



OPIOID ABATEMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION

Kentucky Opioid Abatement Advisory Commission

Meeting Agenda, January 10, 2023, 1:00 p.m. ET

Capital Complex East, 1024 Capital Center Drive, Suite 200, Frankfort, KY 40601

MINUTES

Members Present: Lorran Ferguson (proxy for Treasurer Allison Ball, in person), Karen Butcher (in person), Representative Danny Bentley (in person), Vic Brown (in person), Carlos Cameron (in person), Secretary Eric Friedlander (in person), Van Ingram (in person), Von Purdy (in person), Jason Roop (in person), Sharon Walsh (in person)

Members Absent: W. Bryan Hubbard, Chair

Staff Present: Alison Chavies and Scott Hornbuckle

I. CALL TO ORDER

Van Ingram called the Kentucky Opioid Abatement Advisory Commission (KYOAAC) meeting to order at 1:03 p.m. on Tuesday, January 10, 2023.

II. BUSINESS MEETING SCHEDULE

****All business meetings will take place at 1024 Capital Center Drive, Suite 200, Frankfort, KY 40601**

1. February 14, 2023, 1:00 p.m.
2. March 14, 2023, 1:00 p.m.
3. April 11, 2023, 1:00 p.m.
4. May 9, 2023, 1:00 p.m.
5. June 13, 2023, 1:00 p.m.

Mr. Ingram discussed the approved business meeting schedule for the remainder of the year.

III. MINUTES

1. December 13, 2022, Meeting

Jason Roop motioned to approve the December 13, 2022, minutes. Secretary Eric Friedlander seconded, and the motion carried.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND REMARKS

1. Town Hall Updates

Dr. Anthony Couch – Partners for Rural Impact. The organization provides education and support for families in Eastern Kentucky. Sue Christian and Jessica Noble spoke for a few minutes on how these areas, especially schools and families in the areas, have been affected by the opioid epidemic.

Representative Nancy Tate – District 27 House Representative – and Sierra House spoke about transitional housing, which focuses on keeping families whole.



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Dr. Dawn Forbes – CEO and Founder of NASCEND, spoke about how it is an innovative clinical solution, education and technology company dedicated to improving outcomes for infants and families affected by maternal substance use disorder (SUD).

1:23 p.m. – Von Purdy motioned to adjourn to the subcommittee meetings. Karen Butcher seconded, and the motion carried.

Mr. Ingram dismissed the Commission members to their subcommittee groups.

V. SUBCOMMITTEE BREAK OUTS

1. Treatment and Recovery
2. Prevention
3. Reform and Compliance

2:11 p.m. – Von Purdy motioned to return to the regular scheduled meeting of the KYOAAC. Karen Butcher seconded, and the motion carried.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

1. Approval of the Subcommittee Application Review Meetings

Prevention Chair, Von Purdy, provided the following dates, times, and locations approved by the Prevention, and the Reform and Compliance subcommittees;

January 24, 2023, 2 – 6 p.m.

February 21, 2023, 1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

March 21, 2023, 1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

April 19, 2023, 1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

May 23, 2023, 1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

June 27, 2023, 1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

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Treatment and Recovery Chair, Sharon Walsh, provided the following dates, times, and locations approved by the Treatment and Recovery subcommittee;

February 7, 2023, 9 – 11:30 a.m.

March 15, 2023, 1 – 4 p.m.

April 5, 2023, 1 – 4 p.m.

May 31, 2023, 1 – 4 p.m.

June 28, 2023, 1 – 4 p.m.

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Secretary Friedlander motioned to approve both application review subcommittee meeting schedules. Vic Brown seconded, and the motion carried.

VII. UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Van Ingram reminded everyone of the second Lexington Town Hall on January 17, located at Consolidated Baptist Church from 6-8 p.m.



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An announcement was made that on February 1, 2023, Attorney General Daniel Cameron would kick off his Operation Fight Fentanyl with an event in Kenton County, at the Kenton County Government Center from 1 – 3 p.m.

The Emergency Regulations comment period is February 21, 2023, at the Capital Complex East, from 1 – 4 p.m. The comment period for the non-emergency regulations will be March 21, 2023, located at the Capital Complex East, from 1 – 4 p.m.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

2:15 p.m. Karen Butcher motioned to adjourn the regular scheduled meeting of the KYOAAC. Lorrان Ferguson seconded, and the motion carried.