

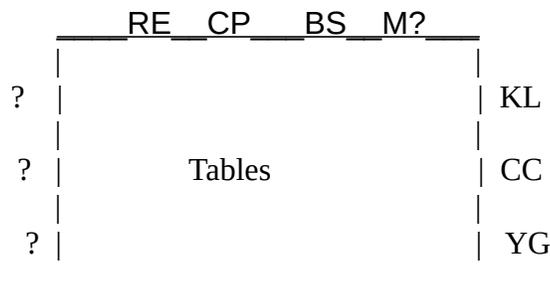
**Eau Claire County
Board Room
30 OCT 03**

RE = Randy Etten (Eau Claire County Human Services)

CP =Cindy L. Puetz (Lakeside Nursing & Rehab)

BS = Barbra Shafer (ARC Eau Claire)

M? = Mari (ARC Eau Claire, Tina's new guardian)



Tina
Hayden
(in locked wheelchair)

| <- Door to hallway, with a window in it

KL = Kathleen Leonard (Eau Claire Human Svices)
(Tina's old caseworker)

CC = Carlyn Conway (UCP Adult Services Coordinator)

YG = an unknown young girl in a white blouse

??? = Three or four unknown people

On the 30 OCT 03, Thursday, Tina Lynn Hayden was to go to her Guardianship hearing at Eau Claire County Courthouse, 9:30am in front of Judge Eric Wahl, Circuit Branch 2. Before it started, her state assigned attorney, Roger Hillestad talked to her about 5 minutes. I tried to tell Mr. Hillestad that I was Tina's advocate, but was ignored. (The attorneys at the Free Legal Clinic told me that I could approach Mr. Hillestad about Tina.) The court reporter took everyone's names, and why they were there, as it was a closed hearing. I told her that I was a United Cerebral Palsy Community volunteer and Tina's advocate and friend giving Tina moral support. They let me attend the hearing. Inside the hearing, the reporter told the Judge who was attending, and what their business was to attend. When the reporter said that I was a United Cerebral Palsy Community volunteer and an advocate for Tina, Carlyn Conway jumped up and disowned me by saying that I had noting to do with the United Crebral Palsy in Tina's behalf, and that they

didn't consider me her advocate. (Carlyn said this in a very loud, belittling tone of voice.) Carlyn Conway was sitting near Kathleen Leonard (who was one of the petitioners in removing Tina's self-guardianship, along with all of Tina's family).

I couldn't understand what was being said, it went so fast, and they were not talking very loud. The judge asked Tina a question, and Tina said "Yes" .. but I don't know what the question was. The judge banged his hammer, got up, and left the bench to go to his chambers. Just as the judge was about to enter his chambers, Kathleen Leonard ran up to the left of Tina (in her wheelchair) and started yapping harshly into Tina's ear. Tina started to cry and move angrily. Then they turned Tina around, and then Carlyn Conway had to say something to Tina, who got more upset.

(It was then, that I realised that Tina had been betrayed by the attorneys, and UCP.)

Almost everyone then went to the County Board room (second floor). They would not let me attend, so I sat outside on one of the hallway benches between the two hallways. After a few minutes, I heard a screaming noise, but couldn't figure out where it was coming from. I walked from one end of the crosscut between the hallways to the other, but couldn't see anything. This went on for about five minutes. I finally walked by the door to the County Board room, and looked in the window, and saw Tina Hayden screaming at the top of her lungs, in her locked wheelchair, red-faced, and very angry. NOBODY was anywhere near her, she was all alone at one side of the tables. Tina was throwing her arms and legs and knees above her head, and rocking her locked wheelchair around. NOBODY was near her in case she hurt herself, or tipped over the wheelchair.

EVERYONE else in that room was laughing at Tina Hayden. And laughing hard, they were jabbing each other in the side whenever Tina's chair would bounce a lot. Carlyn Conway and Kathleen Leonard were sitting across the room from the door. They were jabbing each other at Tina's cries. ALL of them would say something to set Tina off again when Tina would start to settle down. I watched that for almost two minutes (I was timing it), and they were ALL so intent on Tina, that NOBODY saw me looking in the window. They ALL were humiliating and mocking Tina Lynn Hayden, and enjoying her misery. The ARC people weren't even trying to console Tina. Some way for a new guardian to treat a new ward.

Eventually they removed Tina and called me into the room. They told me that they were going to destroy Tina for trying to expose them. (That was their word: destroy) They said that they were going to destroy all the friendships that Tina had to help her.

I told them that they were very cruel.

They laughed and said that they could do anything to anybody, because nobody would believe my word against their word.

I feel very scared for Tina Lynn Hayden.