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Norko, Michael

Just to sort of recap what we've done so far. So when we met in in November.

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Norko, Michael

We reviewed the agenda that was set for us by the legislature in Public Act 2245 and introduced ourselves.

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Norko, Michael

In the December meeting, we reviewed Public Act 1886, which created the task force, and we reviewed the final Task Force report.

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Norko, Michael

And one of the things that I think was a memorable from from that meeting was the impression that having more meetings was not something that either the the victims or the equities would relish.

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Norko, Michael

And all of those people expressed concerns about how stressful the hearings were. And so I think that was a good take away from from that.

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Norko, Michael

Today we're going to view a film.

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Norko, Michael

The documentary that was made at a forensic mental Health Center in Toronto, the Brookville Mental Health Center. It's called not criminally responsible, which is the term that Canada uses for their insanity defense.

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Norko, Michael

There were two films that were published by, well, actually three that were published by this filmmaker.

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Norko, Michael

Related to these incidents, this one that we're going to see and then another one that followed it that focused on three other patients and their stories.

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Norko, Michael

And then a third that was basically kind of a sequel to the to the first one that we're going to review today. They spent about 18 months at the Brockville Mental Health Center interviewing the staff, interviewing patients, interviewing at least two victim families, that we we know of.

0:2:15.720 --> 0:2:36.690

Norko, Michael

And there were two documentaries that were produced. Each of them is about an hour and 20 minutes in the full DVD version we have available to us a 52 minute directors cut essentially that the director gave me access to.

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Norko, Michael

He has since passed away in the last couple of years.

0:2:42.850 --> 0:2:49.320

Norko, Michael

So we don't have the benefit of being able to talk to him any further about what.

0:2:50.430 --> 0:2:57.380

Norko, Michael

What their process was, or or what they did, but we'll, you know, keep in mind, as we watch this that.

0:2:57.460 --> 0:3:3.310

Norko, Michael

And you know, we're seeing a portion of what they did.

0:3:4.810 --> 0:3:33.340

Norko, Michael

There's probably 10 times, maybe 20 times as much film, that they recorded. That didn't make it into these films. And so you know what we're going to see is limited and can't represent the full spectrum of responses to the insanity defense, either from the victim's perspective or the equities perspective or the treaters perspective. But I think this will give us some.

0:3:34.840 --> 0:3:46.10

Norko, Michael

Some food for thought, and hopefully we'll have a a, a, a good time for a discussion afterwards, which is why I wanted to show the 52 minute version.

0:3:47.0 --> 0:3:58.590

Norko, Michael

OK, so I don't see that anyone else has joined. Alright, so now I did practice this tactic. Kapoor. We'll see if practice helped make this work.

0:4:3.290 --> 0:4:4.40

Norko, Michael

Uh.

0:4:11.930 --> 0:4:13.590

Norko, Michael

You get that film up.

0:4:16.690 --> 0:4:17.100

Monte Radle

Yeah.

0:4:27.810 --> 0:4:30.720

Norko, Michael

Nope, that's not what I wanted to share, is it?

0:4:32.140 --> 0:4:32.450

Norko, Michael

But.

0:4:42.230 --> 0:4:44.770

Norko, Michael

There we go. That's still matter. Wanted to share.

0:4:48.630 --> 0:4:57.860

Norko, Michael

And please someone unmute yourself and let me know if this doesn't look right. Let me get it to full screen.

0:5:1.550 --> 0:5:3.570

Norko, Michael

And also if you can't hear it.

0:5:10.670 --> 0:5:12.60

Norko, Michael

And people see that and hear it.

0:5:14.260 --> 0:5:14.920

Monte Radle

Can't hear.

0:5:14.360 --> 0:5:15.730

Kapoor, Reena

I don't hear anything.

0:5:16.560 --> 0:5:20.710

Norko, Michael

OK, right. We have to. There's another button that I have to push.

0:5:57.920 --> 0:5:59.810

Norko, Michael

Ohh, but where was that?

0:6:26.160 --> 0:6:32.210

Norko, Michael

I'm not sure that that I just did the right thing, but I'm gonna start playing again. We'll see what happens.

0:6:35.390 --> 0:6:36.330

Norko, Michael  
To hear the music.

0:6:37.510 --> 0:6:38.120

Monte Radle  
No.

0:7:28.100 --> 0:7:28.630

Norko, Michael  
Anything.

0:7:29.990 --> 0:7:30.600

Monte Radle  
No.

0:9:0.400 --> 0:9:6.350

Norko, Michael  
The only thing that's different is that the we have the recording button on and I don't know if that's.

0:9:7.720 --> 0:9:9.440

Norko, Michael  
Creating the difficulty.

0:9:24.790 --> 0:9:29.500

McClure, Christopher  
My technical it's a crisp clear. Do you want me to temporarily suspend the recording and see if that works?

0:9:29.850 --> 0:9:31.640

Norko, Michael  
Yeah, let's see if that helps.

0:9:32.940 --> 0:9:35.90

Norko, Michael  
I don't know that it will, but will try it.

1:1:38.110 --> 1:1:51.980

Norko, Michael  
Chris, thanks for turning the transcription back on. I don't think that actually was it. There was this just a a button that didn't show up the first time round. The that you have to push to to make it work.

1:1:54.290 --> 1:1:54.860

Norko, Michael  
So.

