

LPSCC

Youth and Gang Violence Subcommittee Meeting Multnomah Building, Room 315 9-11am

Notes for October 5, 2017

Subcommittee Attendees

Co-Chairs

Antoinette Edwards, City of Portland OYVP Kirsten Snowden, District Attorney's Office

Attendees

Michelle Aguilar, DCJ Juvenile Services
Christina Albo, Resolutions NW
Harry Bradshaw, Oregon Youth Authority
Amy Chandler, Health Department
Lakayana Drury, Full House Solutions
Erin Fairchild, Defending Childhood Initiative
Jillian Girard, Budget Office
Suzanne Hayden, US Attorney's Office
Matthew Heady, Boys and Girls Club
Iman Abdi, FHS Youth POIC
Ibrahim Lowe, FHS Youth POIC
Vanessa Micale, STRYVE
Jeff Miller, Gresham Police Dept.
Julia Mitchell, POIC

Erika Molina, Multnomah Youth Commission William Nunemann, LPSCC Intern Susanne Orton, FHS PR & Development Consultant Yamungu Seraya, IRCo Africa House Megan Westbrook, STRYVE Nathaniel Williams, Unify Portland Eric Zimmerman, MCDA Babak Zolfaghari-Azar, CHI-POIC

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Abbey Stamp, LPSCC Amanda Lamb, LPSCC Lily Yamamoto, LPSCC Christina Youssi, LPSCC

Introductions and Announcements

Introductions were made and people said what they were hopeful for.

Abbey Stamp announced Multnomah County received \$2 million from the MacArthur Safety and Justice Challenge to reduce jail use. The money will fund mental health stabilization for women, particularly women of color.

Babak Zolfaghari-Azar announced the youth-driven Measure 11 survey now has been completed 1781 times.

Matthew Heady announced the Boys and Girls Club just opened a new site in Rockwood.

The mentors group met with Chair Deborah Kafoury last week. There will be a meeting of mentors in January. Another potential ask is a peer support group for the mentor programs, so they may ask for a coordinator.

Dashboard Proof of Concept

Amanda Lamb and Jillian Girard presented a dashboard proof of concept. (I was out of the room trouble shooting the projector so I don't have any notes on this)

Full House Solutions Presentation

Lakayana Drury and several youths from <u>Full House Solutions</u> (FHS) gave a presentation. Full House Solutions is a citizen driven, community building initiative to foster healthy relationships and change the perception of youth and law enforcement in local communities. Young men shared their experience with the summer program. Youth-led video projects (with help from Weiden & Kennedy) were shared.

FHS would like more help reaching into schools to find other youth that want to be involved.

The initiative focuses on African American men ages 15-22. Youth may be referred to Lakayana Drury.

<u>Implementation Strategy Updates</u>

Suzanne Hayden distributed the notes from the coordinators' meeting.

The November agenda will include reviewing a draft of the parent handbook.

Erin Fairchild noted the Strategy 3 group meet with school superintendents. The superintendents were also interested in white supremacy gangs. They were asked about policies that create barriers to mentors with lived experience being permitted in the schools.

Lily Yamamoto suggested a joint mentors and connection to schools meeting.

The next coordinators meeting is Friday, October 13th.

Vanessa Micale asked if we could capture leveraged resources in the dashboard

The meeting was adjourned.

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