



**January 19, 2023  
Minutes**

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**Good News**

US Attorney's new Human Trafficking Task Force  
Melinda and Bonnie Jean met Pitt County's new DSS Director. She has experience in screening for and serving victims of HT.

**PCCAHT Mission and Vision**

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**Facilitator for next month**

Bonnie Jean

**Vidant Funds Report:**

\$1300 Balance

Victim services for human trafficked victims in Pitt County  
Housing is the main issue

### **Pitt Co. Human Trafficking MDT Report**

- Next Meeting January 25

### **January is Human Trafficking Awareness Month**

- Proclamations
- Lot of media attention

### **HT Simulation Team Report**

Team: Melinda, Bonnie Jean, Gerrie, Tiffanie, and Liz

- Symposium day-long with 4 scenarios (scripts for sex, labor, etc. trafficking)
- Understand the importance of all scenarios through different trainings and community resilience
- Some time in May and looking for a venue

### **Human Trafficking Cases**

- Child porn cases are the top cases being reported on the news and federally
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### **Presentation**

**PAM STRICKLAND:** Announcement of Queen City Report - would PCCAHT like to do a study similar to this?

Report: [Exploitation of Minors in the Queen City: An Examination of Human Trafficking of Minors in Mecklenburg County 2023](#)

Mecklenburg Co Human Trafficking Task Force collected data for 3 years about minors identified as victims of sexual exploitation. The data will be used to target geographical areas needing prevention and outreach services (based on the zip codes of the victims reported). The data will be used to determine what ages minor victims are identified, in order to determine what services need to be available.

### **Announcements:**

#### **Big Kahuna Challenge**

- Great Harvest Bread Co. (Big Kahuna proceeds go to NC Stop Human Trafficking)

#### **Kendra Scott Fundraiser**

- Raleigh and Durham locations for January 28th

**NC Demand Reduction Task Force webinar sessions are recorded and available here:**

[North Carolina Demand Reduction Task Force - YouTube](#)

### **NAMI Education & Support Meeting**

2nd Tuesday of the month-6:30-8:30pm

First Christian Church, 2810 E. 14th Street, Greenville, NC 27858

- Education and support meeting February 14th (self-care, rock painting, etc.)

### **Family Support Group Meeting**

1st and 3rd Tuesday each month- 6:30-8:00 pm

Covenant Church, 4015 Corey Road, Winterville, NC 28590

For more info about the 2 groups above, contact NAMI Pitt County at 252-902-6264 (NAMI)

Email: [namipittco@gmail.com](mailto:namipittco@gmail.com)

### **Training Opportunities**

#### **Stewards of Children Training**

Training in child Sexual Abuse Recognition, Response, and Prevention.

Thursday, January 19, 2023 6:00-8:15PM

<https://forms.gle/JzviCaUuVC3p35RU6>

#### **Webinar: Sex Trafficking: What's Porn got to do with it?**

Tuesday, January 24, 2pm

[Register](#)

#### **Tips for Keeping Kids Safe Online**

Thursday, January 26, 7pm

[Register](#)

#### **BRACE Event**

April 29, 2023, 10:30-1:30

Wyldwood Park

#### **Next Meeting**

February 16, 9:30 a.m.

Self care activity led by Bonnie Jean: Painting rocks with positive messages

#### **Adjourn**

#### **Next meetings- Mark Your Calendars**

March 16

April 20

May 18

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