



## Franklin Together Reentry Coalition Meeting Minutes

Thursday, September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018

### Attendance

Sector Reps: Dr. Kim Eaton, Day Reporting Center (Co-Chair/At-Large)  
Carrie Gray, Franklin County Gov't (Co-Chair/Government)  
Craig Newcomer, Maranatha Ministries (Housing)  
Bill Bechtold, Franklin County Jail (Corrections)  
Dan Hoover, Adult Probation (Courts/Reentry)  
Sally Wadel, Salem UB Church (Faith-Based)  
Jon Raber, SCCAP Circles (Employment)  
Josh Wargo, UMC Rouzerville (Returning Citizen)  
Kelly Goshen, Keystone Health (Behavioral Health)  
Alaina Ingels, Franklin Together Reentry Coalition Coordinator

Partners:

Michelle Weller, Franklin County Jail (Case Review)	Stacy Yurko, Information & Referral (Outreach)
Amien Hodge, K2C/Out of School Youth	Earl Eby, Ranch/New Hope Shelter
Sheldon Schwartz, Community Advocate	Barbara Williams, Franklin County Literacy Council
Tom Daley, Corpus Christi Prison Ministry	Ashley Yinger, F/F MH/ID/EI
Fran Daley, Corpus Christi Prison Ministry	Robin Russell, Manpower
Denise Esser, Waynesboro Community Services	Shari Houdeshell, Esther House
Doug Wilburn, Adult Probation	Robin Harmon, Greater Chamber of Commerce
Rachel Sheaffer, PA Career Link	Jordan Herman, GEO Day Reporting Center
Melissa Mattson, SCCAP Homeless Assistance Program	Luray Schlager, Adult Probation
Mary Margaret Bittle, Celebrate Recovery	Ellen Ott, Adult Probation
Bill Burcher, Waynesboro New Hope Shelter	Matt Culler, PA Counseling
Melanie Batten, Mental Health Association	Glenda Helman, CJAB/Grants Mgmt
Carl Francisco, Express Employment	Marilyn Hutton, Community Member
Tracy Radtke, MH Housing	Jennifer Wenzel, Candleheart
Nancy Brechbill, BH Nurse, Community Member	Cori Seilhamer, MH Program Specialist

- I. Welcome & Introductions
- II. Coalition Actions
  - A. Review & Approval of Minutes – May Meeting
  - B. Review & Approval of Updated Documents: Coalition Involvement, By-Laws
  - C. Executive Leadership Elections: employment, faith-based, at-large
- III. Presentations
  - A. Returning Citizen Story: Josh Wargo
  - B. Franklin Together: Three Years as a Coalition: Kim Eaton, Task Force Chairs

- IV. Task Force Updates
  - A. Outreach
    - 1. Updates: Reentry Month Initiatives planning continuing for April 2019, reentry simulation planning, several requests to provide presentations about Franklin Together, a lot of great media coverage
    - 2. Next meeting October 4<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 am Day Reporting Center, 550 Loudon Street
  - B. Case Review
    - 1. Updates: Application must be completed and submitted for review prior to joining, rules reviewed and membership examined and expanded
    - 2. Next meeting: September 13<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 pm Franklin County Jail, Opportunity Avenue
  - C. Great Barrier Relief
    - 1. Updates: Focusing on Peer Mentoring Program, housing, employment and transportation
    - 2. Next Meeting: September 28<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am SCCAP, 533 S Main Street
- V. Announcements & Updates: Coalition Partners
  - A. Charla Plaines, Office of the Attorney General: Update on PA Reentry Council, next meeting is September 26<sup>th</sup> in Harrisburg, York is piloting a PennDOT driver's license program, PCCD has awarded 21 reentry grants and PA is currently up to 26 counties with reentry coalitions, coalition members are encouraged to participate in PARC subcommittees
  - B. Robin Harmon, Chamber Foundation: Bill Carnegie opportunity, \$99 on September 25<sup>th</sup>
  - C. Carl Francisco, Express Employment: provide an overview of services and expressed need to engage more business to participant as second chance employers
  - D. Bill Burcher, New Hope: Fundraising banquet coming up, please try to attend to support
  - E. Shelly Schwartz, Community Advocate: September is Recovery Month and Suicide Prevention Month, please support your local awareness initiatives
  - F. Kelly Goshen, Keystone Behavior Health: Recruited additional psychiatrists, still looking for more therapists and counselors, described new use of Transcranial Magnet Stimulation
  - G. Mary Margret Bittle, Celebrate Recovery: September 22 is the regional meeting for Celebrate Recovery, weekly meetings at Five Forks Church
  - H. Sally Wadel, Faith-Based: the Grief Share Program has been going very well with the women who participate at the Franklin County Jail, 19 women enrolled during this first pilot year
  - I. Melissa Mattson, SCCAP: SCCAPs fundraising banquet is September 18<sup>th</sup>
  - J. Stacy Yurko, Information and Referral: The fall Human Service Training Days is on October 16
  - K. Tim Hodge, KRA/K2C, Career Link Partner: looking to expand caseload of disengaged youth ages 16-24 to focus on job skills and placement, send him client referrals
- VI. Wrap-Up & Adjournment

**Next Meeting: Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018: 1:00-3:00 pm  
Franklin County Administrative Annex Building**

*Our mission is to develop strong collaborative community and professional partnerships that will empower and support formerly incarcerated individuals and their families to reduce recidivism and encourage them to become contributing members of the community.*