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Office of Violence Prevention Advisory Council

April 29, 2015

The Office of Violence Prevention Advisory Council met Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at 10:00 AM at the Crime Commission Office, Nebraska State Office Building, 301 Centennial Mall South, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor; Lincoln, Nebraska. Legal notice of the meeting was published April 15, 2015 in the Lincoln Journal Star.

As amended by LB 898, 2005 Legislature, a copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for public review.

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 10:04 AM by Chris Harris, Director of the Office of Violence Prevention. The following members were **in attendance**: Brenda Beadle, Scot Ford and Scott Sasse. **Members excused**: Brad Rice and Joshua Weir. **Staff present**: Chris Harris.

II. INTRODUCTION OF COUNCIL MEMBERS

The meeting began by those present introducing themselves and the agency they work for.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from the June 3, 2014 meeting, and the September 2, 2014 meeting were proposed to be accepted.

*Motion*

*A motion was made by Sasse and seconded by Eatherton to approve the minutes of the Office of Violence Prevention meeting of June 3, 2014 and September 2, 2014. Voting in favor: Beadle, Eatherton, Ford and Sasse. Motion carried.*

IV. GRANT REVIEW

Harris gave a brief summary of the grants which had been received and the proposed amounts for each grant. There was a brief discussion on the pros and cons of each submission.

## *Motion*

*A motion was made by Sasse and seconded by Ford to accept the recommendations and bring before the Crime Commission. Recommendation are: 14-VP-5000 Banister's Leadership Academy, no funding; 14-VP-5001, City of Omaha Police Department Gang in the amount of \$82,017.00; 14-VP-5002, Hall County Violence Prevention in the amount of \$1,288.00; 14-VP-5003, Lancaster County Operation Tipping Point in the amount of \$54,736.00; 14-VP-5004, NorthStar Foundation in the amount of \$67,390.00; 14-VP-5005, La Casa del Pueblo in the amount of \$32,695.00; 14-VP-5006, Black Men United Urban Pre Vocational Training in the amount of \$81,179.00; 15-VP-5000, Hope Center for Kids Village Basketball Alliance in the amount of \$19,875.00; 15-VP-5001, SOVIP – Events and Back to school Bash in the amount of \$8,000.00; 15-VP-5002, Heartland Family Service – Victim Empathy in the amount of \$10,386.00; 15-VP-5003, Girls Inc of Omaha – Girls with Futures in the amount of \$27,305.00; 15-VP-5004, Urban League of Nebraska-Urban Youth Empowerment Series in the amount of \$102,478.00; 15-VP-5005, African American Empowerment Network in the amount of \$181,965.00; 15-VP-5006, Banister's Leadership Academy, no funding; and 14-VP-5007, Compassion in Action Inc., in the amount of \$30,695.00. Voting in favor: Beadle, Eatherton, Ford and Sasse. Motion carried.*

### V. OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business.

### VI. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting will be September 1, 2015 at the Crime Commission Office at 10:00 AM. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:05 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,



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