

**OPIOID TASK FORCE  
REGULAR MEETING**

**ANNOTATED AGENDA**

**APRIL 29, 2024**

**PREPARED IN THE OFFICE OF  
NIKKI ALVAREZ-SOWLES, Esq., CLERK & COMPTROLLER**

**THE MINUTES WERE PREPARED IN AGENDA ORDER  
AS PUBLISHED AND NOT IN THE ORDER  
IN WHICH THE ITEMS WERE HEARD**

**10:00 A.M.**

**WEST PASCO GOVERNMENT CENTER, BOARD ROOM, 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR  
8731 CITIZENS DRIVE, NEW PORT RICHEY, FL 34654**

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**Members:**

Paula Baracaldo, Chairman  
Support Services Director, Public Services

Captain Toni Roach  
Pasco County Sheriff's Office

Glenn Traiger - **Absent**  
Firefighter/Paramedic, Fire Rescue

Derek Brewer  
Police Chief, City of Zephyrhills

Lauren Letona  
Deputy Chief, City of New Port Richey  
Police Department

Art Rowand  
Retired, Pasco County Sheriff's Office  
Sergeant

Trang Chitakone  
Administrator, Florida Department of Health  
In Pasco County

Michelle Hudson, MSW  
Supervisor of Social Work  
Pasco County School Board

The Honorable Judge Shawn Crane  
Sixth Judicial Circuit Court

Parnia Roghani Shareef, Co-Chair  
Pasco County Alliance for Substance  
Addiction Prevention (ASAP)

Joseph Resnick  
CEO, Premier Community Healthcare

Tracey Kaly  
Director of Clinical Operations  
BayCare Behavioral Health

**Legal Counsel:**

Jordan Wolfgram, Senior Assistant County Attorney  
Robin Rogers, Assistant County Attorney II

**OTF Staff:**

Lori Bushway – Administrative Assistant for Support Services  
Nicole O'Neill – Support Services Specialist

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**Call to Order**

Madam Chair Baracaldo called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

**Invocation and Pledge**

Ms. Meaghan Legnini, Deputy Clerk, gave the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**Welcome and Introductions**

There were none.

**Roll Call**

Ms. Legnini called the roll. All members were present with the exception of Mr. Glenn Traiger who was absent. The Honorable Judge Shawn Crane arrived to the meeting at 9:12 a.m.

**Public Comment**

Madam Chair Baracaldo reviewed the procedures to be followed and called for public comment.

There was none.

## **New Business**

### **1 OTF Member Composition**

Approved to maintain the current composition with Captain Roach voting nay.

### **2 Year 2 Funding Timeline Finalization**

The item was for information only.

### **3 Administrative Costs Discussion**

Approved to allow a five percent cap on administrative costs for year two funding with Captain Roach and Ms. Kaly voting nay.

## **Approval of Minutes**

### **4 10-30-23 OTF Meeting Minutes**

Approved the October 30, 2023 Opioid Task Force meeting minutes.

### **5 01-22-24 OTF Meeting Minutes**

Approved the January 22, 2024 Opioid Task Force meeting minutes.

## **Old Business**

Madam Chair Baracaldo noted Deputy Chief John Feichtner would be the new Fire Rescue representative and that Mr. Glenn Traiger was going to be focusing on operations.

Ms. Kaly spoke regarding the bankruptcy that was filed by the people behind Purdue Pharma.

Ms. Wolfgram noted that the year two funds were in the bank.

Judge Crane spoke regarding the recent Stand Down event for veterans that was held at the Rotary Pavilion, the Tax Collector's mobile unit, and the process.

Ms. Roghani Shareef spoke regarding an upcoming 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Town Hall event on May 15<sup>th</sup> at the Starkey Ranch Theater Library and the prioritization of community voices.

Ms. Chitakone spoke regarding June 6<sup>th</sup> as Revive Day, that the Health Department was working on outreach, Overdose to Action funds that were received by the Health Department, their work with community partners, that they were trying to start a project for those coming out of the jail, an opt-out FOCUS program that automatically tests for infectious diseases, guidance and funding for hospitals to start the program, and that they were working on it with hospitals.

Ms. Roghani Shareef spoke regarding the upcoming ASAP Annual Conference on August 8<sup>th</sup>.

### **Committees Reports**

There was none.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 10:03 a.m.

Prepared by: Meaghan Legnini, Operations Lead, Board Records Division