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102 W. MARKET STREET, SUITE 205
BLUFFTON, IN 46714

CITIZENS AGAINST DRUG ABUSE

June 12, 2014

Community Building – 4-H Park

In attendance: Vicki Andrews (Southern Wells Schools), Angie Dial (Family Centered Service – Teen Court), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Nathan Huss (Bluffton Police Department), Brian McClish (Ossian Police Department), Jenny Tsakkos (Department Child Services), Greg Werich (Wells County Probation)

Welcome, Introduction and Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 11:32 am by Greg Werich.

Presentation of Minutes: Minutes presented and accepted.

Grant Program Reports: None given.

New Members: Nathan Huss, the Bluffton Chief of Police.

Treasurer' Report: \$59.84 balance

Unfinished Business: IRS form 990 has been filed for 2012 and 2013. This report will need to be done each year before April or May.

New Business: None reported

Community Concerns/Trends: Molly Hoag and Angie Dial reported the substance abuse protocol is almost ready. Notification was given to us that the Peace Counseling services are closing their doors permanently. To be recognized as a substance abuse program there are several steps to go through. Greg is working on 211 information and working with United Way, Pamela Beckford on this program. He is going to see if this would be a court approved program. Jenny Tsakkos has been seeing more alcohol abuse in the community. Veteran's officer has information on veteran's substance abuse. That information is available to our Veteran's. Up to \$2000 for substance abuse help is available.

Membership Sharing: June 17th Molly Hoag will have a food safety workshop. An encouragement for non-profit vendors to attend as the information would be a great asset as they do not have requirements for sale of food. With Street fair this would be a very good workshop for anyone to attend.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Next meeting: Thursday, August 14 – 4-H Community Center No meeting in July.

Submitted by: Vicki Andrews