

**Alachua County Victim Services & Rape Crisis Center Advisory Council Regular Meeting**  
**Alachua Co Community Support Services 218 SE 24 St, Gainesville, FL 32641**  
**March 20, 2025**  
**Minutes**

Members present in-person: Shereka Nicole Williams-O'Neal, Madison Bales, Barbara Goodwin, Khushman Hans, Rebekah McKinzie, Ayana Archer

Staff in-person: Laura Kalt, Director, Alachua County Victim Services & Rape Crisis Center

- I. Meeting called to order at 5:34pm - quorum requirement met
- II. Welcome and Introductions
- III. Old Business – none
- IV. New Business
  - a. After discussion there was a vote to elect new Chair and Secretary
    - i. Shereka Nicole Williams-O'Neal was elected Chair, motion made by Khushman Hans, 2nd by Madison Bales
    - ii. Ayana Archer was elected Secretary, motion made by Khushman Hans, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Madison Bales
- V. Staff Report & Agency Updates
  - a. The Center is preparing for the 2025 Survivors of Violence Art Exhibit which takes place at the Harn Museum 4/3/25
- VI. Public Comment/Announcements
  - a. Many events in April in honor of Sexual Assault Awareness month and Child Abuse Awareness month
    - i. Alachua Co Victim Services & Rape Crisis Center's Survivors of Violence Art Exhibit at the Harn Museum on 4/3/25
    - ii. Anew's Free to Fly 5K Trail Run to raise funds for human trafficking survivors on 4/5
    - iii. Lauren's Kids Walk in My Shoes event on 4/22, Kushman's Bikers Against Child Abuse will be there supporting Senator Lauren Book and the walkers
- VII. Adjournment