



# Brunswick County Substance Use and Addiction Commission

## BRUNSWICK COUNTY SUBSTANCE USE AND ADDICTION COMMISSION MONTHLY MEETING

March 7, 2024, 5:00 PM

### I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Brunswick County Substance Use and Addiction Commission was called to order by Mr. Eberle 5:00 PM in person at the Brunswick Health Services Board Room. Also, on video zoom.

#### A. Attendance

The following members were present:

Mr. (Rev) William Eberle  
Ms. Johnnie McAdams  
Mr. Jeremy Seamon  
Ms. Kathleen Gomes  
Ms. Laura Trueman  
Mr. Josh Torbich

Members absent:

Ms. Joscelyn Ott  
Ms. Megan Wilson  
Mr. Jon Oliver

Health Services staff present:

Ms. Olivia Jarvis, Health Educator  
Mr. David Howard, Health Services Director  
Mr. Travis Greer, Health Educator

Guests present:

Ms. Savanna Tenenoff, Brunswick Beacon

#### B. Public Comment (None)

#### C. Special Presentation (None)

### II. OLD BUSINESS

### III. REGULARLY OCCURRING ITEMS

Next Meeting: May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024



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- A. Approval of Minutes (Eberle, Truman)
- B. Agenda Adjustments (None)
- C. Encompass & Responding to Addiction

Mr. Seamon will be presenting a 2-hour program to all DSS workers on April 17, 2024, in the Commissioners Chambers. Ms. Jarvis attended the training on Responding to Addiction this past week. Ms. McAdams presented a program she has planned to educate local clergy and will be offering a panel discussion on Saturday March 9, 2024. Members were asked to participate.

- D. Opioid Settlement Strategic Planning discussion
  - i. Needs Identification Surveying & Interviewing

Once all completed paper surveys are received, the survey will be closed, and a results report will be shared at the next meeting.

## IV. NEW BUSINESS

### A. ESSER Funding

Mr. Howard informed the commission that the school system has been planning for this funding cut and is confident that no positions will be lost because of attrition.

### B. Recommendations from SUAC to County Commissioners for Opioid Funds FY 24-25

Ms. Jarvis presented a draft of new and ongoing programs which can be recommended to the County Commission for identifying projects supported for funding. A lengthy discussion was held to identify priorities. Members will contact Ms. Jarvis with additional suggestions. Recommendations need to be presented to the County Commissioners by the Commission's April funding discussions.

## V. COMMISSION INPUT (None)

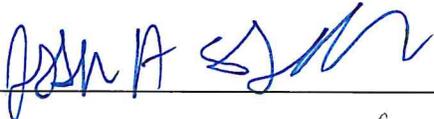


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## VI. ADJOURNMENT (Seamon, Eberle)

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:45 PM.

The next Brunswick County Substance Use and Addiction Commission meeting will be held on **April 4, 2024, at 5 PM**, at the Brunswick County Health Department.

  
\_\_\_\_\_ Chairperson

  
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