MINUTES OF THE

CRANBURY TOWNSHIP

MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE COMMITTEE ON

DRUG ABUSE AND ALCOHOLISM

Jan 17,2017

TIME AND PLACE OF MEETING

The scheduled meeting of the Cranbury Township Municipal Alliance Committee was held on Jan 17, 2017, in the library meeting room, 23 North Main Street, in Cranbury Township at 3:30 PM.

CALL TO ORDER

Kevin Lowery, Chairperson, called the session to order at 3:30am and Susan Engelbert acted as Secretary of the meeting.

STATEMENT OF ADEQUATE NOTICE

Pursuant to the Sunshine Law, adequate notice in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act (N.J. S. A. 10:4-6) was provided on Jan 17, 2017, of this meeting's date, time and place, and the agenda was posted on the Township bulletin board, mailed to those requesting persona notice, and filed with the Municipal Clerk.

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Kevin Lowery, Phyllis Smith, Wayne Jordan, Lynn Kulpa, Fay Kobland

NON MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

None

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES IN ATTENDANCE

None

MINUTES

Phyllis Smith made a motion to approve the minutes and Kevin Lowery seconded.

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT

No student report was given.

POLICE REPORT

No police report was given

BUDGET

There were no changes to the budget so budget was not reviewed.

OLD BUSINESS

The November Jamfest was discussed. It was was attended and successful.

A full review of Red Ribbon week will happen when guidance counselors are present. Kevin suggested there could be stronger emphasis on tie-in with law enforcement. This year it happened to coincide with blue line painted on Main Street.

ON-GOING BUSINESS

Kevin gave update on Drug Free Fair. He has already confirmed several local restaurants will participate. He will begin reaching out to other participants. Susan will reach out to paid vendors (cartoonist, bouncy house etc) and coordinate volunteers for teen tent.

Phyllis will reach out to George about a teen night at Teddy's.

Phyllis shared some information from the Princeton Alliance meeting: contrary to the beliefs of many parents, parental permissiveness on drinking during the teen years is positively correlated with later alcohol abuse.

NEW BUSINESS

<u>January Jamfest</u>. Susan Engelbert is working with PTO reps to coordinate. Kevin will help set up after school on Friday. Lily and Noor will help and provide a report afterward. MA will purchase new ping pong balls and potentially a new ping pong table.

DISCUSSION

New member Wayne Jordan was introduced.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE MEETING

There being no further business, the meeting was thereupon adjourned at 4:30PM.

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify, that I am the duly appointed Secretary of the Cranbury Township Municipal Alliance Committee on Drug Abuse and Alcoholism and that this document, consisting of two pages, constitutes a true and correct copy of the minutes of the meeting held on Jan 17, 2017

Susan Engelbert, Secretary