



August 19, 2021

Minutes

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Introductions

Pam Strickland, NC Stop Human Trafficking
Venus Curry, Pitt County Sheriff's Office
Minerva Freeman, Pitt County Family Development Corp., Inc.
Travis White, Pitt County Sheriff's Office
Jay Saunders, Pitt County District Attorney's Office
Melinda Sampson, NC Stop Human Trafficking
Vashti Kittrell, Pitt County Health Department
Deborah Savage, Pitt County Health Department
Desha Lane, IMPACT Youth
Jeanette Debs, PFLAG
Georgia Childs, Pitt County Health Department
Samine Parris-Stowes, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority

Good News

Travis White attended training with two detectives targeted towards law enforcement dealing with human trafficking cases.
NCSHT working on fundraiser ([BBQ, Bluegrass and Brew](#)).
NCSHT has received a grant from the Community Foundation of NC East.

PCCAHT Account: \$137.33

Vidant Funds Report

Previously received \$5000 grant; have not spent any yet. We have been told we can use this money for emergency needs for victims and survivors; clothes, food, counseling, etc. We are hoping to start a support group for survivors and to use those funds for this. If you know anyone who would be good for the role of support group facilitator, please contact NCSHT.

Project FIGHT update

Still no statewide director and only three case managers for the entire state of NC.

Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) Report

Team is in the formation process and is trying to determine what constituent agencies would best be involved to make the team run most efficiently. They are also working to create MOU's between the agencies and a set of protocols.
Kory Williford, victims specialist for the FBI, has joined the team.

[Training Opportunities](#) (follow this link)

[Human Trafficking Cases in NC](#) (follow this link)

If anyone has suggestions for specific speakers, topics for speakers to discuss or news you want to share from your organization, please let us know!

Announcements:

NC Human Trafficking Commission

August 26, 10 am

[Zoom link](#)

Virtual: Overview of the Anti-Human Trafficking Movement in N.C.

September 8, 2 pm

Register here: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_tEFS4HGmSwWxNaGkyjRt0A

Circle of Security Parenting Series (8 weeks, Thursday nights)

September 9, 16, 23, 30, 7-8:30 pm

October 7, 14, 21, 28, 7-8:30 pm

Register here: <https://forms.gle/qpWN1q4YAWEBdTpi9>

Fourth Annual Domestic Violence Impact Event

October 7, 11 am

Register here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/4th-annual-domestic-violence-impact-luncheon-dv-through-a-childs-eyes-tickets-165212126919>

Human Trafficking & Fair Trade

October 13, 2 pm

Register here: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_dh7hqVBkTJy7FiNpGI2iE

Next Meeting

September 16, 9:30 a.m.

Adjourn

Next meetings- Mark Your Calendars

September 16

October 21

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Email melinda@ncstophumantrafficking.org to add your organization