

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE TASK FORCE  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
MAY 20, 2015**

A Regular Meeting of the Substance Abuse Task Force was held at 5:25 p.m. on May 20, 2015, in the Page Public Library Conference Room in Page, Arizona. Chair Ron Macdonald presided. Vice Chair Cherie Zube', Secretary Bunny Cochran, Members Regina Santelli were present and Ivan Cendese was present by phone. Liaison to City Council, John Mayes was not present.

Chair Macdonald called the meeting to order at 5:25 p.m.

**HEAR FROM THE CITIZENS**

No citizens addressed the Substance Abuse Task Force.

**MINUTES**

Regular Substance Abuse Task Force Meeting – April 15, 2015

Motion was made by member Zube' to approve the minutes and duly seconded by member Santelli. Minutes were approved upon vote.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Discussion and possible action by the Substance Abuse Task Force pertaining to:

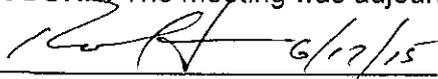
1. Canine unit/dual purpose dog for the Page Police dept.  
There was no discussion
2. PACE mission statement: possible revision – Cherie Zube'  
This item will be revisited in September to give members the chance to review the present mission statement as well as the history of board activities

**NEW BUSINESS**

Discussion and possible action by the Substance Abuse Task Force pertaining to:

1. Funding for youth summer program to promote prevention through building positive decision making skills – Sonny Bryant  
After discussion in which Chair Macdonald suggested that the amount of the grant be increased to \$800, a motion was made by member Zube' to approve the grant for \$800 and duly seconded by member Santelli. It was passed upon a quorum vote with yeas from members Zube', Santelli and Cendese. Chair Macdonald and member Cochran recused themselves from the vote.
2. Funding for travel expenses for members attending the Health Choice Integrated Care Leadership Retreat in Flagstaff sponsored by Northern Arizona Regional Behavioral Health Authority – Cherie Zube' and Bunny Cochran  
After discussion a motion was made by member Zube' to approve an amount not to exceed \$600 for travel expenses for task force members to attend the conference.
3. Advise Council to create and adopt a city tax on the sale of alcohol to accrue monies to be used for prevention of, interventions and rehabilitation from substance addictions – Ron Macdonald  
Tabled. Chair Macdonald will seek counsel from City Attorney, Joe Estes.

**ADJOURN:** The meeting was adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

  
Chair Ron Macdonald

  
Secretary Bunny Cochran