

Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition of Warren County

Meeting Minutes

Thursday, May 5, 2022

Zoom Conference Call Meeting

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

In attendance: Shelley Brown, Kim Dooley, Brandon Stuhlemmer, Maria Sulcer, Robert Wendling, Kim Sellers, Zach McDaniel, Sarah Cox, Samantha Gray, Matt McLaughlin, Tanya Cornett, Michelle Robinette, Wynnette Boykin, Steve Brady, Valerie Chiefari, Keenya Murray, Amy Ciarlo, Tracy Funke

Meeting called to order: 9:00 AM

I. Welcome/introductions – Kim Dooley; Shelley Brown. Kim had coalition members each introduce themselves and tell what agency or program they are with. Shelley introduced herself and told about her history of employment and her involvement in the Coalition over the years. She did an activity with the members regarding their role in SAPC. The activity was called What is your role on the Bus? She provided her contact information to the group and encouraged them to reach out to her. Shelley asked the group to type in the chat box or verbalize aloud what comes to mind when think about their role on the bus . Discussion was held on the responses. Kim reported that she will be staying on as the Project Director for the grant and will be training Shelley as her role is transitioned over.

II. Coalition Insights – Kim Dooley– Provided opportunity to review April meeting minutes – No changes or corrections were noted. Introduced and provided overview of executive committee members. Discussed the financial report, reviewing the previous month’s coalition expenses. Kim reviewed the DFC grant key focus areas. She noted that September 30, 2022 begins year 4 of the grant. Shelley covered information on recent events: Drug Take Back Day that was on April 30th and the Ohio Means Job Fair on April 8th.

III. Tobacco Prevention Committee – Shelley Brown and Steve Brady – Amy Ciarlo has taken another position and will no longer be able to fulfill her chair position of the committee. Shelley Brown informed the coalition that the WC Health Dept has hired a person to take Amy’s role as Tobacco Prevention Specialist and that person will become the Chair of the Tobacco Prevention Committee. Steve Brady reported that students from Mason have committed to working with the committee on TRL advocacy as part of an internship program. Shelley is working on securing Tobacco Free Campus signs that can be given to schools, businesses, etc. as part of environmental strategies for the DFC grant. If any partners are interested in a sign please let Shelley know. The next meeting for the committee is May 27, 2022 @ 9:30 am via Zoom.

IV. Action Planning Committee – Kim Dooley– Kim reported that the FB campaign with Deciding Factor is going well, and that the coalition will be doing billboards again with Lamar Advertising using the TTHY campaign message along with movie theatre ads with NCM. We are also exploring a radio commercial campaign using the TTHY messaging. The next meeting for the committee will be May 23, 2022 @ 1:30 pm via Zoom.

V. Teen Alliance Council Updates – Roy Lutz – Steve Brady gave a short update of Teen Alliance Council efforts in place of Megan and Roy. Updates involved the Mason High School students interest in the TRL Advocacy.

VI. Executive Committee Updates – Kim Dooley – Amy Ciarlo has taken a new position; but has agreed to continue working in the Secretary role until the end of her term. There will be nominations coming up for the positions of Chair and Secretary. Elections will be held in June.

VII. Nominations for Chair and Secretary-time was dedicated for coalition members to nominate for the positions of Chair and Secretary. Shelley will contact all of those nominated within 3 business days of the nomination.

VII. Training updates: OPPA Conference May 3-5. OPEC Training May 20. Touch a Truck June 11th. Talbert House Friday Kickoff “Be One of Us” June 17th. Get Hooked on Fishing, Not Drugs June 25th.

VIII. Presenter-Zach Mcdaniel with Talbert House Prevention Services. Zach presented on the Be One Of Us initiatives that Talbert House Prevention Services is doing.

Closing: Around the room –Click It or Ticket “Quick Click Challenge” event is coming up. The date is yet to be determined. Teams of 4 will compete to see who can enter a vehicle and get their seatbelt on the fastest.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 am.

The next SAPC meeting is Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 9:00 In Person/Hybrid TBD