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# **Call to order**

A meeting of Prosser Thrive Coalition membership was held on May 20, 2021 at 8:15 am via Zoom Meeting.

### Attendees

Haley Greene, Jani Andrews, Augustine Tovar, Steve Freng, Miriam Murillo, Jesalyn Cole, Elisa Riley, Heather Morse, Rachel Shaw, Dominic Garza, Erika Wassom, Rebekah Bestebruer, Eric Larez, Lupe Maldonado, R Aleman, Peggy Douglas, Brenda Barrios, William Waters, David Funk, Chris Cisneros

### **Current Business**

- 1. Approval of Minutes
  - a. Motion to approve April membership minutes without amendments
    - i. Motion made by Eric Larez, seconded by Heather Morse, unanimous approval
- 2. Treasurer's report Haley Greene
  - a. CPWI spending \$21,709.44, higher this month due to media expenses incurred in April.
    DFC \$6,425.51, HIDTA \$1,260.20 and Mental Health Promotion Grant \$3,336.80 normal expenses in these three categories
  - b. Introductions and sector updates
    - i. Rachel Shaw City Clerk
      - 1. Negotiating offsite locations to temporarily move city offices due to fire, hopefully counsel will resume in June.
    - ii. Eric Larez Director of Migrant/Bilingual Education
      - 1. 170 families come to meeting to discuss educational topics such as graduation requirements
      - 2. Request to add our resource page to the Migrant PAC collection
    - iii. Peggy Douglas School Board
      - 1. She has been newly elected to serve as school board chair for remainder of term
    - iv. Augustine Tovar Benton City Coalition "better Benton City" member
    - v. Heather Morse Psychiatric nurse practitioner from Prosser
      - 1. They have hired a new therapist to work with teens and kids
      - 2. Based out of Benton city clinic
      - 3. Looking to hire additional therapists

- 4. Mental health of students is improving since schools reopened
- vi. Jesalyn Cole HDPA
  - 1. Looking to put together list of contracts and references
- vii. Miriam Murillo Student Assistant Professional in Benton City
- viii. Dominic Garza Student Assistant Professional at PHS
  - 1. Suicide prevention screening tool incorporated in student ID to list resources for easy student access
- ix. R Aleman Catholic Charities housing sights in Prosser
  - 1. Working remotely but seeing residents in person currently
- x. Chris Cisneros Boys and Girls Club
  - 1. Club is at capacity as summer starts
  - 2. Pending info on expectations for summer requirements
  - 3. Sports camps will be available this summer
  - 4. No swimming clinics offered
- xi. Brenda Barrios Sunnyside United/Unidos
  - 1. This Friday they will be showing "Book of Life" as a drive in movie at Sunnyside High School and will host a pre-show about underage drinking prevention
  - 2. Internship opportunity for local teens to work for CPWI sites
    - a. Info at <u>https://inside.ewu.edu/ewahec/programs/students/prevention</u> -internship-for-summer-2021/
- xii. David Funk PHS assistant principal
  - 1. Truancy Board training went well

### Action Items

- 1. 2021/2022 CPWI Budget and Action Plan
  - a. Due to so many program cancellations last year, our budget for this year is very similar to last years budget
  - b. Reviewed action plan with membership
  - c. Reviewed CPWI budget as a membership with approximately \$130,000 in budgeted items
- 2. Motion to approve 2021/2022 CPWI Budget and Action Plan as proposed
  - a. Motion by Jani Andrews, seconded by Heather Morse, unanimous approval

# Northwest High Intensity Drug Trafficking - Dr. Steve Freng, Prevention Manager

1. Review of HIDTA inception and make-up

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2. Serve as central hub of information sharing for law enforcement sectors to make sure interdivision communication is clear

# Coalition updates

- 1. Events (Gateway, Hidden in Plain Sight, Hearts for Hope)
  - a. Jani Townhall subcommittee
    - i. Reviewed HIPS and Gateway subcommittee updates
  - b. Rebekah Bestebruer Hearts for Hope
    - i. Community walk and resource fair coming up
- 2. Key leader event
  - a. Taking place June 17<sup>th</sup> 12-1:30
    - i. Please invite key leaders from our community
  - b. Guiding Good choices

### Final Items and Meeting Close

- 1. Match Documents
- 2. Next meeting June 17, 2021 Key leader event

Meeting adjourned 9:30 am

Rachel Shaw, Chair

Attest:

Jani Andrews, Secretary