



**Roundtable Meeting
December 1, 2017
John Bolduc, Chair**

Roundtable Members Attending: Linda Bartz, John Bolduc, Sean Boyle, Carol DeLoach, Wayne Gent, Diane Hopley-Burney, Linda Hudson, Robert McPartlan, Ken Mills, Stephanie Morgan, Paul Nigro, Angela Roberson, Clint Sperber, Andy Treadwell, Lisa von Seelen, Garry Wilson, and Wydee'a Wilson.

Roundtable Members Absent: Terissa Aronson, Brian Bauer, Ann Berner, Mike Davis, Buddy Emerson, Andrew Hunt, Karen Knapp, Andrea Kochanowski, Larry Lee, Jr., Tony Schwab, and Pete Tesch.

Guests Attending: Glenda Hardin for Brian Bauer, Joseph Ceullar, Jessica Parish, Mary Weiss, Kim Reid, Kevin Singletary, Cynthia Beddow, and Carlos Negron.

I. Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance, and Treasure Hunter Pledge

John Bolduc welcomed all members and guests. Pledges were conducted.

II. December Agenda & November Minutes

Garry Wilson made a motion to accept the December agenda and November minutes, seconded by Bob McPartlan. Motion carried unanimously.

III. October Financials

Esperanza Morales presented the financials for the month of October 2017 (see attached).

Linda Hudson made a motion to accept the October 2017 financials, seconded by Linda Bartz. Motion carried unanimously.

IV. Chair Report/Executive Director Report

Chair Report

John Bolduc noted there is no Chair report this month.

Executive Director Report

Teresa Bishop presented the Executive Director report (see attached).

V. School District Dashboard

Dr. Prince presented on the new online dashboard that has been developed. The program was created in order for the School District to closely monitor data on grades,

safety, graduation rate, and attendance. Teresa Bishop added that the Roundtable is available to partner and support the School District with problem behaviors and risk factors.

VI. Kids at Hope

Kevin Singletary gave a Kids at Hope update. He noted the initiative is expanding, and by February, all schools will have been trained. Teresa Bishop added that we are identifying ways to connect existing programs in the community. Staff is also coordinating the two Youth Leadership Councils – one in Fort Pierce and one in Port St. Lucie.

VII. Child Welfare Network Update

Paul Nigro presented an update on the Network. They now have three (3) subcommittees. They are:

- 1) Lock outs (drafting a protocol and what to do with kids that don't get picked up by their parents once they are released from DJJ).
- 2) Cars for youth (developing an application).
- 3) Increase foster homes and guardian ad litem (developing a positive campaign on awareness).

VIII. Announcements/Agency Updates

- Linda Hudson – Enjoyed the Getting Ahead graduation. She understands that the classes are labor intensive.
- Angela Roberson – Thanked members for completing the questionnaire and will be giving monthly Steering Committee presentations orally and quarterly written. The networks are growing and working hard.
- Stephanie Morgan – The Port St. Lucie Festival of Lights is scheduled for tomorrow.
- Paul Nigro – Their fundraiser, “Voices for Children”, is scheduled for Superbowl Sunday in February at Pelican Yacht Club. Tickets are \$125.00.
- Clint Sperber – Tomorrow is World AIDS Day.
- Sean Boyle – Sounds of the Season is scheduled for December 15th at the Sunrise Theater. Tickets are free but please bring a children's book.
- Glenda Hardin – Thanks to collaboration with IRSC and Habitat for Humanity, they have received a Youth Build Grant from Treasure Coast Builder's Association. Youth will build two homes over four months and will make \$11.75 per hour.
- Andy Treadwell – Graduation is December 13th at the Fenn Center. There are 729 St. Lucie County graduates this year.
- Diane Hobley-Burney – Christmas Shop with a Cop was a success. Santa Cop will be delivering toys in Fort Pierce, and December 3rd is the parade.