



## Franklin Together Reentry Coalition Meeting Minutes

Thursday, September 7, 2017  
South Central Community Action Program

### Attendance

Officers: Kim Eaton, Day Reporting Center (Co-chair/at large)  
Kelly Goshen, Keystone Behavioral Health (Behavioral Health)  
Dan Hoover, Adult Probation (Courts/Reentry)  
Sally Wadel, Salem Church (Faith Based)  
Craig Newcomer, Maranatha Ministries, Inc. (Housing)  
Josh Wargo, Rouzerville UMC (Returning Citizen)

Speaker: Ali Washabaugh, Returning Citizen

Partners:

Steve Nevada, Asst. Administrator, County of Franklin	Melyssa Flud, Franklin County Jail
Doug Wilburn, Adult Probation	Robin Harmon, Greater Chamber of Commerce
Kayla Stoner, Adult Probation	Pam Mily, Adult Probation
Julia Lehman, Grants/CJAB	Luray Schlegel, Adult Probation
Sandy Thomas, Veterans Multi Service Center	Jennifer Wenzel, F/F MH/ID/EI
Earl Eby, Ranch/New Hope Shelter	Denise Esser, Waynesboro Community Services
Tammy Keener, Keystone HIV Program	Derek Maple, SCCAP CRS
Lou Cowles, Borough Council	Sheldon Schwartz, Community Advocate
Barbara Williams, Franklin County Literacy Council	Cori Seilhamer, F/F MH
Cindy Sullivan, WASD Board Member	Franklin Thomas, Franklin County Literacy Council
Melanie Batten, Mental Health Association	Bernadette Bowman, Esther House/New Hope
Booter Davenport, Concerned Citizens of Franklin County	Ann Spottswood, Summit Health
Jeff Diller, Franklin County Jail Ministry	Mark Singer, Court Administration
Ashley Yinger, F/F MH/ID	Karen Johnston, Healthy Communities Partnership
Jim Duffey, Franklin County Career Tech Center	Yarnell Gorba, PA Board Probation & Parole
Mary Bittle, Celebrate Recovery	Andrea Rose, The Record Herald

- I. Kim Eaton called the meeting to order at 1:00 pm.
  - A. An excerpt from Bryan Stevenson's book, Just Mercy was read aloud to the group.
  - B. Introductions were made around the room.
  - C. Rev. Diller opened the meeting with a prayer.
  
- II. The July meeting minutes were approved by consensus of the group.

### III. Presentations

- A. Returning Citizen Story – Ali Washabaugh
- B. Adult Probation Presentation
  - 1. Doug Wilburne, Deputy Chief of Adult Probation: Adult Probation Incarceration Data
  - 2. Dan Hoover, Chief of Adult Probation: Violation Matrix

### IV. Task Force Updates

#### A. Outreach

- 1. Updates: Kim Eaton stated Stacy Yurko will be the new chair of the Outreach Committee
  - a. Kim Eaton presented Franklin Together information at United Way Partners event.
  - b. A Reentry Simulation is planned for April Human Service Training Days.
  - c. A new table will be placed at the entrance of our meetings and our partners are invited to bring informational handouts to share at the table.
  - d. Join Information & Referral's newsletter mailings and remember to send pdfs of your important information to them.
  - e. A new membership orientation plan is being developed.
- 2. Next meeting: Thursday, October 5, 11:30am Day Reporting Center, 550 Loudon Street

#### B. Case Review

- 1. Updates: Kim Eaton provided a report on behalf of Michelle Weller.
  - a. To date 24 cases have been reviewed.
  - b. Of those, seven have returned to jail.
- 2. Next meeting: Thursday, October 5, 1:00pm Franklin County Jail, Opportunity Avenue

#### C. Healing Communities

- 1. Updates: Rev. Jeff Diller reported the group is currently revising training materials
  - a. Trainings will be held in November and February.
  - b. Additional information will follow.
- 2. Next meeting: Tuesday, September 19, 10:00am Zion Reformed Church, 275 S Main Street

#### D. Great Barrier Relief

- 1. Description of New Committee: Kelly Goshen & Jon Raber are co-chairing.
  - a. This committee will look past obstacles and identify solutions.
  - b. Various workgroups focused on specific issues will be created to address issues.
- 2. Membership recruiting and distribution of signup sheet.
- 3. First Meeting: Friday, September 22, 9:00am SCCAP, 533 S Main Street

### V. Announcements & Updates: Coalition Partners

- A. Esther House, a woman's recovery home, opened its doors in Waynesboro and is currently accepting women from the Franklin County Jail.
- B. New Hope Shelter is Hosting their 8<sup>th</sup> annual fundraising banquet on Thur, Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>.
- C. Noah's House, a men's recovery home, is hosting a meet and great on Sat, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- D. Mental Health Association is working on a reentry initiative and is pursuing a grant.

- E. Candleheart has lost transitional housing funds, but is boosting partnerships and fundraising efforts. Maranatha will be doing Rapid Rehousing.
- F. Keystone Health is recruiting any psychiatric staff and scheduling interviews.
- G. Keystone's HIV Program is working to remove barriers and stressing how important it is to get tested. If you'd like groups tested, they will travel to your location to do onsite testing.
- H. Celebrate Recovery meets at the Church of Good every Tuesday at Brownsmill Church in Fayetteville.

VI. Coalition Actions: Voting & Bylaws

- A. The Coalition approved the following officers up for reelection by consensus of the group.
  - i. Behavioral Health: currently filled by Kelly Goshen. She is eligible to serve another term and willing to serve.
  - ii. Courts/Reentry: currently filled by Dan Hoover. He is eligible to serve another term and willing to serve.
  - iii. New category, Returning Citizen: Josh Wargo has been nominated and is willing to serve.
  
- B. The Coalition approved the Bylaws by consensus of the group.

VII. Wrap-Up & Adjournment

**\*\*\*NEXT MEETING: CHANGE IN LOCATION\*\*\*  
Thursday, November 2, 2017, 1:00pm, Fellowship Hall, King Street Church  
56 N Second Street, Chambersburg, PA**