



Thursday, January 18, 2024

1:30 pm to 3:00 pm

IN-PERSON

10th Judicial District Attorney's Office – 701 Court St, Pueblo, CO 81003

MINUTES

1. Welcome/Introductions

Attendees: Jesse Sena, Kristina Harris, Michael Botello, Diego Rivera, Ryan Flanagan, Romez Ybarra, Brandon Samora, Ruby Martinez, Pablo Marquez, Sue Mueller, Chelsea Pool, Becky Medina, James Patterson, William Wright, Tara Chaparro, Felysha Valdez, Jena Sanchez

2. General updates

- National Mentoring Month Celebration – January 25, 5:30-7:00pm
 - Location: Rawlings Library, Ryals Grand Event Space, 4th Floor
 - CYDC: possible to get a gift card for the performer
 - Link to RSVP: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2024-pueblo-mentoring-celebration-tickets-789274941597?aff=oddtcreator>

3. Speaker: Brandon Samora – YMCA

- Phone: (719) 543-5151 x 212
- E-mail: bsamora@puebloymca.org

4. Partner updates

- Crossroads
 - First day of teaching
 - Planning for We are the Chain event in March
- Pueblo Child Advocacy Center
 - Blue Sneakers Ball planning commencing
 - New hires
- Jesse Senna
 - Pueblo Has Talent, Auditions April 6th, at the Pueblo Mall
- Halfway Home
 - Mentoring program upcoming month
 - Prepping for summer camp program
 - Gave away 500+ toys for winter toy drive
- Michael Botello (HB 1451)
 - Day Treatment: School and therapy combo program. Meeting on Jan. 3 to bring back a Day Treatment program to Pueblo
 - Hope House (Canon City): Recently opened, young parent housing, services, case management



- Distribution Centers
- Campus Connections
 - Created a mural with youth
 - Building Program for spring
- UWPC
 - Moving buildings to W. 3rd St.
 - Mentoring: Upcoming Jekyll & Hyde Ballet Show in February
 - Mentoring Celebration on January 25
- D. Vine Connections
 - Cinco de Mayo Event: Free Faith Based event upcoming with a car show
 - MC Boulevard will be performing for event
 - April, Ten minute talks: Every Friday, Choices and Consequences and different subjects where youth can gather and speak
 - Behind the D.Vine building, there is a distribution center for food and information. Every Sunday at 3pm.
- Pueblo Boys And Girls Club
 - Opening a 10th Club soon
 - Over 2000 youth members
 - Hiring Part-time positions
 - Outdoor Equity- Taking highschoolers to go skiing soon
- D60 – Mckinney Findel Program
 - Resource Fair at the Zoo on May 3rd. Details TBD
 - Over 500 students qualified for program
- CYDC
 - Provide support services to youth after detention release
- Faith Ridge Ministries
 - Carpentry and automotive youth mentoring (12-18)
 - Restarting their program and mentoring shop
 - Muellers Auto- Every May and September: provide free oil changes to single moms
 - Will be connecting with Mentor Colorado

5. Thank you to Mentoring Celebration Sponsors

Next meeting:
Thursday, February 15, 2024
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
10th Judicial District Attorney's Office