

**SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES  
YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION  
MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 2017  
6:30 P.M., EAST GRANBY FARMS**

**Members Present: Bob Ravens-Seger, Angela Ciottone, Caroline Tuczenski, Eugenia Drake and Mary Shelton.**

**First Selectman Jim Hayden was also in attendance.**

1. Call To Order – 6:30PM, All Present
2. Public Comment on Agenda Items - None
3. Correspondence - None
4. Review of Minutes - NA
5. Additions To Agenda - None
6. Old Business
  - a) Safe Dates HS – Dates and Review of Flyer
    - Flyer and dates in place for abbreviated program
    - Will take place at the high school with Room TBD
    - Need to advertise at school directly since Talk Turkey Deadline missed
  - b) YAC feedback/updates attaining goals
    - Middle School - Continue to encourage independent events and challenge youth.
      - Holiday Baskets
      - Fundraising Ideas and Community Events
      - Creating T Shirts
      - Planning Improvement Project for the Spring
    - High School- Continue to encourage independent events and challenge youth.

- Attend State Rep Committee Meeting
- Capstone Project
- Fundraising Opportunities

## 7. New Business

### a) Programming

- Board of Ed/Prevention Speakers
  - Bob will be the Liaison
  - Board of Ed supports initiative
  - Need to identify and vet potential speakers
  - Angela will provide Bob with speaking engagements dates to view presentations with speakers previously discussed.
- Spring Programs
  - QPR – Suicide Prevention
    - April 26, 2017
  - Roundtables posted on website
  - Red Cross Babysitting
  - Students expressed interested in Dealing with Stress Program – Angela to reach out to Sandy/AnnMarie.

## 8. Promotion

- Tablecloth/Event Planning to Increase Awareness
  - Potential Events
    - Art Show

- High School play and movie
- Little League Opening Day
- 5k
- Duck Derby
- Future Promotions/Fundraising
  - Lanyards, T shirts, Water bottles

#### 9. Media/Publications

-Safe Dates Flyer approved for posting/submission to school

#### 10. Membership

- Nomination - Vice Chair
  - Mary Motioned to nominate Bob Ravens-Seger. Eugenia Second
  - Eugenia motioned to close nominations. Bob Second
    - Motioned Carried Unanimously
- Vote on Vice Chair
  - Vote on Original Nomination of Bob Ravens-Seger as Vice Chair.
    - Motion carried Unanimously

#### 11. Public Comment - None

#### 12. Adjournment – 7:15pm

Next Meeting: February 20, 2017

Respectfully submitted, Mary Shelton