

Oscoda County CHOICES Minutes

Meeting: CHOICES Date: May 14 , 2018 Time: 4:00 PM Location: Mio DHHS Building

Leader: Deb Nurse and Jan Schleicher

Present: Alice Stone, Jan Schleicher, Holly Campbell, Devin Spivey-on phone, Mischelle Warner- on phone, Cheryl Melroy, Loretta Rice, Stephanie Riemer, Trish Otremba, Jim Magnutz, Larry Wilson,

Absent: Katie Jacobs, Melissa Burns

Guests:

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CALL TO ORDER/ Introductions/Announcements	CN	The CHOICES meeting was called to order by Deb Nurse.	
Minutes, February 12, 2018 and March 12, 2018	DN	Motion made by A. Stone and seconded by T. Otremba to accept minutes from April 9, 2018. All approved.	
MSU Extension	MW	<p>Larry Wilson reported the Mr. Nutt is not willing to meet. He is not in favor of supporting MSU-Extension. Deb Nurse shared that LaNita Olsen may be in favor.</p> <p>There is misconception by Board of Commissioners that they would need to provide a secretary. Mischelle stated that MSU would pay for a part-time person to do programming, county was asked about part-time secretary, but if unable what would they be willing to commit to, even a letter of support. It is NOT a deal breaker if the county cannot provide secretarial support.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Could be building use • Anything financial • A show of support in any manner <p>Looking initially at program support for June-December of 2018. School is willing to give in kind support of space. Mischelle will be contacting schools to get more specifics with what commitment of in-kind support they will be able to supply.</p> <p>Larry said that the commissioners are looking for a specific number that is needed for support from MSU.</p> <p>Mischelle reiterated that surrounding counties are paying \$35,000.00, MSU realizes that the county is having financial difficulties with debt of \$400,000.00 mostly attributable to the ambulance service. The goal of the meeting with the commissioners is to get a conversation started.</p>	<p>Larry will request that another commissioner take Mr. Nutt's place since he is unwilling to meet. Larry will call Lanita, and try to get MSU-Extension on agenda for May 22 Board of Commissioners meeting.</p>

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		<p>Phase 2 for Oscoda County would be securing a STEAM CORP member, which is part of AmeriCorps, for Oscoda County. It would be an 11 month assignment for a full-time 4H person which is 67% funded by MSU, the county would have to raise \$5,000.00. There are only 29 of these positions in the state. In order to get the STEAM CORP member, there would need to be a 4-H person in place in the county.</p>	<p>Larry needs someone to back motion. He will contact LaNita.</p>
<p>Kids Count Data for Oscoda County</p>	<p>CM</p>	<p>Postponed until next meeting. Kids Count pulled data due to some inaccurate calculations.</p>	<p>Cheryl Melroy will bring Kid's Count Data to next month's meeting if problem with data has been resolved.</p>
<p>Grant Updates</p>	<p>HC</p>	<p>Food Insecurity Survey- Now have 120-130 surveys of the 450 needed completed. Press release has been finalized. Deadline to complete surveys extended to end of July 2018, due to late start. We are on track.</p> <p>PhotoVoice - Cheryl contacted Dominic Trimboli from the Oscoda County Herald. An article has been drafted by Emily Tierney and we will be asking for general pictures from the Oscoda County community that show "What makes it easy to stay healthy in Oscoda County?" and "What makes it difficult to stay healthy in Oscoda County."</p> <p>Cheryl will also reach back out to Kim Lewis who Deb Nurse says is still interested in the project.</p>	<p>Look at distribution list. If still need to complete more surveys after Project Connect we will hit the pavement.</p>

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Project connect	AS	<p>Alice reported that we currently have 45 vendors and expect 50 vendors. There is concern about how food truck will be unloaded at the Fairview school.</p> <p>Signs are done and Cheryl brought them back to Alice for distribution.</p> <p>Had 109 families, shooting for 150 families this year.</p>	<p>Deb and Alice will take a look at the set up at the school to determine best solution.</p> <p>Alice has spread sheet for where signs will be distributed so that they can be collected after the event. Cheryl will order 2 signs for Project Connect here today.</p> <p>Determine how we can best capture the number of total participants. Should happen at registration Desk. Cheryl will develop a spreadsheet to capture number of participants.</p> <p>Reminder to CHOICES members to bring an item for the Family Movie Night Basket that will be offered by the CHOICES group.</p>
Together We Can Food Pantry	CM	<p>Melissa Burns was not able to attend today's meeting so there was not a report on how things are running at the Together We Can Mobile Food drops.</p>	<p>Cheryl Melroy will reach out to Melissa and invite her to June 11, 2018 meeting.</p> <p>Check into the free produce truck and paying for the regular truck</p>
St. Bart's Food Pantry	JS	<p>Jan talked to Lori-shelves are being installed with the help of volunteers, and they are looking for more handy volunteers. Continuing every other week food distribution on Friday from 12-2 pm.</p> <p>Unsure if Melissa has met with the Pastor and his volunteers</p> <p>Jim Mangutz shared that he spoke to Jeanne Smith at St. Mary's food pantry and they have support to keep their pantry stocked</p>	<p>They will do food insecurity surveys at the Friday Food Distribution.</p> <p>Ask Melissa Burns if she has met with them to discuss support available.</p>

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		and will continue to keep their pantry operational for people who need immediate help. Alice Stone shared that DHHS calls St. Mary's daily to assist DHHS clients.	
Oscoda County Food Resource Flyer	CM	Flyer reviewed for accuracy, will change Commission on Aging to Council on Aging.	Print 500 for first distribution Draft worksheet on where flyers will be distributed.
Take Action Cycle	CM and HC	<p>Holly gave an update on the CHIR and the 31 County Regional Community Health Needs Assessment that is being designed and facilitated by the Northern Michigan Public Health Alliance which DHD#2 is a member of. Holly is both on the design and steering committee for the CHNA. Cheryl is on the steering committee. The hope is to align accreditation needs of all of the participating organizations which include hospitals, CMHs, FQHCs, COAs, Tribal Health organizations, and Health Departments.</p> <p>Jan referred back to Take Action Cycle and Holly shared that the Food insecurity survey may give us information about the root causes of different issues.</p>	Cheryl, Holly and Denise will give monthly updates on CHNA and work of CHIR
Back pack Program	CM	Cheryl will bring back the number of kids on free and reduced price lunch in county. Continue to explore back programs and options for funding.	Cheryl will contact feeding America and see if they have models for supporting rural communities.
Obesity Initiative – Munson Healthcare	CM	Deferred for this month CHOOSE to BE WELL media campaign continues.	
County Lock Down due to Barricaded Shooter	DN/LW	Deb and Larry Wilson reviewed County Lock down. Larry said that the County Emergency Management Team will be reviewing the response in a debrief session. Deb shared this will also be a topic for the TRUST team to discuss; development of crisis response team different than is currently in place to address the immediate	CHOICES members reminded that Oscoda County Trust Group will be meeting on Thursday May 24, at 3:30 pm, just after the Oscoda County Child Protection Council that

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		family needs for suicide, death, etc. All are welcome to attend and call in number (877-402-9757 Access code 7548233#	meets at 2:30 at the Mio DHHS office
Adjourn	DN	Meeting Adjourned at 5:40 p.m.	
NEXT MEETING:	DN	Monday, June 11, 2018 at 4:00 PM at the Mio Department of Human Services Building	
Minutes submitted by:		Cheryl Melroy	