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ALCOHOL & DRUG ADVISORY BOARD

Hall of Administration
Planning Commission Hearing Room
333 W. Santa Ana Blvd
Santa Ana, CA 92701

Thursday, June 7, 2012 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

MINUTES

Members Present: Arthur Amidon, Alin Hamade, Shelly Lummus, Rolf Parks, Stacy

Deeble-Reynolds, Roy Richardson, Lori Sanjuan, Cathy Stills, Elaine

Werner-Hudson

Members Absent: Johnnie Harris, Milton Mucker, Stephen Secord

Call to Order:

Johnnie Harris called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

Members of the board and audience introduced themselves and their respective affiliations.

Approval of Minutes: Action Item

■ The minutes of May 3, 2012 were approved and placed on file as written. M/S/C

Committee Reports:

Heroin Forum Planning Committee – Shelly Lummus

Shelly reported that the community meeting was successful with a great turn out. Approximately 85 participants attended from various backgrounds in the alcohol and substance abuse community. Also, valuable feedback was received in support of planning a future meeting, particularly in North or South Orange County. Shelly recommends that the board keeps up with the momentum that has surfaced from this event. Also, Elaine would like to start a Parent Support Group – and will ensure that the ADAB is involved.

Legislation – Rolf Parkes

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Rolf updated the board on Assembly Bill (AB) 2065 which requires medical marijuana users to register with the state Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to receive their identification card.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Behavioral Health Services Update:

Brett O'Brien, Division Manager, Alcohol & Drug Abuse Services

- Brett reminded the board members that due to a standing meeting he will have to leave the ADAB meetings a few minutes early. Brett also recognized and commended the board on its great efforts with the Community Prevention Meeting on Opiate Drug Abuse. Brett supports and encourages the idea of the board moving forward in planning a community meeting for later this year once school is back in session – particularly in October, on a school campus. Ideally, printed information would go out as students register and pick up packets before school begins in September.
- In regards to the state budget, there is a \$16 billion deficit. Fortunately, there appears to be no major impacts to alcohol and drug services at the local level. In regards to contracts, all of the department contracts have been approved by the Board of Supervisors and are in place.

ADEPT Update:

Amy Buch, Division Manager, ADEPT

- Amy updated the board on the Friday Nights Lights (FNL) event. This event recognizes the youth-driven AOD and youth development work accomplished on campuses and in the community this past year. There were over 300 youth, teachers, advisors and community partners in attendance. The event was held at Chapman University on May 30, 2012.
- Furthermore, Amy gave an update on the CSP Faith in Youth End of Year Summit. This event was a showcase of youth-led prevention work by the three faith-based mini grantee projects. Presentations were made by youth and the event was hosted by Congregation B'nai Israel in the City of Tustin on May 30, 2012.
- Additionally, in regards to Red Ribbon 2012, youth and adult training have been set for the month of September. For additional information on Red Ribbon, visit the ADEPT website.
- Finally, Amy reported that approximately 1900 surveys/interviews have been completed with a goal of 2800. The surveys are being conducted in English, Spanish and Vietnamese.

Presentation: Alcohol and Other Drugs (AOD) Prevention Program, Chip Pope & Arif Khwaja

 Arif gave an update and program overview of the AOD Prevention Program. The update included the programs strategic plan, prevention strategies, populations served and community partnerships. For additional information, see Power Point presentation. (available upon request)

Announcements: None Prepared by Danielle A. Daniels

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Public Comment: None

Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Danielle A. Daniels, ADAB Liaison Reporting Secretary

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