

Safe Communities Biannual Meeting

DSU 3029

4/17/19

Attendees: Anita Adams, EHS; Brandon Higgins, HR; Rafael Casas, PD; Jennifer Tougas, PTS; Laura Tomlin, EHS; Melna Wilson, EHS; Cynthia George, EHS; David Oliver, EHS; Bryan Russell, CFO; Stephen Rey, IRS; Alissa Arnold, IRS; Elizabeth Madariaga, C&T; Sarah Haught, AAR; Michael Crowe, JA; Randall Farris, HRL; Tim Salloum, DFM

Meeting Began at 9:30am

A). SCA Transition Update

- Continuing search for take-over of the program
- SCA/KSPAN has their own domain and have created bylaws
- Every accredited member is a part of the Pan Pacific network
- The group was encouraged to stay informed by attending regular KSPAN meetings. Meeting info and topics were mentioned. Invites to the group were extended.

B). Governors Safety and Health Conference

- Mention of the upcoming conference was made to the group. Louisville – Galt House – May 6-9

C). Traffic Checkpoint Training

- Date and time have been established.
- Internal and external law enforcement attending along with other interested parties

D). Point of Distribution and Stop the Bleed

- Barren River Health Department can distribute drugs from National stockpile
- We can distribute meds, but developing procedures for vaccinators is a challenge
- Exploring the idea of having “drive thru” options for vaccinations if need be
- Identification of point of dispensing has been made.

E). Stop the Bleed

- Training has begun and is going well.
- Kits have been placed in high risk areas, police vehicles and in all areas/buildings containing AED's.
- Kits are NOT combat style –basic knowledge of what to do. For intermediate responders only. The training is focused on how stop the bleed and is strictly focused on that particular task.
- There are no expiration dates on the kits and are sealed so tampering can be easily identified.
- The group was advised that when making contact with 911 dispatch on your cell, it is important to be specific of your location. Land lines will route you to the direct location.

F). Ped Safety

- At Kelly Autism Center on KY Street, lights have been changed which has helped. This is a federal Hwy and the state manages. The engineer is familiar with the challenges and understands improves are needed in that area.
- Ped signs in the street are being moved to the curbs due to continued damage. The signs will still be visible and should be as effective.
- Mini radar signs posted at AOC have been effective.

G.) Violence Prevention

- Training is being offered and being pushed out to campus by WKU PD.
- Several Assault prevention trainings are available.
- Take Back the Night Event is coming up and those interested are encouraged to attend

H). Emergency Preparedness

- White Squirrel Weather continues to provide weather related information to ensure campus safety and employee wellness.
- EVAC plans have been updated. New blueprints and bright framing have been put together.
- AED location and stop the bleed kits are noted. The new postings are going up in all major buildings this summer.
- EVAC plans will be standardized using GIS.

I). New business

- Les Forsythe agreed to represent the Athletics.

Meeting concluded at 10:35am.