

**SWEET HOME CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNITY HEALTH COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES**

May 20, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall Conference Room.

Present: Dick Knowles, Councilor Gourley, Jim Gourley, Ronda Greene, Jeff Blackford, Kate Hall and Malia Hewitt

Approval of Minutes April 15, 2019: (Gourley/Knowles)

Committee Reports:

Health Fair Committee: Dick Knowles reported that the Health Fair is scheduled for the third week in August. New contacts have been made with Samaritan staff. Information is needed for the Steelhead run to distribute and add to the webpage. The use of the courtyard for a clothing closet was discussed. Saturday Market vendors will be invited. Jim Gourley may get hot dogs to serve.

Western University Project: Malia Hewitt reported on her meeting with Western University.

Hero Banner Project: No Report.

Community Resources Committee: No Report

New Business:

Goals:

1. The Community Health Committee began their discussion on who should be invited to join the committee to include: Linn Benton Community College, Linn County Public Health, Sweet Home School District, Sweet Home Police Department, City Staff, Sunshine Industries, Santiam Treatment and Recovery, Dr. Sugat, Scott McKee, Chamber of Commerce, SHEM and operators of warming shelters.

2. To address the needs of the increasing populations of seniors and homeless by possibly tapping into the data collected by Western University students and create a collaboration with Western University.

Review exposure and education to the community.

Make health part of the community.

Put flyers out with agenda for training.

Education for Health Care jobs

Photonics

Career Development

Apprentice Information

Helping communities by increasing value of education and opportunities for training to stay on CHC goals but look at opportunities to increase "community opportunities" for moving from poverty to economic success.

3. Community Health and Improvement Plan

Discussion on Reproductive Health, STDs, resurgence
Try to get a common plan for local health related service provider
Still need a list of resources in the community.
Get more access to training for mental health
Linn County Comm Response Team
Cert Team

Jeff Blackford:

Growing capacity issues
Services are close to 2,500 people
Covering Linn, Benton and Lane Counties
Still looking for people in Sweet Home

Dick Knowles:

Adult services team will be here quarterly
Working with housing for homeless with police department

Rhonda Greene:

Need adult volunteers for community outreach. Well contact Scott McKee

Kate Hall:

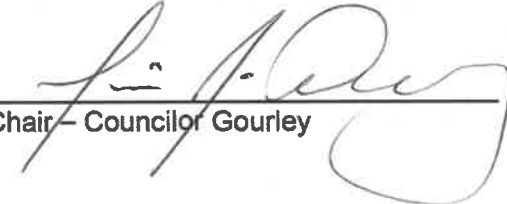
Training/Foster Home – Helping to keep Senior and Memory Care facilities safe.

Good of the Order:

Meeting adjourned.

With no further business the meeting adjourned. Next meeting June 17, 2019.

The foregoing is a true copy of the proceedings of the City Council Community Health Committee Meeting on May 20, 2019.



Chair – Councilor Gourley



Date