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Eau Claire County Opioid Settlement Task Force Tuesday, January 17, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.
Eau Claire County Government Center 721 Oxford Ave., Eau Claire • Room 3312

Present: Tim Rabolt, Tiana Glenna, Supervisor Allen Myren, Renee Sommer, Supervisor David Hirsch, Ron Schmidt, Dave Riewestahl, Lieske Giese

Others: Samantha Kraegenbrink - Committee Clerk, Andy Falk (City of Eau Claire Police Department)

Call to Order and confirmation of meeting notice

Chair Hirsch called the meeting to order 5:30 p.m. and confirmed meeting notice.

Roll call

Public Comment

Review of Opioid White Paper

Ron Schmidt provided background on the opioid white paper. Lieske Giese advised that as of last week, the health department has released an update on information and status in Eau Claire County. A document will be provided at the next meeting along with a subject matter expert on the data. Suggestions for other uses of funds: prevention, funding services that exist such as peer support (specialists, etc.), consideration of existing providers.

Approved Opioid Abatement Language

Ron Schmidt provided details about exhibit E, approved opioid abatement language.

Tiana Glenna left the meeting at 6:17 p.m.

February Meeting Date

The next meeting will be February 22, 2023. (confirm)

Future Agenda Items:

- Updated white paper/data along with a subject matter expert from Health Department
- Existing services in place in the County
- Conversation with Dunn and Chippewa County regarding their efforts
- Community Input (stakeholder groups (recovery groups, schools, etc.))
- Inviting individuals with diverse, lived experience to share story (potential hosting by At the Roots, LLC

<u>Adjourn</u>

The meeting was adjourned at 6:38 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Samantha Kraegenbrink – Assistant to the County Administrator