1:1:57.700 --> 1:2:2.970

Norko, Michael  
What thoughts do people have have having sat through the film?

1:2:8.540 --> 1:2:9.240

Andrew Reynolds

I.

1:2:10.630 --> 1:2:15.930

Andrew Reynolds

Since it's completely similar to what happened to Jessica.

1:2:17.30 --> 1:2:17.650

Andrew Reynolds

Uh.

1:2:19.460 --> 1:2:21.730

Andrew Reynolds

I have to think about it a little bit, but.

1:2:23.10 --> 1:2:33.760

Andrew Reynolds

Having Peterson escape from a or walk off the grounds from CBH and buy a knife and look for the most innocent.

1:2:34.860 --> 1:2:37.540

Andrew Reynolds

European or white girl?

1:2:38.430 --> 1:2:39.100

Andrew Reynolds

Uh.

1:2:40.220 --> 1:2:42.590

Andrew Reynolds

That seems a little bit different, but the same.

1:2:51.170 --> 1:2:59.650

Andrew Reynolds

And my family has never received an apology and I don't think we ever will appear. Jason is a very sick person, even with his medication.

1:3:1.240 --> 1:3:4.310

Andrew Reynolds

And now there's a chance it could be like how?

1:3:5.110 --> 1:3:11.920

Andrew Reynolds

Uh, with the new law and transferred to a lesser facility and I wanted to let Jill know that.

1:3:12.930 --> 1:3:13.890

Andrew Reynolds

I feel so.

1:3:15.830 --> 1:3:18.900

Andrew Reynolds

I can't express some words what's happened just recently.

1:3:23.960 --> 1:3:25.210

Norko, Michael

Yeah, Joe, please go ahead.

1:3:26.650 --> 1:3:29.40

Jill Kidik

Yeah. So I do appreciate that.

1:3:29.800 --> 1:3:38.490

Jill Kidik

And so when all is aware that you know without anyone caring to notify me upon shaphan being moved out of Whiting to doctor.

1:3:40.530 --> 1:3:48.750

Jill Kidik

Obviously, the victims just don't matter to the legislature or maybe to writing that, you know, people have my contact. They could have told me, but this.

1:3:49.900 --> 1:3:52.270

Jill Kidik

This documentary, I think, is very biased.

1:3:53.450 --> 1:3:57.220

Jill Kidik

And dangerous to anyone to consider that the victim.

1:3:59.130 --> 1:4:10.550

Jill Kidik

I understand that some people would like an apology letter. I don't wish to ever receive anything ever from Siobhan that she has touched with the hands that almost decapitated me.

1:4:11.680 --> 1:4:16.10

Jill Kidik

And my father and mother will never stand in share a smile.

1:4:17.150 --> 1:4:20.550

Jill Kidik

And shake hands with her. So I don't like that part in it.

1:4:22.170 --> 1:4:35.320

Jill Kidik

I don't understand how the documentary included him giving an autograph to a stranger like he's the and he says I'm the star of this documentary and he gives an autograph. It is just so sick to me.

1:4:36.200 --> 1:4:42.940

Jill Kidik

But it did leave out the part I watched the whole documentary with. My parents, watched it, and Boston. My husband watched it with me.

1:4:45.20 --> 1:4:52.950

Jill Kidik

It leaves out the part where they ask him if he would continue to take his medication. Where in Canada, he can't just be completely separate with nobody watching him in time.

1:4:54.150 --> 1:4:56.340

Jill Kidik

And he truly hesitated.

1:4:57.290 --> 1:4:58.430

Jill Kidik

Truly hesitated.

1:4:59.110 --> 1:5:15.830

Jill Kidik

And then when he was not given his conditional release, he said, well, it didn't help my case that the parents showed up. So that letter of apology wasn't written because he is truly sorry that showed right then he's doing it just to play the game and to move on and.

1:5:17.620 --> 1:5:27.500

Jill Kidik

I just did. Please don't see this victim in her family is representing the majority of stranger attacks.

1:5:28.220 --> 1:5:31.760

Jill Kidik

Where a knife is used and it's intimate and it's unprovoked.

1:5:32.600 --> 1:5:38.760

Jill Kidik

I respect that people can be rehabilitated. I've said that every time that we've had meetings but.

1:5:39.850 --> 1:5:43.290

Jill Kidik

There are certain things just like the doctor said.

1:5:43.940 --> 1:5:48.520

Jill Kidik

Or the nurse. Whatever they were, that you the medication can control.

1:5:49.320 --> 1:5:54.670

Jill Kidik

The psychosis that they have, or however they said it, but it's the person that needs to make the choice.

1:5:56.410 --> 1:5:58.600

Jill Kidik

And that's what no one can.

1:5:59.900 --> 1:6:1.710

Jill Kidik

Say whether or not it's going to happen again.

1:6:2.470 --> 1:6:14.60

Jill Kidik

So that's all I'm going to say for right now, but I I didn't like this documentary. I don't feel that it plays both sides evenly and there was conveniently something's left out of the shortened version that would have been nice to see.

1:6:16.330 --> 1:6:23.950

Andrew Reynolds

I'm really have to think about this documentary how similar it was and how.

1:6:27.470 --> 1:6:31.700

Andrew Reynolds

Well, I was in the room with Jessica after she was murdered for an hour.

