

# AGENDA

Community Board Meeting 101 N. Halagueno St., Carlsbad, NM 88220 March 6, 2024 4:00PM – 5:00PM

- I. Call to Order/Moment of Silence
- II. Sign in/Introductions
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of Meeting Minutes from:
  - Feb. 7, 2024
- V. Treasury Report
- VI. Program updates
- VII. Old Business
- VII. New Business/Announcements
- VIII. Adjournment

# Silent prayer/meditation thought (voluntary):

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Students and faculty to have a refreshed Spring Break /holiday at the end of this month.

# CARLSBAD COMMUNITY ANTI-DRUG/GANG COALITION

## **COMMUNITY BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

## February 7, 2024 101 N. Halagueno St., Carlsbad, NM City Hall Planning Room In-Person Meeting 4:00 PM

#### PRESENT:

Coalition Staff: Executive Director-Joana Wells Coalition Program Managers-Julie Fuentes & Esther Hernandez Eddy Co. DWI- Brandy Mendoza Foundry Home-ChaRay Dunn, Eva Armendarez Hope Center- Robert Jacquez Community Board Chair- Tammy Frintz Coalition Exec. Board- City Councilor Mary Garwood

#### Meeting called to Order:

Joana Wells at 4:09 PM.

Moment of Silence ensued.

#### SIGN IN/INTRODUCTIONS:

Round Robin of attendees.

#### APPROVAL OF December 6, 2023 MEETING MINUTES:

Motion to approve: Tammy Frintz Seconded by: ChaRay Dunn All in favor. Motion passed.

#### **APPROVAL OF January 3, 2024 MEETING MINUTES:**

Motion to approve: Brandy Mendoza Seconded by: Tammy Frintz All in favor. Motion passed.

#### **TREASURY REPORT: Joana Wells**

Income January 2024: \$60,914.61 Expenses for January 2024: \$49,846.49

#### **PROGRAM UPDATES:**

Julie Fuentes reported that the Coalition's Annual Banquet went well with about 50 attendees for the event. They were able to highlight programs and students involved. The TOP Club teacher was in attendance and gave great feedback about the banquet. Julie also reported that TOP began a health lesson and service-learning project in starting a rock garden. The students are currently on lessons 8 & 9 for the All Stars program. Esther Hernandez reported that for OSAP they completed outreach with pizza box flyers at both Pizza Hut and Pizza Inn reminding customers that serving alcohol to minors is a 4<sup>th</sup> degree felony. At PR Leyva and AV campuses, marijuana fact sheets were covered with students and there was lots of active engagement while doing so. Many youth know someone or multiple people in

their lives who use marijuana in some form. Joana stated they will be working to bring a webinar featuring the "Emerging Drug Trends" instructor to Carlsbad for the public and schools staff. It was suggested to also invite each cannabis store owner as well. Joana then reported that the Coalition increased their request from Eddy County from \$10,000 to \$100,000. The City of Carlsbad currently gives the Coalition \$24,000 each year. The Eddy County Teen Court is booked out through February. They would like to see the program brought back into a full time operation again. A 5K event is being planned for April 20, 2024 for Teens in Action. Other non-profits will be asked to join in the event to help broaden the reach and make it entertaining for everyone who participates.

## **OLD BUSINESS: N/A**

## **NEW BUSINESS/ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Mary Garwood reported that Riverblitz will be held on Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> and thanked the Coalition for always being willing to help serve lunch each year. ChaRay Dunn gave an update for the Foundry Home, Brandy Mendoza gave an update for the Eddy County DWI program, and Robert Jacquez gave an update for the Hope Center.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

Joana Wells adjourned the meeting at 5:03PM

Minutes Submitted by Mary Garwood