



Minutes from April 24, 2017 meeting of the Barry County Substance Abuse Task Force

Meeting called to order at 9:04am. Minutes from the March 2017 and agenda were approved. Introductions were completed.

1. Updates:
 - A. Meth Updates:
 - i. Hastings Police Department recently responded to a component clean-up, and has been dealing with Ice. Adult Probation and Parole also has been hearing about Ice, as well as meth and PCP.
 - B. Legislative Updates:
 - i. A brief was provided and discussed; electronic copy will be emailed out with minutes.
 - C. Other Updates:
 - i. Hastings Skate Park is open and grilling continues on Wednesdays; the annual Graduation Party is planned for May 2017.
 - ii. Hastings High School is hosting a Mock Accident on Wednesday, April 26, 2017, 10-12 noon, at Hastings High School.
 - iii. Hastings Police Department will be involved in a fundraiser basketball game "COPS vs. Teachers" on Wednesday, April 26, 2017, 6 pm, at Hastings High School to raise funds for Helen DeVos Children's Hospital.
 - iv. Rose Barbour, a YLS member from Lakewood High School, received the Barry County United Way and Volunteer Center's Everyday Hero Award for Outstanding Youth Volunteer.
2. Steering Committee Report: Steering Committee met on April 20, 2017; Medicine collection and Medical Marijuana were the main topics for discussion.
3. Workgroup Reports:
 - A. Medicine Abuse Workgroup
 - i. DEA National Take Back Day has grown to include two locations for April 29, 2017, 10-2 pm.
 - a. Barry County Sheriff's Department
 - b. Hastings City Police, in partnership with Hastings Walgreens.
 - ii. Household Hazardous Waste Collection dates for 2017 are set:
 - a. Saturday, May 13, 2017
 - b. Saturday, September 23, 2017
 - B. Heroin Opioids Workgroup
 - i. Action Plan work is progressing
 - ii. Workgroup members will be presenting at the May Community Breakfast, Wednesday, May 17, 2017, 8-9 am, Hastings First United Methodist Church.
 - C. Community Survey Development Team
 - i. The 2017 Community Survey is ready for launch/distribution; the link to the survey is www.surveymonkey.com/r/SATF2017.
4. Old Business:
 - A. The SATF presented to the Barry County Board of Commissioners on April 11, 2017.
 - B. Julie Nakfoor Pratt and Liz Lenz attended the Public Hearing hosted by the Village of Middleville's Planning Commission on Thursday, April 20, 2017. The public hearing was in response to a request for permission for a Medical Marijuana grow operation and processing center. As Julie and others become aware of these public hearings or meetings, the SATF will contact other members. Julie requested that uniformed law enforcement also be present.

- C. Naloxone “Train the Trainer” training for law enforcement is scheduled for Friday, April 28, 2017, 8:30 am, at the Barry County Central Dispatch Training Center. Local law enforcement agencies are sending officers to become trainers.
- 5. New Business:
 - A. Upcoming Events:
 - i. Photovoice Exhibit, Hastings High School Mixed Media II students, at State Grounds Coffee Shop, Hastings, April 27, 2017-May 2017
 - ii. DEA National Take Back, Saturday, April 29 2017, 10-2 pm, BCSD and Hastings PD.
 - iii. Household Hazardous Waste Collection, Saturday, May 13, 2017, 9-1 pm, Barry County Fairgrounds, with a planning meeting scheduled for April 26, 2017.
 - iv. Understanding Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder and Prenatal Exposure to Opioids, June 1, 2017, register via Eventbrite at <https://prenatalexposure2017.eventbrite.com>
 - v. Medical Marihuana Learning Forum for elected officials/law enforcement, Wednesday, June 7, 2017, 3:30-5 pm, by invitation only
- 6. Next meeting Date: Next Meeting will be Monday, May 22, 2017, 9:00 am, Barry County Central Dispatch Training Center, 2600 Nashville Rd, Hastings, MI 49058.
- 7. Adjournment at 9:52 am.