



## **Stratford Partnership for Youth & Families**

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Tuesday, May 10, 2016

Minutes

**In Attendance:** Darrin Bosco, Greta Broneill, Doreen Chiccarello, Lucretia Duwel, Winnie Etienne, Anna Gasinski, Michelle Harrison, Patty Hines, Denise Keegan, Sherri Kelly, Sean Kennedy, Ariel Leon, Olivia Mastroluca, Hannah McLaughlin, James Olsen, Kristi Peña, Nicholas Satta, Ty Sims, Bill Steindl, Mary Tiernan, Shannon Tripodi, Tammy Trojanowski, Kate Venison

### **Call to Order**

Sean Kennedy called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m. Members and guests introduced themselves.

### **Approval of March 8, 2016 and April 19, 2016 Meeting Minutes**

Greta Broneill made a motion to approve the minutes from March 8, 2016 and April 19, 2016. Hannah McLaughlin seconded the motion. It passed unanimously.

### **Presentation and Discussion**

Kate Venison, Stratford Community Services Clinical Coordinator, provided an introduction to Adolescent Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral, Treatment (A-SBIRT).

### **Recommendation for 2016-17 Executive Committee Slate of Officers**

- Co-Chairs – Roula Kouvatas & Sean Kennedy
- Vice Co-Chairs – Kristi Peña & Paul DosSantos
- At-Large – Raquel Juarez & Patty Hines
- Youth – Nicholas Satta

Mary Tiernan made a motion to approve the Executive Committee slate of officers for 2016-17. Denise Keegan seconded the motion. It passed unanimously.

### **Community Updates**

- Stratford Community Services Department will be hosting Mental Health First Aid Training on May 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>. To RSVP please call (203)385-4095.
- Wayne's Walk 5K is on June 25, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. at Short Beach.
- Stratford Health Department will be participating in a Community Health Assessment with other local communities on Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup>.
- The FDA will now regulate all nicotine delivery devices including e-cigarettes.
- The Stratford Planning Commission will be holding an administrative session on Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, which has an agenda item 'Status of research on medical marijuana regulations and methadone clinics'.

- SPYF and Bunnell High School are proud to announce the collaborative launch of Safe Homes, Smart Parties. Parents can register at [www.StratfordPartnership.org](http://www.StratfordPartnership.org)
- The 2016 SPYF Annual Town Hall Meeting will take place on June 14, 2016 in the Town Hall Council Chambers at 7:00 p.m.
- The Stratford Library will be hosting a resume writing workshop on Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup>. Stratford library will be introducing a free Teen Health and Wellness Database for any teen with a library card.
- The School Assets Committee is still seeking an individual from Bunnell High School to be apart of their Asset Building Classroom Training set for June 1<sup>st</sup>.
- The Search Institute Survey will be administered to Stratford students during the month of May.

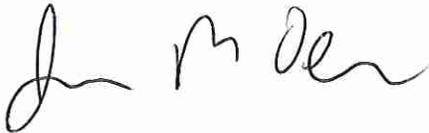
**Plusses and Wishes**

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Timing</li> <li>• Topics of discussion and presentation</li> <li>• Location</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The PowerPoint to sent via email</li> </ul>

**Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



James Olsen