

10-17-17

REACH Board Meeting minutes

Attendees: Jack Waters, Ellie Zint, Kelly Mettler, Heather Dratwa, Heather Gibson and Danielle Ratcliff.

Jack opened the meeting with prayer at 6:10 PM.

Executive session began at 6:16 PM and ended at 6:51 PM.

New Business

990 form to be submitted. Information provided regarding the 990 form from REACH tax representative. Discussion around a specific question on conflict of interest. No other discussion.

Kelly requested REACH partner with the Ross County Social Service Council and the Shop with a Cop program. Council received \$2500 for the program and requested that REACH be a pass through for funds.

Old Business

Community Events-

Housing conference a success with sober living being the primary focus. REACH had a table and was able to make some very good community contacts. CEO and COO will be providing trauma training in response to attending the conference. Also obtained flash drive from training with all materials from the conference.

REACH employees provided assistance with bounce house supervision at the event. They also passed out key chains and did outreach to families there.

Adams County drug coalition meeting coming up.

Grants-

REACH was awarded the Ohio Faith Net grant for \$15000.00 ☺ This is a grant to connect social services and the faith community with regards to human trafficking. This is a grant through the Attorney General's office.

QRT partnership with Highland, Adams, Brown and Claremont. Contract is needed with the Recovery Council in order to pursue billing insurance. CEO mentioned that she was having trouble getting in to the Care Logic system and needs technical assistance.

Interact with Health grant to be submitted this week with REACH requesting over \$400000.00.

Children's Trust Fund

The goal of this grant is to assist families in Adams, Brown, Highland and Clinton at-risk families which includes a jail and kingship weekly program. The grant is for \$175000.00.

United Way

Planned to submit a grant with United Way of Ross County but must be in the community for a least a year. Will apply next year for funds.

Plan to complete an Interact for Health grant for the Equipping Conference in Highland, Brown and Adams.

Danielle and Heather will provide dates for trauma training in which the board is welcome to attend.

Next meeting will be November 14th at 6PM.