



6/20/2017

Southwest Coalition Minutes

Location: University of St. Francis

Officers Present: Brian Hazard, Robert Snipes, Larry Dunbar and Rebecca Gutierrez

Members/Guests Present: Gloria Bloodsaw, Peter Bradley, Quincy Owens, Mardi Wunderlich, Sunette Thompson, Brittany Gruver, Valerie Lindstrom, Gabriela Zapata-Alma, Lisa DeLauren, Diana Feeney, Carolyn Chambliss, Mary Egan, Jennifer Venezia, Marjorie McNichols, and Bob Sullivan.

Brian Hazard called the meeting to order at 11:20 a.m. The business meeting then began with introductions of attendees.

Minutes: The meeting minutes from the 05/16/17 meeting were read by the attendees. The minutes were motioned to be approved by Larry Dunbar. The motion was seconded by Robert Snipes. Motioned passed.

Agenda Item	Report	Follow-up/Actions Needed
Treasurer/ Membership Report	<u>Treasurer's Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robert S. submitted a written report. The balance as 6/20/17 was \$4888.84 • Proposed budget for FY 18 was presented. Mardi Wunderlich made a motion to approve the budget, Larry Dunbar seconded it and the motion passed unanimously. 	
Advocacy Committee Report	<u>Advocacy Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	
Education Committee Report	<u>Education Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September meeting will have no business meeting and instead be a viewing and discussion on generation found for 2 CEU's. • There is a state senator scheduled to speak at 	

Education Committee Report Cont.	December luncheon.	
Donations Committee Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	
Website Report	<u>Website Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All meeting minutes have been updated through February 2017. • All meeting locations have been updated through the May 5th conference • New post on Schools stocking overdose antidotes • New members have also been added 	
Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FY 18 elections. Nominees are: Gabriella Zapata-Alma for President, Sunette Thompson for Vice-President, Valerie Lindstrom for Treasurer and Lisa DeLauren for Secretary. There were no nominations from the floor and all were voted in unanimously. 	
Announcements	<u>Announcements</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thresholds is opening an adolescent IOP in Blue Island. • Stepping Stones has been approved to provide mental health services. • Abraxas is hiring for a night monitor at the Woodridge location • Rosecrance is having their Florian symposium on 9/21 and 9/22. • TASC is now providing treatment for substance abuse and clients with co-occurring diagnoses. They are also opening a Joliet IOP and a Bellvue IOP this summer. • Serenity House is having an experiential therapy workshop on 7/28. • Gateway is opening a new IOP in Gurnee and a recovery home for 15-18 year old males in Carbondale. It is also Gateway's 50th anniversary this year. 	

Meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

Always remember to check the website for up-to-date program locations.