



DWI PLANNING COUNCIL MEETING
Wellness Center
June 13, 2018
12:05 pm

EXECUTIVE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Robert Mundy	John Chavez	Ragon Espinoza
Carol Claus	Ryan Gray	Cruz Munoz
Calvin Lucero	Savannah Brandenburg-Koch	Bryan Byrd
Bart Regelbrugge		

EXECUTIVE MEMBERS ABSENT:

Jesus Garay	Joshua Baca	
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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP:

Jessica Sanchez	Lydia Duarte	Diana Good
Therese Jiron	Burlinda Jaramillo	Charlene Gabaldon
Chad Whitson	Esther Padilla	Amanda Jiron
Sebastian Chavez	Reyes Delacruz	Charlie Files
Nathanial Blanton	Joann Sanchez	Ginny Adame
Jack Siamu	Violeta Lopez-Unizueta	Andrea Grossetete
Lori Kurtz		

President, The Very Reverend Robert Mundy, opened meeting at 12:05pm;
 Self-introductions.

Review and approval of agenda. Motion to approve agenda by John Chavez; 2nd by Bart Regelbrugge; All in favor. Approved.
 Review and approval of March 21, 2018 minutes. Motion to approve minutes by John Chavez; 2nd by Carol Claus; All in favor. Approved.

New Business:

Update on FY2019 Budget – by Ginny Adame:

- Ms. Ginny provided an update for fiscal year 2019 that includes funding for the return of the Enforcement component as well as the continuation of all current components (Prevention, Compliance Monitoring, Treatment, Coordination/Planning/Evaluation and self-funded Screening);
- Judge John Chavez advised that he would be willing to send out an invitation to our Legislators (both elected and those running) inviting them to our next Planning Council meeting in September.

Presentation on Evidence-Based Prevention – by Ginny Adame:

- A Power-Point presentation was provided by Ms. Ginny that included ‘evidence-based’ prevention as a science and its national recognition;
- There are currently 30 credentialed Prevention Specialists in the State of New Mexico. There are also six (6) Senior Certified Prevention Specialists. Through the International Certification & Reciprocity Consortium (IC&RC), Certified Prevention Specialists can be utilized in other states and countries that recognize the IC&RC Board;
- There is an ethical code of conduct that must be followed;
- A strategic plan is beneficial and evaluation is a very important part of that strategic plan;
- Prevention is impacted by public policy (i.e. when alcohol outlets are brought into the community, etc.);
- Research documents were provided to the board (Communities that Care and 40 Developmental Assets);
- Power-Point presentation and handouts will be emailed to the board.

On-Going Business:

YDI/Teen Court/Youth Coalition Update – by Mr. Cruz Munoz:

- Teen Court received five (5) new cases (all for possession of THC), bringing the FY18 caseload to 31;
- YDI has been approved for three (3) TOP clubs and they are actively recruiting 75 youth in all areas of the County;
- Mr. Jack Siamu with YDI shared information relative to the Farming Program, made possible through a grant with USDA and working in conjunction with the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District (MRGCD), which allows for a community garden to be established where individuals can learn to grow fruits and vegetables within their own plot of the garden and possibly begin a small business of selling their products. There are 12 individuals (9 youth and 3 adults) hired through this grant.

Drug Court – By Mr. Ragon Espinoza:

- Drug Court had four (4) individuals graduate since the last meeting and four (4) new participants entered the program;
- Mr. Espinoza shared that he and other members of the Drug Court panel attended the National Conference in Houston, TX;
- The Valencia County Magistrate Drug Court is the first to be certified in the State of New Mexico;
- Mr. Espinoza explained that participants of Drug Court are not allowed to utilize their medical cannabis card while on the program because marijuana is not federally approved; however, those persons on a methadone or suboxone program may continue with that treatment.

District Attorney's Office – By Ms. Savannah Brandenburg-Koch:

- The newest Assistant District Attorney, Reyes Delacruz, was introduced. He covers misdemeanor DWIs in both Magistrate Court locations at this time;
- April and May showed an increase in the conviction rate.

Prevention/Enforcement – By Ms. Ginny Adame:

- Updates covered above.

Compliance – By Ms. Lori Kurtz:

- The Quarterly Compliance meeting was held prior to DWI Planning Council meeting. Discussed J and S clarifications (i.e. recommended assessments, etc.), access to Odyssey, setting up a meeting between APPO, Judges, Court staff and Compliance staff to review the MOU in place between APPO and the Magistrate Courts regarding referrals of misdemeanor cases and shared information discussed at the quarterly Compliance Ad-Hoc Committee meeting held in Sandoval County;
- The application for accreditation of our Misdemeanor Compliance Monitoring Program will be completed and submitted prior to the close of the fiscal year.

Alternative Sentencing/RMOMS – By Ms. Lydia Duarte:

- All going well;
- Currently there are 134 cases for UA/Day Reporting.

Treatment – by Ms. Angela Ramirez:

- Evening groups have been restructured and will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, with more individual sessions taking place;
- 20 new cases referred. Four (4) successful completions. Seven (7) non-compliant;
- Ms. Angela and Ms. Joann Cordova-Sanchez attend MRT training (DV and trauma) hosted by the Sandoval County DWI Program.

Open Discussion/Topics for Next Meeting:

- Ms. Diana Good with the Department of Health shared that her upcoming Mental Health First Aid class is full. She also provided information relative to the harm reduction service that is provided on the first Friday of each month. She also shared that clinics provide confidential services to youth ages 14 and older;
- Mr. Bart Regelbrugge talked about the importance of food and how it connects to behavior. A handout 'Food & Behavior' was shared;
- Ms. Andrea Grossetete with Mothers Against Drunk Driving (madd) introduced herself and is excited to be back with madd and a part of the Planning Council. She looks forward to working with community partners.

The Very Reverend Mundy called for a motion to adjourn. Motion by Judge Chavez; No objections, meeting adjourned.

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Reviewed and Approved By DWI Planning Council:

Dated: _____
