

## Healing Community Task Force Minutes July 18, 2017, 10 a.m.

The Task Force met at Solomon's Church with Jeffrey Diller, Peter Emig, and Yolanda Coy present. Kim Eaton and Don Waters emailed their absence due to other appointments.

The Training Group met and reviewed the training materials. At that point we did not have the revised statistics but we now have those. Pastor Diller will be contacting churches during July and August to see how best to get churches involved in training. The group will meet again on Tuesday, Sept 5, 3 p.m. at Zion Church to plan the next steps.

Mentoring: no report submitted. Dr. Leaman continues the men's mentoring program working with Candleheart. However, he will be on a mission trip for a month. He also met back in May with some women interested in beginning a mentoring program for women. But we have heard no further follow up from the women.

Returning Citizen/church connections: Don Waters and Dr. Leaman met with the jail chaplain and probation officer about ideas for how churches can connect directly to inmates leaving the jail to offer possibilities. It was a very positive meeting. Parties involved are researching details of the next steps.

Resource guide: Yolanda is looking for a computer savvy person to help formulate the information she has gathered. These are supplemental resources to the Franklin Together resource guide.

Re-entry Simulation. While our failure to make the simulation happen in April, we do not want to forget about this as a possibility in the future.

Next meeting is Tuesday, September 19, 10 a.m. at Zion Reformed Church, 259 S. Main St. (Note we are trying a location back in Chambersburg. Attendance in New Franklin has been low.)

Respectfully submitted  
Jeff Diller