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AGENDA

Community Board Meeting

101 N. Halagueno St., Carlsbad, NM 88220

August 7, 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:
 - June 5, 2024
- V. Treasury Report
- VI. Program updates
- VII. Old Business
- VII. New Business/Announcements
- VIII. Adjournment

**Silent prayer/meditation
thought (voluntary):**

Everyone will have a safe
school year and make
positive choices.

CARLSBAD COMMUNITY ANTI-DRUG/GANG COALITION
COMMUNITY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

June 5, 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 Manager-Julie Fuentes
Coalition Program Manager- Esther Hernandez
Coalition Program Assistant- Hannah Ornelas
Eddy Co. DWI- Brandy Mendoza
Community Citizen-Norbert Rempe
Carlsbad Police Department-Isaac Florez

Meeting called to Order:

Esther Hernandez at 4:05 PM

Moment of Silence ensued.

SIGN IN/INTRODUCTIONS:

Round Robin of attendees.

APPROVAL OF JUNE 5, 2024 MEETING MINUTES:

Joana Wells requested that a correction be made under the Treasury Report to state March Expenses and not February Expenses.

Motion to approve:

Seconded by:

All in favor. Motion passed.

TREASURY REPORT: Joana Wells

Income April 2024: \$9,618.72

Expenses for April 2024: \$54,140.55

Balance as of 4/30/2024: \$257,804.76

Income May 2024: \$43,306.70

Expenses for May 2024: \$47,505.93

Balance as of 5/31/2024: \$207,091.66

PROGRAM UPDATES:

Julie Fuentes-TOP started with 19 students and ended with 12 participants. Had a celebration and received a \$100 stipend. They met 50 times over the school year. Completed service-learning projects. All students were taken to the Department of Health. STOP-All-Star's Celebration and collaborated with All-Star's Plus. Helped with field day and donated corn-hole. Sources of Strength-Had a pep rally and highlighted sources. Conducted a presentation at Ocotillo Elementary with the 5th graders.

Isaac Florez-Discussed that they are patrolling at the beach. Joana brought up the concern that last weekend there was a car show at the beach and a WIPP party as well as the waterpark and Isaac was the only patrolman on duty with thousands of people present. This is a safety concern for our community. Isaac stated they are cracking down on overtime and others were comping their time. SRO's are going to hopefully get an advanced training in Texas before the next school year.

Hannah Ornelas-Discussed Teens in Action having the Summer Challenge again. This is posted on social media. Teens can take a picture of being active in our community and posted it, tagging the Coalition to win a gift card. At the end of June we want to have an event at the mini golf. June 21 we will team up with the Library to help with their movie night and provide popcorn and snacks.

Esther Hernandez-We held a Round Table discussion at the college. We invited 28 stakeholders but only 10 were able to come. The discussion was about underage drinking. This summer we are going to work on recruiting for Teen Court and have a future training.

OLD BUSINESS: N/A

NEW BUSINESS/ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Brandy Mendoza-DWI working with Chavez County at the NM Youth Challenge Academy, went to Loving's Falcon Fest, etc., and spread the message of not drinking and driving.

Norbert Rempe inquired more about the visit to the Department of Health by TOP students and discussed another option would be going to New Beginnings as an option.

Brandy mentioned the new cannabis farm in Roswell in the old dairy farm. Esther stated many private plans are coming into Carlsbad to deposit their money for their business.

ADJOURNMENT:

Esther Hernandez adjourned the meeting at 4:53 PM

Minutes Submitted by Joana Wells