

Curry County Suicide Awareness and Prevention Council

January 6, 2021 Meeting Minutes

ATTENDANCE**Member**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Beth Barker-Hidalgo Substance abuse/recovery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Connie Hunter Veteran services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Emma Gorski Youth Ambassador
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Jordan White Public Safety	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Katrina Upton Tribal community Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kelly Schellong Media
	Pat Piper Lay member - Vice-Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tara Modugno Mental/Medical health - Secretary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tim Wilson Youth educator
					Court Boice BOC Liaison

Guests

<input type="checkbox"/>	Britt Ivy Boice	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Gordon Clay	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lana.McGregor
<input type="checkbox"/>	Michael Lancaster	<input type="checkbox"/>	Michelle Hanna	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nancy Torney
<input type="checkbox"/>	Randy Ullom	<input type="checkbox"/>	Samantha Birk	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sean Rucker
<input type="checkbox"/>	T King	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

Topic	Discussion/Information/Approval
5:30 pm	Call to Order - Zoom
1	Pledge of Allegiance
2	Welcome
3	Introductions: Roll Call was completed. Quorum met. (8 of 9 Present see-x above)
4	Approval of Agenda
5	Approval of Minutes - <u>7/1</u> , <u>8/5</u> , <u>12/2</u> Approved
	Citizens Input:
6	Report on September direct-mail and retail distribution program. The direct mail program hit businesses and households in the County the last week of September and I started the installation of the brochures in over 100 retail location in the County of the 122 available. The remainder were restaurants and other location that were either closed because of the Governor's order regarding the pandemic or are no longer in business. I added four new locations.
7	An electronic vote was taken following the December 2 meeting since we didn't have a quorum. The Council chose to reduce the number to 9 members, combining: substance abuse/recovery, veteran services, youth educator, youth ambassador, tribal community, media, one lay person and combining Law Enforcement, First Responder and Juvenile Programming into Public Safety and Behavioral and Physical health into one category.
8	Election of Officers: Chair: Katrina Upton; Vice-Chair: Pat Piper, Secretary; Open; Technician: Sean Rucker. Founding Director Emeritus: Gordon Clay. Note: There was no recording of any decisions at the the first meeting. since the video ended following the initial introductions.
9	Public Comment
10	Brief report on where the U.S., Oregon and Curry County stand. CDC reported suicide deaths dropped by 2.1% in 2019 compared with 2018, the first time since 2003. During that same period, according to OHA, suicides rates in Oregon went up 7.8%, the largest percentage gain since 2014. Preliminary data shows that suicide deaths did not continue to fall in 2020. While OHA hasn't published final figures for the 10-24 age group in 2018 or 2019, that age group took a 20% in 2018 from 2017. Report s indicate that there is a significant increase in drug overdoses which could impact suicide rate. - Gordon Clay
11	<p>Topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consensus decision making - general consensus to adopt the same process used in 2020 Decision on meeting dates/time/place - general consensus to adopt the same process used in 2020 Need to develop by-laws? Tim Wilson volunteered to prepare an initial bylaws. Creating stakeholder task groups for needs assessment/support/low hanging fruit: What should be investigated in your category? Discussion postponed. Let's talk - Lived experience and a monthly presentation to the Board of Commissioner's. Discussion to have a monthly awareness article/speech written and signed by all Council members.

No decision was made on who would write and/or present each article/speech. Deadline for the Insider is the 15th of the month proceeding the celebrated month.

12	Community Partner Updates
13	February February 3, 2021, 5:30 pm Sharp. Location depends of Covid-19 restrictions.
12	Next Meeting: February 3, 2021, 5:30 pm Sharp. Location depends of Covid-19 restrictions. Next steps to have for the meeting
14	Adjourn Meeting was called to an end at 7:30p
Katrina Upton - 1/15/21	
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