



Woodford County ASAP Board Meeting Minutes
 EMS Conference Room, Big Sink Road
 Tuesday, March 21, 2023

Permanent Voting Members	Non-Permanent Voting Members	Non-Voting Members / Guests
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WCHS Family Resource Center & Youth Service Center Coordinator, Jasmine Hazelwood • Service Region Administrator of the Cabinet for Families and Children, Department of Community Based Services, DCBS, Julie Snawder • Woodford County Health Department Director, Cassie Prather • Superintendent of Woodford County designee, Jill Hargiss • Executive Director of Comprehensive Care, New Vista, Shawn Freeman <p>Absent:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • County Judge Executive, James Kay 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMS Director and Mental Health Commissioner, Freeman Bailey, Chair • Woodford County Health Department Grants & Data Manager, Robin Miller, Vice-Chair • County Attorney, Alan George • M & M Director & Versailles City Council, Lisa Johnson • WC Casa Coordinator, Jeanne Box • Woodford County Health Department Grants Manager, Robin Miller • Serenitee at its Best, Stephanie M. Raglin <p>Absent:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VPD Assistant Chief of Police, Rob Young • WC Sheriff's Department, Jimmy Fugate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASAP Coordinator, Nancy Blackford • Woodford County Magistrate, Larry Blackford • WCHD Harm Reduction, Rolgard Casimir • Isaiah House, Ariel Smith • WCHD Intern, Savannah Hobbs • Wildside Winery, Elisha Holt • Versailles Police Department, Ellie Castle • Brightview Community Outreach Manager, Shannon Gordon • The Ridge, Brittany Riggins • Beth Thompson-Mooney • Strengthening Transformations, Brittany Campbell • Woodford County Health Department Clinic Manager, Kelly Simpson • Woodford County Drug Court, Dewana McLean • Woodford County Drug Court, Evanne Cornette • New Vista, Samantha Payne • Volunteers of America Recovery Ready Communities, Dallas Hurley

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 am by Chair, Freeman Bailey.

Membership reviewed the minutes.

Cassie Prather made a motion to accept the minutes for the January 17, 2023 meeting.

Lisa Johnson seconded.

The motion passed. Minutes will be filed as presented.

Introductions of Attendees

Presentations

Senior Project Director, Recovery Ready Communities, Volunteers of America Dallas Hurley

Dallas Hurley is the Senior Project Director for Recovery Ready Communities at Volunteers of America. House Bill 7, passed during the 2021 legislative session, established a framework for communities to become “Recovery Ready,” bringing much-needed consistency to local substance use prevention, treatment, and recovery efforts. The mission of the council is to increase recovery-oriented systems of care, and communities are encouraged to submit applications to receive certification. After the initial application is submitted, the council will validate the application and then schedule a site visit to review the strategies being utilized to prevent substance use. For counties who lack local resources, they can still qualify if they are making referrals to resources in neighboring counties. While MOU agreements are not a requirement of the certification, it would assist the advisory committee in the validation process. Site visits will also evaluate whether referrals to services in neighboring counties are meaningful. There is currently no financial incentive for certification, but Executive Director Ingram is collaborating with folks in Economic Development to establish a point system for rewarding Recovery Ready Communities. Ideally, the wait time from application to site visit is about one month.

Planet Youth Update

Lisa Johnson

Ms. Johnson thanked the community partners responsible for moving the Planet Youth implementation forward: Robin Miller for her role writing the DFC grant, Jasmine Hazelwood and Mallory White for their roles in helping notify parents and work with school staff to administer the survey, and Amy Oates for her role in coordinating district level efforts with the individual school staff and for attending weekly meetings with Planet Youth. Ms. Johnson reported that the survey had been administered to Woodford County Middle School students as well as students at Safe Harbor with an 86% success rate. The survey administration at Woodford County High School was postponed due to inclement weather. Ms. Johnson provided an update on the Planet Youth training session and invited everyone to attend on Tuesday, April 18, in the training room at the Versailles Police Department from 8:30 am to 10:30 am. Ms. Johnson also encouraged all those in attendance to join the Just Say Yes steering committee. She concluded with an announcement about future steering committee meeting dates (tentative):

Follow Up Meeting May 16, 2023

Dissemination of Data June 16, 2023

Putting Plans Into Action June 20, 2023

Budget Update

Nancy Blackford

Ms. Blackford encouraged those in attendance to review the budget attachments included with the agenda and responded to a question regarding the protocols for ensuring that mini-grants funds were used by grantees as intended, "These mini grants funds are dispersed as reimbursements, so no monies are provided until receipts are submitted".

Stephanie Raglin made a motion to accept 2023-2024 ASAP & Harm Reductions Grants Budgets.

Lisa Johnson seconded.

The motion passed.

Announcements

Stephanie Raglin: Recovery Fest will take place on April 29, 2023 from 12 to 4 pm. 200 participants are expected.

Rolgard Casimir: Free HIV tests are available every second Tuesday by the Woodford County Health Department's Harm Reduction Agency.

Brittany Riggins: The Ridge will be honoring Social Workers. More details to be announced.

Ariel Smith: Isaiah House in Versailles is undergoing renovations and will be closed temporarily. All residents have been placed at other facilities. Also, Isaiah House will be opening an additional facility in Scott County.

Ellie Castle: Thank you to ASAP for the mini-grant. The Versailles Police Department is really excited to engage youth and build bridges into communities throughout Woodford County.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:24 am.