1:6:32.410 --> 1:6:33.260

Andrew Reynolds

And.

1:6:34.190 --> 1:6:37.180

Andrew Reynolds

With the police officers and I can't.

1:6:38.120 --> 1:6:42.490

Andrew Reynolds

Feel and I don't think my family will ever feel remorse.

1:6:43.250 --> 1:6:44.210

Andrew Reynolds

Uh or?

1:6:45.240 --> 1:6:46.260

Andrew Reynolds

Ever forgive.

1:6:47.240 --> 1:6:49.970

Andrew Reynolds

Uh, such a sick individual? Who?

1:6:52.100 --> 1:6:54.820

Andrew Reynolds

I don't know. I I'm gonna have to think about this a bit.



1:6:59.400 --> 1:7:15.130

Norko, Michael

Thank you both for sharing. Jill, Jill and I had a chance to talk a little bit yesterday. I'm wondering if I could ask you to just say one other thing that I that we talked about yesterday that I I thought was important, which was.

1:7:17.210 --> 1:7:17.950

Norko, Michael

You are.

1:7:19.560 --> 1:7:40.550

Norko, Michael

Your sense that the rules changed with the change in the law and that what you thought was going to happen and what you had, what had been explained to you and what you had at some level, sort of agreed to then became a different, a different story and and that's something that concerns you.

1:7:42.210 --> 1:7:47.950

Jill Kidik

It's so much like anyone who I'm sure is that why thing that you're the facilities. Whatever.

1:7:48.760 --> 1:8:1.40

Jill Kidik

Any change, sudden change in what you understand to be how your day-to-day is going to be or a traumatic situation is gonna be controlled. When that is changed, that is a trigger that is.

1:8:1.850 --> 1:8:3.0

Jill Kidik

Not healthy.

1:8:3.910 --> 1:8:15.980

Jill Kidik

I left. I knew at another time I can explain this at at sentencing I made the wrong choice to not fight it, and I again, we'll explain that at a later time. But.

1:8:17.490 --> 1:8:31.530

Jill Kidik

I was told that OK, in two years we'll sit and we can talk about this and we'll see what's gonna happen. It's gonna take her a while to move from one point to the next. This doesn't just happen in 18 months.

1:8:32.250 --> 1:8:34.720

Jill Kidik

Umm. And that I have.

1:8:35.400 --> 1:8:45.140

Jill Kidik

The opportunity and the respect to speak in front of the board and to whoever from Whiting is representing her and two shaphan.

1:8:45.840 --> 1:8:53.90

Jill Kidik

My feelings about whatever their move is next and that has been taken away as of October 1st of last year.

1:8:54.460 --> 1:9:3.310

Jill Kidik

So like I explained to my conversation yesterday is that, you know, not only has my career been taken from me, my life as I knew it.

1:9:4.110 --> 1:9:5.210

Jill Kidik

I have severe.

1:9:5.860 --> 1:9:11.830

Jill Kidik

Physical limitations do to this. I mean I have my pictures, I'm ready to go with.

1:9:12.710 --> 1:9:17.670

Jill Kidik

If you can see it, this was my neck. This is what she did to me. That's just one view.

1:9:19.330 --> 1:9:25.260

Jill Kidik

I'm still recovering from that and I will never fully recover. I'll never have a working right side of my throat.

1:9:26.220 --> 1:9:40.230

Jill Kidik

And I couldn't just be given the respect and the understanding that this is affecting me emotionally and mentally and not just me. The maintenance men that put their lives on the line, the officers that showed up, the EMT workers.

1:9:41.40 --> 1:9:49.480

Jill Kidik

The staff from the apartment complex, none of us had the chance to just say, wait a minute. Can we just give our peace?

1:9:50.390 --> 1:9:55.40

Jill Kidik

This is just been done and now it's traumatizing the victim and it's again proof that.

1:9:55.860 --> 1:9:58.80

Jill Kidik

It's just the victims are just forgotten about.

1:9:58.720 --> 1:10:6.230

Jill Kidik

And it's not good, and it's not just me. There's a whole group of us, as in service to Reynolds. No, it wasn't just her.

1:10:7.400 --> 1:10:9.450

Jill Kidik

There are so many people affected by it.

1:10:10.300 --> 1:10:17.790

Jill Kidik

But it's traumatic when the things are changed, and now I'm afraid that more things are going to change in the wrong direction. And I understand again.

1:10:18.440 --> 1:10:37.910

Jill Kidik

That not everybody is the same in Whiting. Not every crime is the same. Not every crime is as violent, but that needs to be recognized. That Siobhan did something so disgusting to me that I don't deserve to be sitting in a public place to receive an e-mail, that it happened the week before.

1:10:38.990 --> 1:10:51.440

Jill Kidik

Especially when there's people that had my contact information from the hospital that could have told me this is happening today, I deserve that respect so that I can, I can tell people in a timely manner.

1:10:52.350 --> 1:10:59.610

Jill Kidik

That this happened because I have the I'm the only one that can tell all the other people who are victims that nobody else cares about.

1:11:1.210 --> 1:11:1.700

Jill Kidik

So.

1:11:6.110 --> 1:11:10.970

Andrew Reynolds

I have A and I think this is a good time to bring it up. I have letters.

1:11:11.650 --> 1:11:12.270

Andrew Reynolds

Uh.

