

Domestic Violence Coordinating Council of Monterey County

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Summary of Meeting 10/26/11

Members/Alternates and Working Group Chairs Present: L. Bejarano, S. Brunk, D. Engles, J. Garcia, S. Goldman, N. Hatton, E. McCleaf, C. Munteer, R. Rodriguez, L. Schneider, B. Shaw
Excused Absences: J. Adams, V. Barnes
Unexcused Absences: D. Acosta, C. De Seguirant, N. Shumpert, R. Soto, J. Teeter, K. Thoeni, M. Uppman
Guest: Kathy Foxworthy, Probation

Vacant: Business Community, BOS District 1 (Armenta)

DATE: October 26, 2011
TIME: 3:00 p.m.
PLACE: DSES, Ste. 110
1000 S. Main St.
Salinas, CA 93901

3:00-3:30

1. **Call to Order & Introductions:** Meeting was called to order by S. Brunk at 3:10 p.m.
2. **Amendments to the Agenda:** None
3. **Approval of Minutes for August 24, 2011 and September 28, 2011:** Motion by E. McCleaf, second by Julia Garcia.
4. **Public Comments and Oral Communications:** No comment.
5. **Education & Information (20 minutes):** None. If anyone has anything they would like to suggest, please let the council know.

3:30-4:30

6. Working Group Reports:

a) **Executive Committee – N. Hatton** - Executive Committee met and created the minutes and agenda. N. Hatton also shared that R. Soto sent out an email indicating that she was working on sending out “Thank you” letters to those who attended the press conference.

b) **Annual Conference Committee** – No meeting. S. Goldman stated she is taking volunteers for the working group. Sr. Lydia volunteered to help out.

c) **Membership Committee** – No meeting.

7. Reports:

a) **Batterer Intervention Programs** – N. Hatton reported there was a meeting held. No new information to report with the exception of Kathy Foxworthy from probation will be phasing into the position of certifying the programs.

b) **Victim Waiting Room - P. Patterson** – No updates, however Sr. Lydia inquired if we were intending to name the room. There was some discussion but no decision.

- c) **Victim Services – K. Thoeni** – No report.
- d) **Medical Services - S. Goldman** – No report.
- e) **DV Ombudsman – D. Engles** –No reported incidents.

8. Action Items: None

9. New Business:

- a) None.

10. Old Business

- a) Follow-up on AB2405: E. McCleaf reported she had a representative speak with the presiding Judge Roberts and there is indication that if the Board of Supervisors pass the resolution to allow for the collection of the fees pursuant to 1463.27 PC that he would speak with the other judges about ordering the fees. The full amount allowed may not be ordered and victim advocacy groups should be cautioned to not have any specific expectations of revenue generated by this new source. The next step should be to go back to the original discussion within the DVCC and follow up with what needs to be prepared and what information needs to be provided to the supervisors.
- b) Status of silhouettes: No update, however Sr. Lydia shared that the three silhouettes they recently displayed were well received and viewed by approximately 2,000 people!

11. Information Sharing/Discussion: E. McCleaf shared that she recently went to Monterey Peninsula High School to speak about teen violence. She took materials with her from the Monterey County Rape Crisis Center and said they were very well received by the students. She also shared that the students asked some very good questions about domestic violence.

12. Correspondence: None

13. Next Meeting: January 25, 2012 at Social Services, 1000 S. Main St., Salinas

14. Adjournment: 3:29 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Nancy Hatton