

**Baraga County Communities That Care
Quarterly Community Board Meeting Minutes 7.20.17**

Members Present: Carrie Rich, Kevin Weir, Cindi Parker, Chris Lynum, Taryn Mack, Susan Tollefson, Patricia Butler

Members Absent: TBD

Guests: Kate Ritzenhein, Gery Shelafoe, Delana Hadden, Carole Touchinski,

Topic	Discussion	Follow-Up
Call To Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:09pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NA
Agenda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approved
Meeting Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approved with minor changes
Adjourned	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:29pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NA
Work Group Reports		
Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> They have been working on getting the information from the survey into the finalized report and presentation (which will be viewed tonight). The survey is ready to be listed online for voting. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> June 26th – L’Anse School Board Meeting Presentation July 10th – Baraga School Board Meeting Presentation (postponed) July 11th – Key Leader Luncheon Presentation July 20th – Quarterly Community Board Presentation July 24th – Launch Survey online August 14th – Baraga School Board Meeting Presentation (make-up)
Funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Looking for funding ideas and sources Looking for recruits to help with the funding group – nobody at the last 2 workgroup meetings Talked about the Event list and fleshing out the funding needs for each of the events coming up. Need “official” donation cans for local business 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eric to meet with the funding workgroup to see what they can come up with for money amounts needed for future events. Eric to work with Grant writers to try to get our needs met with funding. Carrie to contact Katie about Donation Cans
Maintenance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed trying to get all of the workgroups working in the same way – meeting minute format, agenda’s, workgroup binders and google docs. Updating the bylaws to cover more of what is happening on a day to day basis. Putting together recognition forms and certificates. Working on Thank you’s as appropriate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Char and Taryn will work on the templates over the next couple of months. When they have been created, they will bring them back to the Exec committee for review and revision.
Outreach & PR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Helping with the Data presentations – videoed the Key Leader presentation to link with the survey for online dispersal. Working on website updates Now available on social media – facebook, twitter, Instagram, and snapchat Working with Suicide Prevention on the OOTD walk and the National Drug Take Back Day. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Posting Risk Factor video and survey for community to vote on the new direction we will be going.
Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Re-forming the group and calling for volunteers and those willing to be involved. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Next Meeting is August 16th at 5pm at the new CTC office.
Suicide Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Updates on the Out Of The Darkness Walk happening on September 9th. There is discussion happening about not staying with AFSP next year – TBD. This is to try to keep more of the funding raised here in Baraga County. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please pass the word on the OOTD walk and sign up to be a team or volunteer
Youth Involvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Growing youth involvement in Baraga schools and working on the L’Anse schools to figure out what works best in each situation. Trying to make sure we are meeting with both schools every month to be sure we are getting the word out about this. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chris to set up meeting with L’Anse and Baraga HS counselors to determine next year’s schedule of

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Looking for willing adults to help with the Youth. 	
Coordinator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Master Volunteer list is being updated. Going through old volunteer lists to see if contacts are still valid and interested in helping. New office location has been approved and we are moving in! 5 Baraga Ave. Unit #1, L'Anse, MI 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Carrie, Eric, Pam to contact TBD people on volunteer lists to check on workgroup status availability. Carrie outfitting the office and getting set up to have meeting space available.
New Business		
2017 Youth Survey Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation delivered by Kevin Weir and Cindi Parker Some discussion on certain points. Overall favorable impression on outcomes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> N/A Would like the "National Average" added for each year the survey was done to the graphs (Ex. 2014, 2017, 2019, etc.)
Community Survey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey completed by those in attendance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey will be launched online over the next few days
Upcoming Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Movies In the Park in L'Anse OOTD Walk National Drug Take Back Day Paint The Field Blue Boo On The Bay Haunted House Dodgeball Tournament Ladies Night Out 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> July 28th, August 19th September 9th October 28th October – TBD October – TBD October – TBD November – TBD November - TBD
Misc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CCISD CTE Millage meeting – July 25th at L'Anse Schools Youth Advisory Committee (L'Anse) – Contact Gordette Coettes to get involved Check on Balloon Animals for Movies In The Park Night – possibly Shriners?? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Upcoming Meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All meetings are being updated on the Google Drive Calendar and linking to the website. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Board Meeting: July 26th @ 10 AM Community Board Meeting: October 26th @ 6PM Data Workgroup: TBD Funding Workgroup: August 15th @ 6PM Maintenance Workgroup: August 16th @ 1PM Outreach and PR Workgroup: August 15th @ 9 AM Resource Workgroup: August 16th @ 5pm Suicide Prevention Workgroup: August 24th @ 9 AM Youth Involvement Workgroup: July 26th @ 12PM
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Respectfully submitted by: Carrie Rich