1:11:13.830 --> 1:11:24.60

Andrew Reynolds

Deal for multiple victims who are against what this committee is reviewing, and I'm not saying trying to do.

1:11:24.840 --> 1:11:26.510

Andrew Reynolds

About the board.

1:11:28.30 --> 1:11:32.200

Andrew Reynolds

Making sure the board stays in place and.

1:11:33.80 --> 1:11:40.80

Andrew Reynolds

Uh, maybe I'll share those letters in a particular time. I'm not sure if that's allowed, Mr Norco.

1:11:41.520 --> 1:11:42.460

Norko, Michael

Yeah, that would be fine.

1:11:44.730 --> 1:11:45.300

Andrew Reynolds

And.

1:11:45.380 --> 1:11:48.410

Andrew Reynolds

Yeah, I can't express again.

1:11:49.120 --> 1:11:51.740

Andrew Reynolds

Uh, if I can call you Jill?

1:11:54.690 --> 1:11:58.20

Andrew Reynolds

How sorry I am for this experience, I can't.

1:11:58.840 --> 1:12:1.570

Andrew Reynolds

I can't believe it myself. I'm shocked.

1:12:2.360 --> 1:12:4.80

Andrew Reynolds

And the law.

1:12:4.790 --> 1:12:11.790

Andrew Reynolds

Ohh that one little piece of the law were they don't consider the victim whatsoever.

1:12:13.110 --> 1:12:13.920

Andrew Reynolds

Ohh.

1:12:15.30 --> 1:12:19.90

Andrew Reynolds

Even though we fought that make changes is unbelievable.

1:12:23.70 --> 1:12:24.670

Norko, Michael

Lou, you wanted to say something.

1:12:27.700 --> 1:12:28.700

Louis Bovino

Hi, good morning.

1:12:30.20 --> 1:12:35.970

Louis Bovino

Yeah. I'm sorry to hear. You know, what happened to the victims? Andrew and Jill, don't you know?

1:12:37.230 --> 1:12:41.680

Louis Bovino

Yeah. You know, as being an in the system and an equity.

1:12:43.560 --> 1:12:55.940

Louis Bovino

You know it is important to take your meds and you know, just to accept that you have a mental illness and you know to be active in treatment.

1:12:56.100 --> 1:13:1.670

Louis Bovino

Umm, you know, I worked hard in the system and to get to where I am today.

1:13:2.330 --> 1:13:20.300

Louis Bovino

Umm, you know, I lost everything that I ever worked for and had to rebuild my life. I was given the opportunity to get out of the hospital to to be on the CR to work full time. I'm a welder fabricator. I do work for the Navy.

1:13:22.220 --> 1:13:27.790

Louis Bovino

You know, but it it was baby steps, just like they said in that documentary.

1:13:27.880 --> 1:13:32.120

Louis Bovino

And it was all hard work. Nobody gave me anything.

1:13:32.300 --> 1:13:38.440

Louis Bovino

Umm, you know, I had to do the treatment. I had to put the time in and you know, I had to prove myself.

1:13:39.680 --> 1:13:48.360

Louis Bovino

Which I did. And you know, I'm still under the board. I believe the board should stay in place because they're the ones who monitor.

1:13:49.90 --> 1:13:51.560

Louis Bovino

Be equities who are on CR.

1:13:53.100 --> 1:13:54.390

Louis Bovino

And that's important.

1:13:54.590 --> 1:14:12.60

Louis Bovino

Umm, you know, I still do treatment. I do my AA meetings. I see a therapist regularly. My CR supervisor. I do blood work for medication. There's a lot of things in place.

1:14:12.140 --> 1:14:22.230

Louis Bovino

Uh safety net and other words to assure the victims that this wouldn't happen again. But you know, we we have to be given the opportunity.

1:14:23.900 --> 1:14:38.650

Louis Bovino

To to move forward, you know, we don't want to live in the past. We wanna go forward with our lives and put this behind us. You know, it's been since 2008 on what I did and.

1:14:39.650 --> 1:14:47.700

Louis Bovino

You know, I I still have a lot of steps to take, but it's, you know, just doing the next right thing is important to me. So thank you.

1:14:49.670 --> 1:14:50.490

Norko, Michael

Thank you very much.

1:14:52.100 --> 1:14:53.490

Jill Kidik

Can I just say some?

1:14:54.930 --> 1:14:55.470

Norko, Michael

Triple.

1:14:54.620 --> 1:15:10.950

Jill Kidik

I respect the work that you've done and This is why I have a hard time. I don't know how to articulate properly that the spectrum is too big. You are somebody that recognizes what's going on. You want to be back on your own. You have lost everything. You know what that feels like.

1:15:12.240 --> 1:15:27.370

Jill Kidik

And I just don't think it's fair for you to be in the same category with somebody that did something

works. And I don't think that somebody that did something worse should be in the same category as you. And there's it's, it's hard for me to explain.

1:15:28.370 --> 1:15:31.230

Jill Kidik

Umm. And it's been a long time since you're incident.

1:15:31.950 --> 1:15:38.850

Jill Kidik

And I again congratulate you on your work. I have work to do. I have issues from my incident.

