



LCC Meeting Minutes

Coalition Name and County	Partners for a Drug Free Cass County
Meeting Date and Time	12-9-2024 and 12-1
Meeting Location	Revolution and Zoom
Minutes Drafted Date	12-17

Attendees

Rick Hollering, Nikki Malott, John Rogers, Ed Schroder, Will Scott, Steven Snyder, Dave Wegner, Tom Keller, Jennifer Lombard (z), Veronica Osborn, Carol Smithley (z), Mike Osborn, Jaclyn Caplinger, Kacy Hopper, Rebekah Morgan (z), Tressie Hansen (z)

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)

Meeting Minutes

Welcome and Introductions

New Member: Tressie Hansen, introduced as the new co-coordinator for the SOFR team and a member of the Zero Suicide Taskforce.

Approval of Minutes

October Minutes: Due to no quorum at the last meeting, Tom motioned to accept the October minutes, and Rick seconded.

November Minutes: Will motioned to accept the November minutes, and John seconded.

Treasurer Report

Fiscal Year Update: January marks the start of the final quarter for this fiscal year. **Budget Changes:** Celebrate Recovery funds to be used by Women at the Well. Steve motioned to approve the budget change, Will seconded.

Training Budget: Snyder Counseling will not use \$325 allocated for training. **Financial Review:** Members are encouraged to review the financials, available online and in the meeting. Notify Nikki of any discrepancies. All submissions have been forwarded to the Auditor.

Red Ribbon Reflections

School Appreciation: Columbia School appreciated the Red Ribbon items from Stand UP Cass County.

Opioid Funds Application: Dave mentioned Nikki's idea to apply for Opioid Funds for events like Red Ribbon Week, potentially increasing funding for prevention

initiatives. Applications can be submitted for January 1 or July 1, due to Hilary. Discussion on whether LCC should apply.

Poster and Mural Updates: 2nd and 3rd place Red Ribbon contest winners have been chosen, and posters ordered. Nikki is working with Split Road on mural finalization and seeking additional sponsors.

Opioid Discussions

Grant Submission: Women at the Well may submit another grant application.

DFC Quarterly Feedback

Meeting Format: Majority favors the current format of having the DFC meeting first, followed by a brief LCC meeting. Steve expressed dissatisfaction with the format, while Rick found it convenient, emphasizing that it allows attendance at both meetings with minimal time commitment.

Other Discussions

Haitian Assimilation Services: Rick discussed ongoing parent group activities with the Haitian community, focusing on prevention and community integration, including driving and language skills. Surveys indicate strong parental interest in prevention activities.

Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn: John motioned to adjourn the meeting, and Will seconded.