

PEPSA
 Tuesday, February 2, 2016
 Minutes

Present:

Name	Agency Represented
Rachel Armstrong	Community Member/Volunteer
Elvonna Atkins	Life Treatment Center
LaChelle Barnett	Father's First
Sharon Burden	AARC
Jesse Carlton	Adult Probation
Kirstin Champer-Boyd	SJC Health Dept.
Amy Cressy	Prosecutor's office
Lisa Dixon	Oaklawn/ STAND
Erica Donohue	Community Member/Volunteer
Kristin Fee	Adult Probation
Richard Fox	Upper Room
Latonya Greene	Saint Joseph Health System
Andres Guljas	Victory Clinic/AIDS Assist
Patricia Hancock	Center for Positive Change
Michael Harris	AM/AA
Dorrine Henderson	SJC Bridges Out of Poverty
GlendaRae Hernandez	Community Member
Tarquetta Jones	Life Treatment Center
Anne Kellenberg	Family Justice Center
Ricardo Lottie	IMANI UNIDAD Inc.
Jane Miller	SJC Drug Court
Kayla Miller	SBPD
Sheri Miller Story	YWCA
Shelly Overgaard	YSB
Tara Paiano	Adult Probation/ Drug Court
Christine Pochert	SBCSC
Pastor Fred Preston	Family and Youth Outreach Services
Marcella Preston	Family and Youth Outreach Services
Denise Sellers	Hope Ministries
Robert E Smith	MLK Senior Men's Club
Debra Stanley	IMANI UNIDAD
Steve Toepp	Upper Room
Lauren Varga	Sen. Donnelly
Lani Vivirito	Center for the Homeless
Dave Wells	DIU
Amber Werner	SJC Bridges Out of Poverty
Eli Williams	GLBT Resource Center
Nate Wojtysiak	DIU
Stephanie Wolfe	AIDS Assist

Location: Zion United Church of Christ Education Building, 211 South St. Peter St.,
South Bend, IN 46617

Meeting Time: 3:00pm-4:00pm

- Welcome and Introductions
- Minutes from meeting on December 1, 2015 approved. (MSC)
- Treasurer's Report- No update.
- Executive Committee-
 - We are looking forward to hiring a paid coordinator in 2016.
 - Grant agreements and contracts with will be coming soon.
 - We will be discussing the need for filling chairs of committees.
- Committee Reports-
 - No new reports at this time.
 - Committees are encouraged to meet within the next month or so.
- Old Business-
 - Committee Chairs
- Bylaws Presentation-
 - Bob has reviewed the changes.
 - Bylaws meeting on Tuesday, March 1st at 3pm.
 - Vote will be in April PEPSA meeting.
 - If you need a copy of current bylaws, please email Sharon.
- New Business
 - Town Hall Meeting with AARC
 - AARC has received a \$500 SAMHSA grant and requested partnering with PEPSA.
Motion to collaborate made and approved.
 - ad hoc committee needed, please see Sharon
 - April is Alcohol Awareness Month
 - "Parents Who Host Lose the Most!"
 - Governor's Initiative
 - please see the PEPSA Facebook
 - Senate Bill 271
 - invite to April meeting (Sharon)
- Drug Investigation Unit
 - presentation given by Dave Wells
 - 3 point plan
 - new trainings
 - Need of a Resource Card with Treatment Options

- Jim Merritt (Lifeline law)
- Announcements
 - Upper Room Fundraiser (flyer in back).
 - February 24th is the start of Celebrating Families; sponsored by AARC to be held at the Hope Family Center.
 - February 20th Pork chop Fundraiser at St Luke's.

Amber Werner
PEPSA Secretary

Next Meeting:

Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 3pm

Location: To be confirmed at a later date; tentatively at

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