

Chaves County DWI Planning Council

MINUTES

August 27, 2009

Voting Members:

Chief Rob Smith	Roswell Police Department
Judge Eugene Delos Santos	Magistrate Court
Sheriff Rob Coon	Chaves County Sheriff Office
Beth Ryan	Hinkle Law Firm
Al Solis	Chaves County Detention Center
Ron Morales	ENMU-R
Alice Eppers	Community at Large
Jimmy Masters	New Mexico Department of Health
Harold Hobson	Community at Large
Cliff Waide	Mayor Hagerman

Voting Members Absent:

James Salas	Roswell Fire Department
Janetta Hicks	District Attorney

Excused Absence:

Captain Oscar Gonzalez	New Mexico State Police (Council Chairman)
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Proxy:

Johnny Rivas (Capt. Gonzalez)	New Mexico State Police
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Other Members Present:

Mary Lou Chacon	DWI Coordinator
Lisa Federico	DWI Assistant
David Garcia	Chaves County Detention Center
Patricia Johnson	JL Norris Counseling
Jim Kisselburg	Teen Court
Diane Taylor	Valley Prevention
Sandra Stewart	Court Services
Sherry Mumford	Roswell Refuge
Richard Taylor	County Commissioner
Charlotte Andrade	Finance
Dianne Meda	DWI Screener

Guests:

Randall E. Overmier	Guardian Interlock
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Lisa Federico reviewed the sign-in sheet and reported to Vice Chairman Smith that a quorum was present with ten (10) voting members and one (1) by proxy.

A motion was made by Judge De Los Santos and second by Beth Ryan to approve the Agenda for August 27th motion was carried.

A motion was made by Beth Ryan and second by Judge De Los Santos to approve the minutes for June 25th, 2009 motion was carried.

The new Board Members were introduced to the DWI Planning Council. Cliff Waide Mayor of Hagerman, Harold Hobson Community at Large, Alice Eppers Community at Large and Jimmy Masters New Mexico Department of Health.

Presentation/Training

Randall Overmier – Guardian Ignition Interlock

Changes became effective on July 1st, 2009 for DWI offenders. MVD requires the ignition interlock to be on a vehicle for a minimum of six months. This new law impacted distributors. Overmier currently has 100 clients in the city of Roswell. Overmier has run out of units in Roswell because of the high demand.

Mary Lou Chacon- Overview of FY 10 DWI Program Budget & Goals

Ms. Chacon gave a power point presentation of the FY 10 DWI program budget and goals. Ms. Chacon briefly explained each component and their goal. This overview was geared to inform the new Planning Council members and also served as a refresher for everyone.

SUB-CONTRACTOR REPORTS:

JL Norris Counseling – Patricia Johnson

Reported eight (8) clients are in group and twenty (20) on individual counseling.

Dexter, Hagerman and Lake Arthur Schools – Diane Taylor

School is back on session and will start with new activities.

Law Enforcement – Sheriff – Rob Coon

He has committed to six (6) checkpoints and twelve (12) saturation patrols.

New Mexico State Police – Johnny Rivas

Mr. Rivas reported from December 2, 2008- July 30, 2009. A total of 18 DWI arrests and 7 open container. Activity work were two checkpoints and nine saturation patrols.

Roswell Police Department – Rob Smith

The Department has nothing new to report for the month of August.

Teen Court – Jim Kisselburg

They currently have 35 kids volunteering working on the farm.

Roswell Refuge- Sherry Mumford

They currently have 120 clients divided into 12 groups.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mary Lou Chacon reported the NMAC DWI Symposium is on September 14-16th, 2009. If anyone is interested in attending please fill out the Registration form.

Ms Chacon also reported the Eastern New Mexico State Fair is on October 5th – October 11th, 2009. Volunteers will be needed

Charlotte Andrade presented the DWI Final report to the committee. Ms Andrade reported that the total expenditures for FY 2009 on the Grant were \$50,000. Total expenditures on the Distribution were \$280,613.86.

Ms Chacon recommended an Ad Hoc committee to be created to evaluate the current Five year plan. These individuals will create a new plan for 2010-2015. Members who volunteered to be in this program are Diane Taylor, Jimmy Masters, Rob Smith, Harold Hobson, Sandra Stewart, Pattie Johnson, Captain Gonzalez, Mary Lou Chacon and Lisa Federico.

Next Planning Council Meeting on September 24th, 2009 @ 11:30 a.m. Sheriff's Training Room.

Adjourn

I certify that the aforementioned minutes were approved by the Chaves County DWI Planning council on _____.

Captain Oscar R. Gonzalez, NMSP
DWI Planning Council Chairman.