



ARIZONA HUMAN TRAFFICKING COUNCIL VICTIM SERVICES COMMITTEE MINUTES

June 10, 2014

3:00 PM

1700 West Washington Street

Governor's Office for Children, Youth and Families Conference Room

Phoenix, Arizona 85007

A meeting of the Arizona Human Trafficking Council's Victim Services Committee was convened on May 22, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. in the Governor's Office for Children, Youth and Families Conference Room, 1700 West Washington, Suite 230, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. Notice having been duly given. Present and absent were the following members of the Committee.

Victim Services Committee Members Present

Sheila Polk (Chairperson)

Brian Steele

Carolyn Jones

Arizona Human Trafficking Council Members Present

Allie Bones

Guests

Lea Benson

Staff Present

Leah Meyers

John Raeder

A. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 3:07 p.m.

B. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Ms. Carolyn Jones moved to approve the minutes from the May 22, 2014 meeting as drafted by staff. Mr. Brian Steele seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

C. REVIEW OF BRAINSTORMING SESSION

Members discussed the mapping drafts presented as handouts.

D. POINT OF ENTRY MAPPING PROJECT

Members discussed the crossover for the Training Committee and how this map will help them identify potential places for training first responders and human service providers.

Members also discussed how important it is to make sure substance abuse providers are included and that a trauma informed approach is necessary in working with this population.

E. COMMITTEE REPORT TO COUNCIL

Ms. Meyers stated she would compile a report based on the meeting and discussion. The report will highlight the points of entry mapping progress. Since Chair Sheila Polk will not be at the June 23 Council meeting it was decided that Brian Steele will present the report.

F. NEXT MEETING

It was agreed that TRUST will be invited to present at the next Victim Services Committee meeting on their efforts with the Polaris hotline protocols. Chair Polk also stated that she wants to explore a wish list for victim services, reflecting on what life for a victim should look like from a resource perspective.

G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

No public comment.

H. ADJOURNEMENT

Chair Polk adjourned the meeting at 4:43 PM.

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