



Freehold Borough / Freehold Township - Municipal Alliance Committee

Minutes of the April 11, 2018 Meeting

The meeting of the Freehold Municipal Alliance was called to order by Jeff Friedman at 12:09 p.m. on Wednesday, April 11, 2018, at Freehold Borough Municipal Building, Freehold.

In attendance: Antoinette Ceciarelli, Courtney Colford, Mary Cozzolino, Heather Elkin, Jeff Friedman, Annette Jordan, Cynthia Kinsella, Tiffany Larkin, Frank Lucia, Amy Metzger, Lt. TJ McGowan, Barbara McMorrow, Debra Preston, Ellie Shemtov, Sharon Shutzer
Guests: Desiree Constrantineau, CFC, Lynda McDonald.

Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Sharon Shutzer and seconded by Courtney Colford. The motion was approved.

Announcements

None.

Reports

Treasurer's Report

The balance in the treasury is \$12,831.89. Total revenue 6,975.00. Total disbursement \$721.67 (Golf Brochures, Lifeskills Books). Ending balance \$19,085.22. A motion to approve the treasurer's report was made by Sharon Shutzer and seconded by Barbara McMorrow. The motion was approved.

Chairman's Report

None.

Coordinator's Report

- Golf Outing updates were shared by Debra Preston and Myself
 - o Donation of Items for Raffle Baskets are needed.
 - o New Sponsorship Brochure Shared and Mailed
 - o Introduced X the TXT Safe Driving program offered by Allstate Insurance

Committee Reports

Community Outreach

- Alliance Banners for the Boro Little League Ball will be hung starting opening day April 14, 2018.
- Press Release for Gold Outing will be written/
- Researching Banners for High School Football Fields, which will run August – November, 2018

Fundraising

- Preparation for 20th Anniversary 2018 Golf Outing are underway.
- Alliance to get donations for Raffle Baskets.

Law Enforcement

- TJ shared with us some statistics regarding drug related overdoses. Numbers are compared to 2016 and 2017. Overdoes numbers are coming down. 10% reduction in overdoses 2016 - 2017 and 13% reduction in overdoses for 2017-2018.

Youth and Education Programs

- April 25, 2018 the High Schools will be hosting a Marijuana and Vaping Presentation at Colts Neck High School – Alliance will have a Table at this event – Flyers are being distributed. Kathy Andrejco has discussed with us the alarming number of students vaping in school.
- On April 18, 2018 Barkalow Middle School will hold their Parent & Student Night.
 - Doug Collier – Presents the Smoke Screen to Parents and Students
- In May 2018, FIS will host its Peer to Peer Leader Breakfast

New Business

- Lynda McDonald – Supervisor PT. Experience – Centra State Hospital – Spoke and shared her personal experience with her sons addiction since 12 years old. She now heads up several different meetings to help family of addiction, NJ Connect, Living with Addiction, K.E.Y.S. Academy.

Old Business/Other Business

- The Freehold Raceway Mall has several events they are participating in.
 - CFC will be hosting Paint the Mall Purple on May 11th. The Alliance will have a table at this event and distribute Drug Prevention Materials.
- On April 23rd the Freehold Raceway Mall will be holding a Suicide Prevention Event.

Next Meeting

- The meeting will be held Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at 12pm at Five Star Café – Freehold High School, Freehold.