1:15:41.730 --> 1:15:51.240

Jill Kidik

I'm just. I'm lucky I have therapy and I have to stick with it. And if I avoided it and I stopped doing it, I had, like, a meltdown. And that's why I had to go back into it.

1:15:52.490 --> 1:15:58.220

Jill Kidik

But at 18 months after the commitment, it is still very fresh for me.

1:15:58.920 --> 1:16:1.770

Jill Kidik

And there is just it's not.

1:16:2.810 --> 1:16:21.400

Jill Kidik

No one gave me the respect to have me there, to sit down and tell me what she's done that deserves that move. So I'm just in the dark entirely about it, and that's that's the problem for me, is there's no transparency to the victim.

1:16:22.200 --> 1:16:38.140

Jill Kidik

Uh, after it literally just happened. You weren't prepared for it to happen, and they didn't have to move her before the hearing. They chose to move her before the hearing because that's what they're allowed to do now, and that's what I'm talking about is I, too, am trying to heal and move on and.

1:16:39.10 --> 1:16:56.680

Jill Kidik

That's, you know, there's things that you and I have agreed on with the the hearings we just talked about this like I don't wanna go more than I have to. You don't wanna go more than you have to and then suddenly it's like boom this happened to me between the last meeting and this one. And this is what we were talking about the the enormous amount of anxiety.

1:16:57.370 --> 1:17:2.620

Jill Kidik

And trauma that that brings up. It's just like how did?

1:17:3.500 --> 1:17:10.140

Jill Kidik

How is it that we're just forgotten about? I want you to do well. I don't want you to ever have to go back. You don't wanna go back to a meeting.

1:17:11.530 --> 1:17:12.480

Jill Kidik  
But again.

1:17:13.720 --> 1:17:15.100

Jill Kidik  
This happened to me.

1:17:15.760 --> 1:17:18.110

Jill Kidik  
It is. I'm living this life right now.

1:17:18.920 --> 1:17:36.360

Jill Kidik  
And the this law change is harmful to myself. I met with one of the maintenance man that saved my life that took the knife out of that, fought to take the knife out of her hand, and he started crying because he wasn't prepared either.

1:17:37.490 --> 1:17:45.210

Jill Kidik  
We all have to work together to figure this out, but we all need to understand it. And that's my trauma right now is that I?

1:17:46.640 --> 1:17:50.660

Jill Kidik  
You couldn't. You couldn't call me the day it happened. I had to wait till the next week.

1:17:53.930 --> 1:17:54.480

Andrew Reynolds  
Uh.

1:17:55.280 --> 1:17:57.40

Andrew Reynolds  
Lewis, if I can call you Louis.

1:17:59.90 --> 1:18:1.990

Andrew Reynolds  
I commend you on on what you've done as well.

1:18:2.700 --> 1:18:11.350

Andrew Reynolds  
I think ohh you recognize the board. You're on your medication. And how long has it been?

1:18:12.860 --> 1:18:23.780

Louis Bovino



I'm I'm my crime was 2008, July 18th. And so I've been on a conditional release for seven years. Six. It's going on seven years this year.

1:18:25.180 --> 1:18:27.780

Andrew Reynolds

And the victims were notified of your release.

1:18:28.480 --> 1:18:32.250

Louis Bovino

Ohh yes, they usually go to most of my hearings guys.

1:18:33.30 --> 1:18:35.800

Andrew Reynolds

OK, well, my sister.

1:18:36.800 --> 1:18:47.350

Andrew Reynolds

And the change subject. I didn't tell her about the law and the law change, even though the murder took place in 1989.

1:18:48.100 --> 1:18:51.960

Andrew Reynolds

She's traumatized. She's gone. There's nothing left to her.

1:18:53.330 --> 1:18:54.20

Andrew Reynolds

And.

1:18:54.100 --> 1:19:20.180

Andrew Reynolds

So ohh, this doesn't have to do with you, Louis. I think what you've done has been an incredible change and I commend you for it, but I wanted to bring up about my sister as Joe brought it up about herself and there's nothing left to my sister if she found out about this bill change, I don't know what would happen.

1:19:21.730 --> 1:19:27.930

Louis Bovino

I'm sorry, Andrew, for your loss. I'm sorry. What happened? I'm a I'm aware that a crime also.

1:19:29.800 --> 1:19:31.180

Louis Bovino

And when that happened in the middle of town.

1:19:33.640 --> 1:19:34.490

Andrew Reynolds

Thank you, Louis.

1:19:42.600 --> 1:19:45.670

Norko, Michael

So anyone else have any comments they'd like to share?

1:19:56.750 --> 1:19:57.480

Norko, Michael

Monkey please.

1:19:59.710 --> 1:20:0.820

Monte Radle

I.

1:20:3.180 --> 1:20:9.170

Monte Radle

I've recently retired as head of the psychiatric defense unit for the last.

1:20:10.370 --> 1:20:12.910

Monte Radle

22 years and.

1:20:13.770 --> 1:20:14.390

Monte Radle

Umm.

1:20:16.10 --> 1:20:19.780

Monte Radle

Most of my clientele has been insanity equities.

1:20:20.710 --> 1:20:22.840

Monte Radle

And UM.

1:20:26.620 --> 1:20:28.130

Monte Radle

I am not personally.

1:20:28.920 --> 1:20:33.220

Monte Radle

In favor of abolishing the board, and I never have been.

