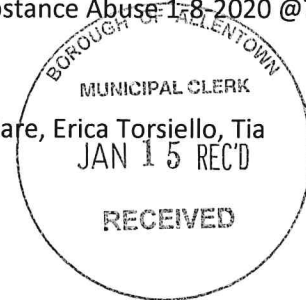


Minutes for Allentown-Upper Freehold Alliance for the Prevention of Substance Abuse 1-8-2020 @7pm

Location: Allentown Borough Hall

Members Present: Craig Moon, Kimberley Fisher, Sherry Wright, Bob O'Hare, Erica Torsiello, Tia McLaughlin, Debbie Minnick (coordinator)



1. Old Business

Deb reviewed with the committee the new five-year grant cycle. The grant submission is under review and will be revised as is necessary. Due to the budget cuts, we had to cut our Camp Fire NJ elementary school program. Camp Fire may be able to continue the program using their own funding.

2. New Business

- a. Election of Officers: Tia McLaughlin-Chairperson, Erica Torsiello-Vice Chair, Craig Moon-Secretary, Sherry Wright-Fund Raising Chairperson
- b. Membership Recruitment Plan: Tia will check as to whether we are able to recruit via the virtual backpack to student's parents. Erica will be creating a new flyer that can be posted in various locations in the community.
- c. Mother-Son Bonding Through Bowling Event: The event will be March 8th from 12pm-2pm at Hamilton Lanes. Volunteers for the event include Craig, Erica, Tia, Sherry, Kim, and Deb.
- d. Daddy-Daughter Dance: The event will be May 1st at the German- American Club. Due to Deb's impending surgery and subsequent recovery we will need to spread some of the required preparation and tasks around. Deb will bring some supplies to the February meeting so we may begin preparing the give-away bags.
- e. Alcohol/Heroin Program: All 7th grade classes at Stonebridge MS will begin this curriculum in February. Next year the program will substitute vaping into the agenda.
- f. UFRSD will be holding an event in March at the high school. Date and topic are to be determined. Erica will publicize this event on our Facebook page. Deb will look into putting the event on the websites of the Borough and Township.
- g. Dates for upcoming meetings in 2020 were determined to be: February 5th, March 11th, April 8th, May 13th, June 10th, September 9th, October 14th, November 18th, and January 13, 2021 (re-org). Venues will be determined after Deb checks the availability of rooms.
- h. Wellness Fair: A Wellness Fair was proposed utilizing various providers in the community. Kim will check with a contact in town to determine interest. The most likely timeframe would be sometime the week following Fall Festival.
- i. Craig will contact Bob at The Roost on dates for Bike Night and the Car Show. The committee determined that we would like to return to Wednesday nights for those events.

Adjournment at 8:15pm

Craig Moon

Secretary