

RECOVERY COMMUNITY COALITION

REGULAR MEETING

SEPTEMBER 24, 2019

On Monday, September 23, 2019, the regular meeting of the members of the Recovery Community Coalition was called to order at 4:15 p.m. by Dale Trees, upstairs at City Hall, at 701 Main Street, Kerrville, Texas.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Dale Trees

Dr. Kendall Young

Rick Stolpman

Sabine Kuenzel

Randie Benno

Steve Pautler

Leigh Ann Fitzpatrick

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Blair Gesler

Claudia Richner

Dawn Elder

Laura Godwin

Kara Grant

Brian Brannan

Shawn Driggers

CITY EXECUTIVE STAFF PRESENT:

Chief Dannie Smith, Kerrville Fire Department

VISITORS PRESENT:

Delayne Sigerman, City Council

Jeff Elliott, Director, Hill Country Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse

1. APPROVE MINUTES:

1A. Approval of Minutes of August 26, 2019 meeting. The minutes were approved by the Coalition unanimously.

2. RECOGNIZE MEMBERS, PARTNERS, GUESTS:

2A. Jeff Elliott, Director of HCCADA, Councilman Sigerman

3. RECOVERY MONTH PROCLAMATION

3A. Everyone is invited to attend and show your support of the Recovery Month Proclamation. "Join the Voices for Recovery: Together We Are Stronger"

4. BOARD MEMBER OPEN DISCUSSION OF EVENTS

4A. Fun Sober Pop-Up Socials- put information out on social media and promote a get together after business hours.

4B. Holiday Lighted Parade- We would like to participate in this year's lighted parade.

4C. Support Mental Health Awareness Month, October 2019- Promote awareness with a proclamation. Partner with Kerrville State Hospital in some capacity to raise awareness. KSH holds an event with their residents that Leigh Ann shared with the group.

4D. TAASA- Texas Association Against Sexual Abuse - Additional training offered on Friday, Sept. 27th from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the Blue Sage in Ingram.

5. COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH COALITION

5A. Introduction of New Coalition and the intended purpose of the group.

5B. Coordination and Supportive Efforts- Oftentimes, the hospital is the place that many individuals with mental health land when they are stuck between service industries. It is an opportunity to create options for treatment to assist individuals quickly and effectively.

6. COMMUNITIES PROJECT UPDATE

6A. Tivy High School- Doug Bopst Guest Speaker Event of Sept. 27th, 2019- The following businesses and individuals were generous donors of the event: Starlite, La Hacienda, Mike and M'lissa Hayes, Dr. Tyson Hale, Anonymous donor, and Calvary Temple Church.

6B. Community Survey Update- Received survey responses at the event and the new data will be sent out through Chief Smith's office.

6C. Overdose Awareness August 31, 2019 Event Follow Up- Many thanks to everyone who assisted in the event and to the Fire Dept. for providing the Truck and Ladder.

7. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA

7A. Private Foundation Grant Funding

8. CONFIRM NEXT MEETING DATE AND TIME

8A. Next meeting is October 28, 2019 in the upstairs meeting.

ADJOURNMENT.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:33 p.m.

DATE APPROVED: 11/25/2019

Dale Trees, Chairperson

ATTEST:

Dawn Casferwood