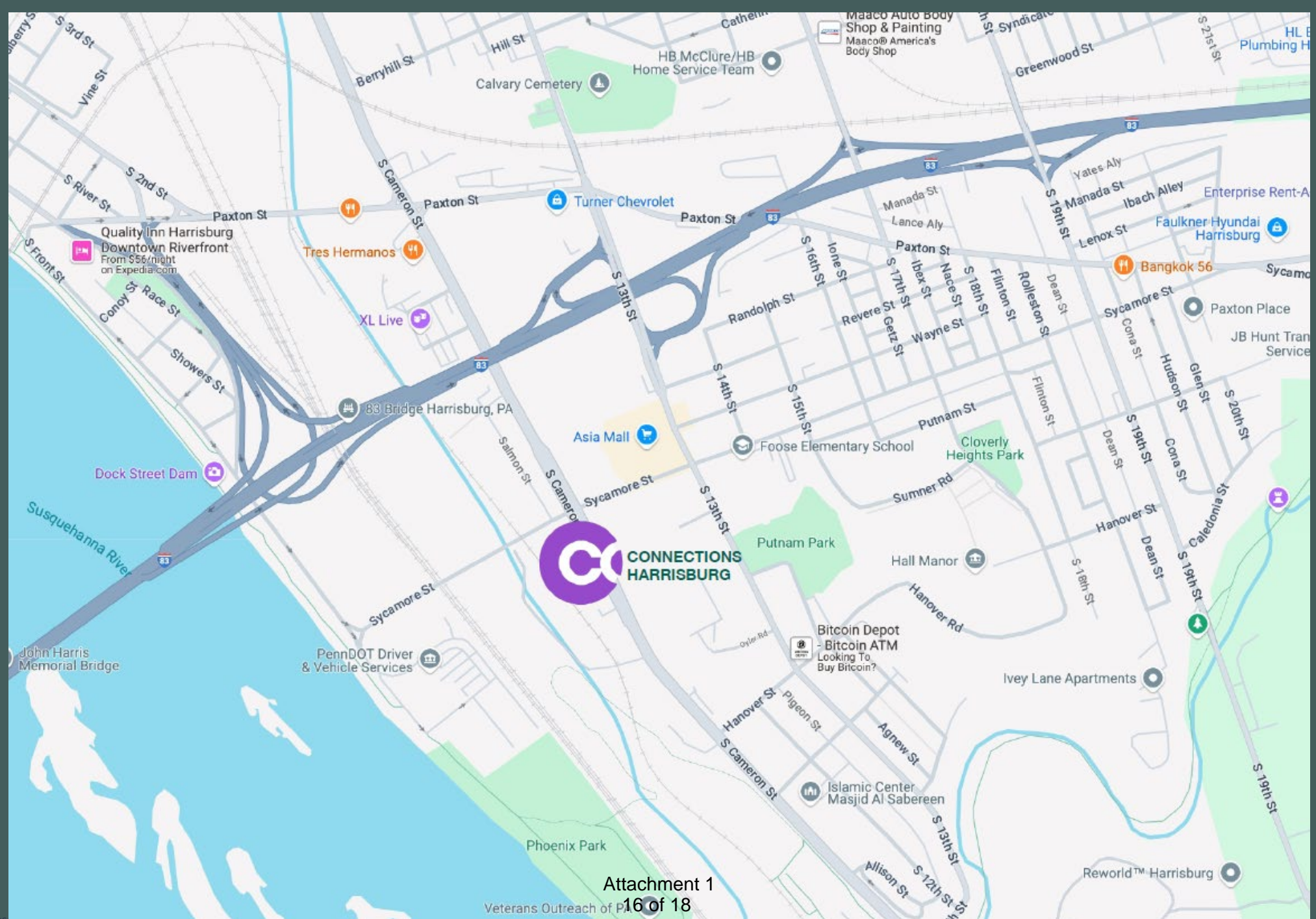


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Connections Harrisburg Exterior





Next Steps

To achieve this critical partnership, we will need to address barriers to implementation:

- ▶ Emphasize with OHA regulatory staff the need to continue efforts to establish crisis stabilization rules that promote a “no wrong door” model of care and sustainable reimbursement for these services
- ▶ Advocate to OHA that certificate of need approval be expedited where rules allow, and for facility and plan reviews to be processed in a timely manner
- ▶ Continue funding expanding residential treatment and community beds to promote timely throughput for both adults and youth/adolescents
- ▶ Invest in growing the behavioral health workforce

Thank You



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