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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2023, 9:30 A.M.

WYANDOT COUNTY EMS BUILDING

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FCFC FULL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

**1. CALL TO ORDER OF THE WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2023, FCFC FULL COUNCIL MEETING BY:
SCOTT MOORE, VICE-CHAIR**

2. INTRODUCTION OF MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

Council Members in Attendance: Todd Dilley, Scott Moore, Kelli Owens, Amanda Compton, Amiee Nye, Audra Newland, Brad Batton, Megan Rowe, Norma Williams, Elyssa Hays, Pam Morral, Denise DeLucio, Eric Landversicht and Steve Kozel.

Council Members Not in Attendance: Jason Fagan, Linda Stansbery, and Chanda Groves.

Council Employees in Attendance: Greg Parker, Kristi Swartz, Justin Swartz, and Vanessa Krizek.

Guests: Jen Launder, Krystina Auble, Yajaira Ayala, Anna Gibson, Anastasia Lacure Willey, Jamie Klear, Erin Simmons, Alisha Turner, and via Zoom, Nadine Thompson.

3. APPROVAL OF FCFC CONSENT AGENDA

FCFC Full Council Meeting Minutes – August 9, 2023

Executive Committee Minutes – September 13, 2023 & September 27, 2023

Financial Reports for August 2022 and September 2023

Motion to Approve the Consent Agenda and Minutes: Brad Batton; 2nd: Megan Rowe

All Ayes approve the Consent Agenda and Supporting Documentation.

4. FCFC Reporting –

a. Early Intervention - Kristi Swartz

Currently there are 17 active cases in Early Intervention. Received 6 new referrals, 1 from a doctor, 2 from CPS, and 3 from parents.

b. Prevention Report – Justin Swartz

Ram Squad lunch mentoring at Union Middle School has started and meets two times a month on the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at Union Middle School during the lunch hour. Looking for 4-6 volunteers per lunch. USS Impact after-school programming at South School is starting at the end of October which was reduced to one day a week this year due to attendance.

Hub Klub meets at the HUB 1 day a week on Mondays from 3:00-3:30pm teaching life skills to kids. If anyone has a life skill they would like to teach, like how to tie a tie, kids have also asked about learning to sew, checking tire pressures, tie blankets and more. Looking for volunteers.

S.A.W.Y.E.R (Seneca and Wyandot Youth Empowerment Retreat) Youth Summit is scheduled for November 7th at Grace Community Church in Tiffin this year. It's for High School aged students and they will need to get signed up to attend. There's room for 100 students, lunch will be provided and there are several exciting speakers lined up.

Drug Takeback Day is October 28th, we'll be set up on the Courthouse lawn collecting medications. During Overdose Awareness Day we purchased 110 medication lockboxes and handed out over 100 Detera bags.

At the Fair we collected over 300 Drug Free Pledge cards we traded for bucket hats on Friday. We'll be looking at a similar campaign next year since this went so well.

Prevention Coalition meets via Zoom on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 9:00am.

c. FCFC Service Coordination – Greg Parker

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FCFC Service Coordination currently has 8 families with 14 children. We received 3 new referrals in October.

The EI corrective action plan has completed the first goal to set up proper supervision. Lori Stidham with Marion County is performing the supervision and is working to bring Kim Pachis at NCOESC up to speed to take over supervision. They've identified work responsibilities to improve processes to improve the plans.

5. Community Reports

- a. **Mental Health and Recovery Services Board** – Elyssa Hays
Suicide and death reports are available now. Both Overdose and Suicide deaths have gone down in Wyandot County. The full report is available on the board's website.
A new Fostoria recovery home will be available early next year.
- b. **Job & Family Services & Children's Services** – Megan Rowe
The Tri-County Treatment Foster program is working to add Ottawa County to the program. Currently have 7 licensed homes and 5 pending. Will be hiring another worker because the home limited has been exceeded.
- c. **Health Department** –
Anna Gibson – Flu shots are available, new COVID shots are not yet available. Flu shots are available on Walk-in Wednesday from 9-4. Area Agency on Aging is offering \$50 gift cards to anyone who gets vaccinated.
Naloxone is available to anyone interested.
November 2nd from 9am-2pm the Health Department is hosting a Fall Coffee Chat to provide information about all the programs available. Coffee and donuts will be provided.
Krystina Auble – 317 enrolled in WIC
WIC Fruits and Vegi amounts were scheduled to go down in October, however the government has changed the allotments to go back up in October & November.
Yajaira Ayala - HMG Home Visiting currently has 26 families and 27 children.
Upcoming events are at the pumpkin patch and several trunk or treat events.
- d. **Preschool Head Start** – Amiee Nye
Both classes are at full enrollment and have waiting lists.
- e. **Service Coordination Committee** -
Nothing new to report. Meets monthly via Zoom on the 2nd Thursday at 8:30am.
- f. **Other Community Reports**
None

6. Old Business

- a. **Review Shared Plan** – Greg Parker
OASCIS has been updated and is kept up to date monthly.
Greg is in the middle of in-depth Prevention training.
- b. **County Fair 2023** – Greg Parker
We want to thank everyone that volunteered and helped make the fair successful this year.

7. New Business –

- a. **Strong Families Safe Communities Grant Approval with Lucas County FCFC for \$50,000** – Greg Parker
As recommended by the Executive Committee September 13, 2023
Motion: Todd Dilley Second: Brad Batton; Motion Carries with All Ayes
- b. **SubGrant Contract Approval with ODJFS – G-2425-06-0328.**
SFY24/25 OCBF \$30,750/MSY Admin \$3,600/FCSS \$20,640 – Grant Total Each Year \$54,990.
As recommended by the Executive Committee September 13, 2023
Motion: Megan Rowe Second: Elyssa Hays; Motion Carries with All Ayes
- c. **Keeping Families Together (KFT) Grant Approval with DODD – SFY24 & 25 \$25,000 Each Year** – Greg Parker
As recommended by the Executive Committee September 27, 2023.
Motion: Eric Landversicht Second: Steve Kozel Motion Carries with All Ayes

d. 2023-2024 Partner Contribution Letters – Vanessa Krizek

Letters have been mailed out for this fiscal year's contributions.

8. Brief Announcements

a. Other Announcements or Business

- A. Todd Dilley, Wyandot County Board of DD – October is National Disability Employment Month. Partnership with Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities (OOD) for job coaching.
- B. Audra Newland, Turning Point – October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month; Volleyball Fundraising Tournament Saturday at 10:00am at Delaware Sand Bar.
- C. Scott Moore, Open Door – Renovations are almost done on the building. The New Day Café will have free coffee on Tuesdays and Thursday's. The Fred & Naomi Reed Education Center will be the location classes will be held and other meetings.

9. Adjournment –

Motion: Kelli Owens Second: Eric Landversicht Motion passed with all Ayes: Meeting Adjourned

NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED: December 13, 2023, at 9:30 A.M.