



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNCIL

July 11, 2019

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

455 County Center, Redwood City

Room 101 (first floor)

MEETING MINUTES

Chair: Supervisor Warren Slocum
Vice-Chair: Colsaria Henderson
Staff: Tanya Beat, interim staff
 Madahi (Maggie) Cornejo, Legislative Aide, Supervisor Slocum’s Office
 Marci Dragun, Senior Legislative Aide, Supervisor Slocum’s Office
 Monali Sheth, County Counsel

Present: Supervisor Slocum, Michael Callagy, Becky Abens, Sylvia Baez, Susan Farabee, Maggie Cornejo, Catherine Carlton, Rev Kristi Lynn Denham, Mark Duri, Robert Foucrault, Melissa Gibbs, Colsaria Henderson, Jenny Horne, Elisa Kuhl, Rose Mukhar, Al Serrato, Monali Sheth, Tami Assadurian, Bob Spencer, Selina Toy-Lee

Absent: Becky Arredondo, Lisa Bergman, Noelle Bruton, Sgt Joe Cang, Catherine Carlton, Marci Dragun, Molly Henricks, Nicole Reyes, Janet Seldon, Anya Drabkin, Ann Keighran, Lori Smiley-Klingler, Lauren Zorfias

Call to Order	<i>Action</i>	Supervisor Warren Slocum
Introductions		Supervisor Warren Slocum
Opportunity for Public Comment		Martin Fox
Adoption/Approval of Agenda	<i>Action</i>	Mike Callagy motions. Catherine Carlton seconds the motion. Passed unanimously.
Approval of April 2019 Minutes	<i>Action</i>	Mike Callagy motions. Bob Spencer seconds the motion. Passed unanimously.
Presentation: El Centre de Libertad’s Program for DV Offenders	<i>Presentation</i>	<p>Michael Stoll, CEO, El Centre de Libertad</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient Treatment Center: adults & youth audience; founded in 1994; locations in Redwood City & Half Moon Bay • 52-week Batterer Intervention Program • Youth Intervention and school-based prevention education • Skills: communication, self-awareness, emotional regulation, replacing passive skills with assertive, diplomatic ways • Healthy Relationships: communication, trust, honesty, accountability, parenting, shared responsibility and economic partnership. • 133 clients; identify their region? Most of them come from RWC. Will provide more data to Tanya to forward on to DVC.

Presentation: San Mateo County Coroner's Office: Death Review Team	<i>Presentation</i>	Robert Foucrault, Coroner Chair of the Death Review Team <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DRT started via the DVC; due to the Brown Act, the group was separated out (officially done in 2018). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pediatric Death Review Team (mandated) ○ Domestic Violence Death Review Team (not mandated) ○ Elder Death Review Team (not mandated) • Very low numbers of DV deaths; reviewed all deaths & suicides over the last eight years; priority are DV cases • Reduce, eradicate DV, make recommendations • Agree to discuss <i>near death analysis</i>, add to Oct Agenda •
Committee or Member Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Domestic Violence Awareness Committee b. Legal Process Committee 	<i>Summary Report Out</i>	a. Chair Rev Kristi Lynn Denham; Presented by: Sylvia Baez <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TDVAM 2019 event cancelled • SAL Wellness Day, 100 youth stopped by table • Sheriff's Office Healthy Homes & Relationships event • Probation is hosting a DV Round table b. Melissa Gibbs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessing screening procedures at Hall of Justice
Announcements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <i>Hammerman Award Nominations</i> b. <i>Next DV Council Meeting- 10/10/19, 3 PM - Room 101</i> c. <i>Other</i> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cat Carlton offers to present at Oct mtg on DV legislation • Hammerman Award Nominations are open to law enforcement and to those who work in domestic violence. • Selina: Because DV is such a heavy issue, is there a place for sanctuary or memorial to DV in the County? • Propose this idea to the Arts Commission • Transitional Age Youth Summit • One Member-at-Large recently filled. Will join us in Oct. • note: Rev Kristi Lynn Denham term expires in 2020.
Adjournment	<i>Action</i>	Supervisor Warren Slocum

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