



Vision Statement "A safe and healthy community"

MINUTES

Wednesday, March 11, 2020 • 10:30-noon
Renz Center • 2 American Way • Elgin IL 60120

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10:35: The president, Jack Wheatley, called the meeting to order. Self-introductions were done by all attendees. In attendance, we had the following individuals: Cristina Colunga (Parents), Keith Goins (Civic), Sherry Green (Civic), Marija Hegel (Government), Beverly Johnson (Other), Elisa Lara (Healthcare), Jack Wheatley (Faith-Based), Jessica Reed (Other), Mel Relier-Anderson (Government), Mark Whaley (Enforcement), Bob Whitt (Government), and Gil Feliciano (Staff).

10:45: Jack Wheatley asked members to review the minutes. Keith made a motion to approve February minutes. Marija seconded the motion. Vote was taken and motion passed.

10:50: Gil Feliciano shared that his full CADCA report will be postponed but he shared his DFC coordinator report. Highlights from his report include participating in the Ellis Middle School Knowledge is Power event, completing the progress report, and the REACH software that is used by the evaluators.

His report also included a robust discussion on inviting the youth to join the coalition. Ideas included collaborating with the school to host meetings at the school during lunch hours or collaborating with community groups, such as Renz's YES youth group. In addition, there was discussion on how events are tracked and if events done by the health department can count as action items. Gil said he would look into this.

11:30: The meeting was divided into action groups to discuss and work on completing the action items.

11:55: The action groups were called back to close the meeting. The floor was opened to the meeting attendees to share additional information.

12:00: Meeting was adjourned. Attendees completed their evaluations.

MISSION - Coalition for a Safe & Healthy Elgin:

To promote a safe and healthy community free of violence and substance abuse activity through education, prevention, and action.