1:20:34.900 --> 1:20:43.630

Monte Radle

I feel that they have very valuable function of mostly at this point supervising.

1:20:44.730 --> 1:20:48.80

Monte Radle

Umm. People who are outside the hospital.

1:20:48.750 --> 1:20:52.390

Monte Radle

Either on overnight transitional or.

1:20:53.170 --> 1:21:11.60

Monte Radle

Conditional release. Uh. I mean, I've never been opposed to that, and I think it is one of the most vigorous supervisory systems of outpatient insanity activities in the country, and that's a valuable function.

1:21:12.150 --> 1:21:22.920

Monte Radle

I think the aspect of the system that has been of concern to most individuals, including.

1:21:23.720 --> 1:21:34.970

Monte Radle

You know the victims as well as the legal representatives of insanity. Equities is what goes on in the inside of the hospital.

1:21:35.630 --> 1:21:46.780

Monte Radle

Umm how long people are kept in Whiting before they're transferred to Dutcher, and the lack of?

1:21:47.400 --> 1:21:48.20

Monte Radle

Umm.

1:21:49.710 --> 1:21:51.500

Monte Radle

It's a very opaque system.

1:21:52.230 --> 1:22:4.820

Monte Radle

Uh, the representatives don't fully understand how it works. The victims certainly don't understand how it works. Even the board doesn't understand how it works because they're not in the hospital.

1:22:5.460 --> 1:22:6.120

Monte Radle

Umm.

1:22:7.890 --> 1:22:13.700

Monte Radle

And that is the one thing that we really need to think about. I think in terms of.

1:22:14.320 --> 1:22:30.50

Monte Radle

You know the whole spectrum of stakeholders understanding how it works, how an equity progresses from maximum to medium security, what medium security really means. It's a locked facility.

1:22:30.920 --> 1:22:38.470

Monte Radle

Do we look at the hospital as an alternative form of a prison, or is it a hospital?

1:22:39.750 --> 1:22:43.120

Monte Radle

All these things really have to be looked at and understood.

1:22:43.820 --> 1:22:48.470

Monte Radle

Umm, you know, in order for any meaningful change to take place.

1:22:49.110 --> 1:22:56.420

Monte Radle

Umm do we look at acuties different from convicted criminals, who often?

1:22:56.940 --> 1:22:57.580

Monte Radle

Umm.

1:22:58.520 --> 1:23:5.270

Monte Radle

Or individuals who never inserted the asserted the insanity defense and perhaps plea bargain for.

1:23:5.890 --> 1:23:10.740

Monte Radle

Umm, you know a lesser sentence, their individuals leaving prison.

1:23:12.60 --> 1:23:20.280

Monte Radle

Met severely, mentally ill individuals leaving mental leaving prisons who are not under any form of supervision.

1:23:21.980 --> 1:23:28.470

Monte Radle

I mean, I think hopefully through the process of this committee, we can all better understand.

1:23:29.340 --> 1:23:30.940

Monte Radle

How the system works?

1:23:31.660 --> 1:23:48.800

Monte Radle

Umm. And how we can better educate the public on how it works? Because otherwise, you know, we have these changes made that the victims either don't understand or the equities don't understand or the board doesn't understand or the hospital doesn't understand.

1:23:50.60 --> 1:23:55.70

Monte Radle

I think they're common sense, you know, solutions to all this, but we really.

1:23:56.160 --> 1:24:5.590

Monte Radle

Really need, uh, you know, greater disclosure and and more knowledge about what goes on in the decision making process.

1:24:7.800 --> 1:24:8.990

Norko, Michael

Thank you, Martin Allen.

1:24:13.850 --> 1:24:14.650

Norko, Michael

Yes, it's fine.

1:24:9.890 --> 1:24:21.860

Ellen Lachance

Uh, I can't see myself, so I'm not sure if I'm on camera or not, but I I hope you can hear me great. Thank you. So, Jill, I wanted to ask a question if I might. I appreciate your articulating.

1:24:21.940 --> 1:24:25.910

Ellen Lachance

Yeah, your situation and very hard time.

1:24:26.910 --> 1:24:34.280

Ellen Lachance

And so the law that was changed in October allows the hospital to transfer patients without a hearing.

1:24:35.820 --> 1:25:2.890

Ellen Lachance

Would it have made a difference or do you think it might make a difference for you if the law were to have read that the hospital can transfer a patient without permission from the board, but does allow for a hearing so that a victim could be heard knowing that it might not change the result, but that you could be heard? And I'm curious about where you stand on that idea. Thank you.

1:25:4.120 --> 1:25:8.500

Jill Kidik

The law doesn't say that a hearing can't. There's a hearing on January 27th for it.

1:25:10.240 --> 1:25:12.540

Jill Kidik

Per the state's attorney. So.

1:25:13.900 --> 1:25:15.280

Jill Kidik

The issue is that.

1:25:16.360 --> 1:25:19.620

Jill Kidik

The law allows the transfer to happen before hearing.

1:25:20.380 --> 1:25:21.90

Jill Kidik

And.

1:25:22.430 --> 1:25:35.780

Jill Kidik

Again, the law doesn't say anything about victim notification really. It's whenever the hospital decides to tell the board the board has to tell me. And it's like this game of telephone that is so inappropriate.

