



**Roundtable Meeting**  
**March 5, 2021**  
**Lisa von Seelen, Chair**

**Roundtable Members Attending:** Terissa Aronson, Brian Bauer, Ann Berner, Sean Boyle, Carol DeLoach, Chris Dzadovsky, Debbie Hawley, Curtis Johnson, Ed Kiley, Tony Loupe, Robert McPartlan, Heather Parker, Nathan Peterson, David Pickett, Nate Spera, Dana Trabulsky, Andy Treadwell, and Lisa von Seelen.

**Roundtable Members Absent:** Tom Bakkendahl, John Bolduc, Bruce Colton, Michael Davis, Wayne Gent, Diane Hobley-Burney, Diamond Litty, Jessica Parrish, Bob Meadows, Clint Sperber, Pete Tesch, and Garry Wilson.

**Guests Attending:** Jon Prince designate for Wayne Gent.

**I. Welcome**

Lisa von Seelen welcomed all members and guests.

**II. Pledges**

The Pledge of Allegiance and Treasure Hunter Pledges were recited.

**III. March Agenda & February Minutes**

Curtis Johnson asked that the minutes be revised as he was in attendance at the February meeting.

*Motion was made by Terissa Aronson to accept the March agenda and February minutes, seconded by Debbie Hawley. Motion carried unanimously.*

**IV. January Financials**

Esperanza Morales presented the January financials (see attached).

*Motion was made by Tony Loupe to approve the January financials, seconded by Sean Boyle. Motion carried unanimously.*

**V. Chair Report/Executive Director Report**

Chair Report

Lisa von Seelen thanked everyone for being in attendance today and this is her first meeting as Chair.

Executive Director Report

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

## **VI. Graduation Rates**

Jon Prince presented the newest graduation rates. He noted that in 2013 the rates for St. Lucie were 68%, and in 2020 were 93%. He also presented on summer programs (see attached).

## **VII. Ignite Youth Alliance**

Monica Jakobsen introduced the newest Outreach Worker Markesha Brockington. Ms. Jakobsen then presented an update on the initiative (see attached). She noted that arrests and fire-arms incidents have increased dramatically during Covid – 40 cases pre-Covid and 75 cases during Covid. It is also affecting connection to school and after-school activities, mental health, and also economically.

## **VIII. Announcements/Agency Updates**

- Debbie Hawley – As Steering Committee chair, she would like to participate in all Network meetings. She would like to meet with Monica Jakobsen to see how she can help to provide extra services.
- Heather Parker – Guardian ad Litem will be moving April 1<sup>st</sup> to Fort Pierce, behind City Hall.
- Sean Boyle – They are funding 13 sites for their summer programs. There is a grant out title “Bright Ideas” for \$5,000 each.
- Carol DeLoach – Children removal rates are down at this point. The Delinquency Courts are backed up.