



## Enforcement and Justice Working Group Meeting

Wednesday, February 13, 2024 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Virtual Meeting (Via Microsoft Teams)

**Present:** Celine Damphouse (WECHU), Chris Ciliska (OPP), Cindy Gignac (WECHU), Diane Quadros (CMHA), Joe Rafuse (WPS- Co-Chair), Lisa Whitelaw (OPP), Maureen Armstrong (SOLGEN), Mike Agostinis (LaSalle Police), Selena Scebba (WECHU), Surjeet Gill (Windsor Police Service), Theresa Sarkis (WECHU-Recorder)

**Regrets:** Denam Hardiman (SWDC), Kristen Merritt (Windsor Probation and Parole), Lindsey Beaudoin (SWDC), MHART Representative (EMS/HDGH), Pat Lenehan (OPP)

		<i>Action Required</i>
1.0	<b>Welcome, Introductions, and Membership</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meeting called to order at 10:01 a.m.</li> <li>Welcome &amp; Introductions</li> </ul>	
2.0	<b>Approval of Agenda</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Agenda approved.</li> </ul>	
3.0	<b>Review of Action Items and Approval of Minutes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reached out to southwest – they have joined the group.</li> <li>311 app has launched.</li> <li>Looking to get wallet card ready and available online soon before the printed version.</li> </ul> <b>Approval of Minutes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes approved.</li> </ul>	
4.0	<b>Meeting Goals</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review and discuss the 2024 Project Proposal. slide</li> <li>Review and discuss the WECOSS 2023 Annual Report.</li> </ol>	
5.0	<b>Project Updates</b> <p><b>Municipal Substance Use Supports (S. Scebba)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Southwest Detention Centre surveys done to supplement last year’s work - results shared.</li> <li>Gap found regarding housing supports, treatment and recovery programs. This year’s work will be to fill that gap.</li> </ul> <p><b>Substance Supports in Neighbourhoods Accessed through Police Partnerships (SSNAPP) (S. Gill/C. Damphouse)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two workshops are scheduled to be delivered at Caesars Windsor: Mental health and Addictions on February 27<sup>th</sup> and De-escalating Potentially Violent Situations on April</li> </ul>	

	<p>26<sup>th</sup>. These trainings are open for participants with a cap of 40.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Latest Stats: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Total ER visits: 318</li> <li>○ ER wait time down 39%</li> <li>○ Total calls for service: 933</li> <li>○ Referrals made to Community Services: 511</li> </ul> </li> <li>• More officers received training to be part of NPT MC,</li> </ul>	<p>Anyone interested in attending the trainings offered by SSNAPP, please Contact Celine for Eventbrite information.</p>
6.0	<p><b>2024 Project Proposal (S. Scebba)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Looking to host a comprehensive substance use workshop on topics like stigma, Good Samaritan Drug Overdose Act, harm reduction services available locally, and social supports (with an emphasis on housing).</li> <li>• Positive Pathways to support the creation and delivery of these workshops.</li> <li>• Aim is to do four workshops: corrections officers, social workers, and post-secondary students in social work and/or police foundations.</li> </ul> <p><b>2023 Annual Report (S. Scebba)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Updated messages shared with group for approval. No concerns adding SSNAPP to WECOSS website.</li> </ul>	
7.0	<p><b>Next Steps</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop 2024 Project Proposal and present to the WECOSS LC for approval</li> </ul>	
8.0	<p><b>Community Agency Roundtable - Open discussion (All)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CMHA: Moved from BCI (non-violent crisis intervention training) to a program called STEPS with Steve Pulaski from Toronto. This includes de-escalation training.</li> </ul>	
9.0	<p><b>WECOSS Pillar Updates:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Prevention and Education:</b> Continuing with communications campaign and expanding Medicine Cabinet Clean Out event to twice a year.</li> <li>• <b>Harm Reduction:</b> planning to deliver overdose prevention trainings in the community (naloxone and test strips).</li> <li>• <b>Treatment and Recovery:</b> would like to focus on transitional housing that is currently available.</li> </ul>	<p>Selena to touch base with Maureen regarding available transitional housing.</p>
10.0	<p><b>Adjournment:</b> 10:50 a.m.</p>	
11.0	<p><b>Next Meeting:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday, May 7, 2024, 10:00am – 11:30am</li> <li>• Tuesday, September 10, 2024, 10:00am – 11:30am</li> <li>• Tuesday, November 19, 2024, 10:00am – 11:30am</li> </ul>	