1:25:37.560 --> 1:26:6.990

Jill Kidik

But obviously the people that wrote the law, the people that voted for it, which was unanimous, which is disgusting, didn't like, they don't, they don't live this life. They don't know what they're voting for. They have no idea, just like Monty just explained. Like, there's nobody really knows all of it. So you don't really have any place to vote on it if you don't get it. And I don't get it. I'm still living it. Like I say, every meeting like, I don't. I wanna understand more. But this is exactly why, like, you have to. You gotta tell me.

1:26:7.570 --> 1:26:18.700

Jill Kidik

You gotta give me the opportunity in person. Sit down and tell me what happened. That this move seemed appropriate for this time. You just have to tell me so I can work on accepting it.

1:26:19.840 --> 1:26:20.270

Ellen Lachance

So.

1:26:19.600 --> 1:26:46.730

Jill Kidik

Because I too have stuff I have stuff. I'm not the same. My it's difficult to be married to me. It's difficult to be my parent. I can't imagine what my daughters are going to think when they figure out why I am the way I am. They don't know me before. But you know, I I have family members that are like ohh, I feel like this is negatively affecting her emotional health like you think it took you like almost five years to figure that out.

1:26:47.380 --> 1:26:48.690

Jill Kidik

So this is you're just.

1:26:49.390 --> 1:27:0.570

Jill Kidik

If I have the right to speak at a hearing, could you just wait till the hearing? It might not reverse it. The the decision, whatever. But you have to help me, because now I'm gonna deteriorate.

1:27:1.610 --> 1:27:17.300

Ellen Lachance

Thank you. Yes. And that was really the crux of my question. If the if there was a process where the hearing could occur for you to speak prior to the transfer, knowing that that might not change the result at all, that would feel better for you or more complete.

1:27:18.710 --> 1:27:19.20

Ellen Lachance

Thank you.

1:27:16.480 --> 1:27:30.350

Jill Kidik

Yes, that's yes. And that goes for other things. I know that I don't understand how you know, I don't know how to identify a mental illness. I knew that day that she wasn't well. Never did I think it was anything. What it turned into.

1:27:31.410 --> 1:27:33.870

Jill Kidik

But I there's things I don't get but.

1:27:34.510 --> 1:27:49.690

Jill Kidik

On the other side, there's people that that don't understand what it's like to be a victim because, yes, Shaban is a victim of her mind. And I am now a victim of my mind and my body and things I don't understand about myself. And it would just.

1:27:50.460 --> 1:27:50.970

Jill Kidik

Help.

1:27:51.700 --> 1:28:13.290

Jill Kidik

Greatly at victims knew that, you know, we didn't have this NGRI happen. And then it's like, OK, well, now they're just a patient and you don't. It's too bad that you have bad feelings about it. That's what this law change screens at victims. It's like it might be a small change from one facility to next. She's not out and about.

1:28:13.980 --> 1:28:18.290

Jill Kidik

It's not that, but that little bit people don't understand that that little bit.

1:28:19.90 --> 1:28:20.590

Jill Kidik

Is like another stab.

1:28:22.150 --> 1:28:33.0

Jill Kidik

And like you have to relive it. And again, like I said, I sat with Jose, one of the two men that saved my life on Saturday. And he was just he started shaking.

1:28:33.850 --> 1:28:40.730

Jill Kidik

Because he still has nightmares about it, he still can't sleep. He has flashbacks. I don't have any visuals. He does.

1:28:41.600 --> 1:28:47.420

Jill Kidik

And now we hear is that he's scared because he doesn't understand it and I can't help him understand because no one cared to tell me.

1:28:48.660 --> 1:28:50.0

Ellen Lachance

Thank you for your feedback. Thanks.

1:28:48.600 --> 1:28:52.190

Jill Kidik

So yeah, we're hearing just have the hearing, that's all.

1:28:52.790 --> 1:28:53.100

Ellen Lachance

Thank you.

1:28:53.190 --> 1:29:2.20

Andrew Reynolds

And then if I could put in one thing. Ohh as Jill, as police officers still contact me and.

1:29:2.980 --> 1:29:5.30

Andrew Reynolds

They're looking for help from me.

1:29:5.720 --> 1:29:19.380

Andrew Reynolds

About what happened that day and they'll never forget it because and witnesses are contacting me.

Ohh. But I wanna point out one thing that I'm not sure if it was the committee or.

1:29:20.210 --> 1:29:25.860

Andrew Reynolds

Ohh that reported to the Public Health Board.

1:29:26.490 --> 1:29:29.100

Andrew Reynolds

Uh, about what should be done?

1:29:29.760 --> 1:29:34.890

Andrew Reynolds

Uh, but they admitted they didn't consider the victims at all.



1:29:37.90 --> 1:29:38.60

Andrew Reynolds

Not one.

1:29:38.810 --> 1:29:42.690

Andrew Reynolds

Consideration of the victims on their recommendations.

1:29:44.90 --> 1:29:46.170

Andrew Reynolds

And what happened with this change?

1:29:47.410 --> 1:29:48.770

Andrew Reynolds

I agree with you there.

1:29:50.40 --> 1:29:58.880

Andrew Reynolds

There has to be some sort of notification or a a representation by any victims. Thank you.

1:30:0.780 --> 1:30:2.280

Norko, Michael

Bill, you wanted to make a comment.

