

# Substance Abuse Council of Vanderburgh County

Minutes

May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Central Library Browning Room

1:30-2:30p

## Attendees:

Laura Hatfield	Beth Greenwell	Emily Woodruff	William Barnes	Crystal Sisson
Stephanie Terry	Jennifer Hargus	James Akin	Donna Lilly	Ron McDonald
Larry Paul	Robert Helfrich	Julie Philips	Ramona Gilmore	Wes Alexander
Heather Woods	Amy Miller	Jamie Watts	Kim Ashby	Casey Williams
Lisa Withrow	Eliot Colin	Chelsi Grove	Wanda McCarter	Kelly Scroggins
Gail Knight Williams				

The meeting was opened at 1:30 by Ron.

Minutes were reviewed. Kim made a motion to approve minutes with the additions of Kelly Scroggins, Eliot Colin, and Chelsi Grove to the attendees. Crystal seconded the motion. Motion carried.

## Announcements

The next SAC People in the Know workshop will be held on Thursday, May 31<sup>st</sup> in the Browning Room of Central Library. Discussions will be held on drug trends in the Evansville area and drug paths into the area. Signs of teenage drug use will also be discussed. Dinner and CEU's will be provided free with registration through the SAC office by May 25<sup>th</sup>.

cMoe will be hosting an adult night called "Way Late Play Date". Adults will be able to spend a few hours away from the house on May 19<sup>th</sup> from 8p-12a. A band and comedian will be in attendance for entertainment. Contact reception at cMoe for more information.

Boom Squad, Inc. will be hosting an Extravaganza Showcase on June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Bosse High School. Five different drum lines will be competing from Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, and other surrounding states. Funds raised will benefit BSI.

IADS will be held at USI this year on May 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. Contact USI for more information and registration.

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## Committee Reports

Prevention: Committee finalized last minute details about May 31<sup>st</sup> PIK. A discussion was held about possible topics for the next PIK. Substance Abuse and military was brought up as well as the relation of substance abuse and homelessness. Committee also discussed how to keep prescription medications safe inside your home when open to public, i.e. when selling a home.

Treatment: Speakers were discussed for Faces of Change 2012. The interventionist discussed at last month's meeting does not seem to be an appropriate fit for our area. Speaker fees and expenses were compared from speaker to speaker. Sponsorships were discussed and a possible medication sponsor was discussed. Next month, TX committee will discuss information researched and lay down a keynote speaker.

Law Enforcement: Countermeasure fees for April \$19,231.00. Excise Police worked the Godsmack and Stained concert at the Ford Center. A few fights and many arrests were made. This coming Friday, the Ford Center will be hosting the Hank Jr. concert. The Indiana State Police have already been called for back-up to assist with drunk drivers. ISP assisted VCSO in DUI checkpoint on 4/27; 1 DUI arrest was made. ISP will be leading a June DUI checkpoint as part of Operation Pull Over. ISP worked 8 crashes involving alcohol, illegal and prescription drugs in April. 2 of those had injuries, 3 people were injured. 10 DUI arrests were made and 7 minor consumption arrests by ISP. EPD and VCSO stats are not available.

### **Project Updates/Discussion**

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### **Old Business**

Mini grant applications are available on the Substance Abuse Council's website at [www.drugfreecounty.org](http://www.drugfreecounty.org). \$705.05 is available for Law Enforcement, \$2,625.82 is available for Prevention, and \$17,586.00 is available for Treatment. All problem statements and funding priorities are listed on the website. If there are any questions, please call Laura at the SAC office at 422.0626. Applications are due back no later than Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at noon.

### **New Business**

Please note that due to a library scheduled event in the Browning Room June 4<sup>th</sup>, the next Council meeting will take place on the **Tuesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>**. We will meet in the same location and time, just different day.

Next month we will be handing out 6 month financial reporting forms and 6 month site visit reporting forms. Each agency awarded grant funding in 2012 is REQUIRED to complete each. If you will not be able to attend the June Council meeting, please contact Laura to secure a site visit agency and 6 month financial reporting forms.

### **Future Council and Committee Meetings- June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Prevention	12:45
Law Enforcement	1:10
General Council	1:30
Treatment	2:30

Executive Committee (5/21) 12:00p in the Conference Rm. at 501 John St.

Meeting adjourned at 2:15p.