

KERRVILLE RECOVERY COMMUNITY COALITION
REGULAR MEETING

February 28, 2022

On Monday, February 28, 2022, the regular meeting of the members of the Recovery Community Coalition was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Sabine Kuenzel, Chair,

Members Present:

Sabine Kuenzel
Thomas Hurt
Joseph Duprie *802*
Joe Pizczor
Randie Benno
Leigh Ann Fitzpatrick

Members Absent:

Cynthia Tate *802*

City Executive Staff Present:

Eric Maloney, Fire Chief

Visitors Present:

Richard Elliot – Duncan house

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

1A. Approval of minutes of the November 27, 2022 meeting. Ms. Benno. *moved for approval and Mr. Hurt seconded, the minutes as written. Approved unanimously.*

2. KRCC MEMBERSHIP STATUS/ELECTION OF OFFICERS: In accordance with the with the new term limits in order to stagger appointments to ensure continuity of committee work approved by city council.

2A. Overview of Ordinance No. 2022-19. Chief Maloney presented a summary of the ordinance, including the reduction of the number of voting members. He stressed that participation of non-voting stakeholders will continue to be encouraged and reminded members to spread that message among their contact groups.

2B. Drawing of lots. The members discussed terms of existing members and length of served time, as well as plans for certain members with longevity to recruit future applicants among their respective areas of expertise and representation. The KRCC voted unanimously to allow existing term limited members' terms to expire as scheduled under current appointment status (to expire , and for newer members' terms to continue for an additional yare (to expire January 2024).

2C. Election of officers. Members asked who would be willing to serve this calendar year. The Coalition voted unanimously to elect Sabine Kuenzel as Chair, Joe Pizczor as Co-chair, and Joe Duprie as Secretary.

3. RECOGNIZE PARTNERS AND GUESTS: None

4. KRCC EFFORTS REFOCUSED

4A. Christmas Luncheon Workshop Dr. Young made a report that turnout for the luncheon was good. Reports from Recovery-home owners were that things in the community were going pretty well overall and mentioned a notable influx of elderly persons in recovery and voiced the challenge of meeting different needs for the different age demographic. Sober- home owners also reported jobs/employment opportunities for residents was very positive. Dr. Young proposed the idea of hosting luncheons on a more regular basis (possibly semi-annually) to seek regular feedback.

4B. Ms. Kuenzel introduced a printed copy of the Kerrville City Senior Services Resource Guide which is linked to the city's website. This prompted a discussion of whether to implement a website link to information for Recovery resources, publish information and methods to maintain information.

- A proposal for proposals to be heard at next meeting concerning Resource Guide and future Luncheons.

4C. Upcoming events.

International Night of Remembrance. The Coalition began discussions regarding the past three years of hosting this event. Discussion focused on the benefits of hosting it again this year.

4D. Randi Benno will try to have a working copy of reference guide for next meeting.

4E. Warrants clinic – City Attorney has to be approached with proposal.

4F. Gentleman from Keep Texas Tobacco free has approached Ms. Kuenzel to present a brief presentation at next meeting. The Coalition discussed whether such a presentation would be within the scope of the Coalition's work. Ms. Kuenzel stated that she would contact the representative and discuss more appropriate options with him.

5. ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA

5A. Warrants clinic discussion with City Attorney's office

5B. KRCC Resource Guide

5C. Upcoming Events

6. CONFIRM NEXT MEETING, DATE AND TIME

6A. Monday, April 25, 2022, 4:00 P.M., Butt-Holdsworth Library Meeting Room

March 28, 2022

ADJOURNMENT.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

DATE APPROVED: *March 28, 2022* *Debbie Meen*
Chairperson

ATTEST: *J.R. D* Secretary