1:30:4.250 --> 1:30:9.620

Kieran, Rebecca

Yes, just very, very briefly because I I see we're already over the time, but in.

1:30:10.510 --> 1:30:27.730

Kieran, Rebecca

I don't know whose responsibility it is to notify the victims of something like this. It seems it seems to me it shouldn't fall on the executive director of the PSLRB to have to do it and it maybe it should be something that the Victims Advocates Office should be involved in so that they can, you know, who has experience speaking with victims.

1:30:28.890 --> 1:30:33.80

Kieran, Rebecca

Other otherwise, if it's left to states attorneys to do it, you're gonna get.

1:30:33.850 --> 1:30:36.780

Kieran, Rebecca

You know 20 different ways of doing it.

1:30:41.880 --> 1:30:45.790

Jill Kidik

If I could just speak on the victim advocates that are in the courts, I.

1:30:46.540 --> 1:30:55.720

Jill Kidik

Have respect for them as individuals, but in my case, like I would call, never get a call back and the only time I was given any attention was in the courtroom.

1:30:56.880 --> 1:30:58.460

Jill Kidik

When it was cameras on.

1:30:59.390 --> 1:31:2.650

Jill Kidik

So, and that's from somebody that would be reports.

1:31:0.440 --> 1:31:2.810

Andrew Reynolds

I was the same. I never received a call back.

1:31:3.580 --> 1:31:14.30

Jill Kidik

Yeah, there's. I never got a call back and she's a wonderful woman who was assigned to me. But like, they're over inundated. And I do think if the States Attorney is notified.

1:31:15.950 --> 1:31:37.460

Jill Kidik

They there's somebody in that office and investigator that can just be like, hey, if you have somebody has relationships with the victim because you had to work with the victim to get through trial. So someone can just make the phone call, but it just it's gotta be like not a week later. Like it's got to be that day like within 24 hours. You got to know because you have to be shown that.

1:31:38.260 --> 1:31:42.540

Jill Kidik

It matters like that you're remembered it. It's just it's a mental health thing.

1:31:43.980 --> 1:31:48.310

Jill Kidik

If you care about the equities mental health, you gotta care about the victim too, like.

1:31:49.460 --> 1:31:58.940

Jill Kidik

This is the dangerous part of the NGRI. It's like you just you just. Let's make this one better. Let's rehabilitate this one. Forget about the victim and just like.

1:31:59.780 --> 1:32:1.870

Jill Kidik

And he said, like his sister.

1:32:2.920 --> 1:32:7.750

Jill Kidik

What would this do to her? Like I battle every day to keep myself well?

1:32:8.640 --> 1:32:11.980

Jill Kidik

For myself and for my children and stuff like this.

1:32:14.300 --> 1:32:19.390

Jill Kidik

Like you don't understand until you're a victim. You just don't get it. And I didn't. I would be. I would have been a better cop.

1:32:20.100 --> 1:32:22.940

Jill Kidik

If I knew what it was like for the people I had to.

1:32:23.870 --> 1:32:27.320

Jill Kidik

Go save. I would have been a better person for understanding.

1:32:33.720 --> 1:33:4.140

Norko, Michael

Thank you. I think we're probably going to have to wrap up. I know we could spend quite a bit more time continuing to process all of this, but we will have time at other meetings. I think I'd like to stick with the the plan that we have at this point for reviewing the material about Arizona at our next meeting. But I would like people to think about in the interim whether we need to.

1:33:4.450 --> 1:33:34.920

Norko, Michael

Review the PSLRB statutes, the PSLRB process Monte has raised the hospital process. Do we need to take time to do that as the the step after that before we get into looking at the other state models, which is the other part of our task. So please think about that. We'll make that part of our discussion at our February meeting about how to proceed from there.

1:33:35.30 --> 1:33:47.240

Norko, Michael

And and and please take a look at the Arizona materials that States Attorney Platt and her colleague put together for us. So thank you all. I know this was. This is.

1:33:48.710 --> 1:33:55.60

Norko, Michael

Uh, a a difficult discussion. People have had very painful experiences.

1:33:57.80 --> 1:34:2.770

Norko, Michael

And continue to have them, and I appreciate everyone's willingness to continue with this process.

1:34:3.480 --> 1:34:4.910

Norko, Michael

No, thank you all for being here.

1:34:6.430 --> 1:34:7.120

Kieran, Rebecca

Thank you everyone.

1:34:8.30 --> 1:34:8.760

Monte Radle

Thank you.

1:34:9.320 --> 1:34:10.810

Norko, Michael

See you all next next month.

1:34:39.570 --> 1:34:40.30

Monte Radle

I'm done.

1:34:40.990 --> 1:34:41.780

Monte Radle

Yep.

1:34:42.860 --> 1:34:46.570

Monte Radle

I don't quite know how to, let's say.

1:34:47.550 --> 1:34:48.100

Monte Radle

Ohh.

1:34:52.860 --> 1:34:53.830

Monte Radle

Why not close it?

1:34:54.850 --> 1:34:58.240

Monte Radle

Yeah, press command Q command.

1:35:1.0 --> 1:35:1.960

Monte Radle

Funny and cute.

1:35:4.100 --> 1:35:5.350

Monte Radle

Ohh control Q.

1:35:5.510 --> 1:35:6.440

Monte Radle

No, it's this.