

MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
Northville Youth Network Commission

DATE: November 14, 2023
TIME: 8AM
PLACE: Northville Community Center

1. CALL TO ORDER: Meeting was called to order by Vice Chair Michael Kelly at 8:04 AM.
2. ROLL CALL: *Present:* Cyndy Jankowski, Michael Kelly, Amy Knoth, Caarin Kogut, Andrew Krenz, Beth Santer,
Excused: Marianne Barry, Danielle Pine, Sherrie Winfield
Staff Members: Amy Prevo, Kerri Ann Sondreal
Guests: None

2. Approval of Meeting Minutes
Moved by Cyndy Jankowski to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on October 20, 2023. Seconded by Beth Santer. Motion passed.

3. Program Report – Director Prevo

NYN continues to create programming to be proactive vs. reactive. Restorative practice/risk reduction workshops are now available at each building level. With cultural insensitivity incidents increasing in 6th graders, elementary level workshops were recently added. These workshops were created to support youth who have been referred by schools, police and/or parents. Feedback has been positive.

In response to a question on increasing numbers of referrals, Amy Prevo explained that with increased networking efforts, referrals are coming from additional sources.

Kerri Ann Sondreal reinforced her excitement with 19 participants at the latest Overbooked Book Club held at Hillside.

4. Financial Report – Director Prevo
On track with anticipated budgeted amounts for 2023.

5. Liaison Reports

Northville Township – Cyndy Jankowski

- Northville Township made history yesterday when Clerk Jankowski gave the oath to 5 new firefighters, two of whom are the township's first female recruits.
- Three pathway connectors nearing completion by year end.
- Essential Services Complex to start earthwork/utility work, after Board approves the contract on the November BoT agenda.
- Skatepark will not be ready for boarding enthusiasts until spring. Will most likely fence the area to keep current work pristine over the winter months.
- Partners in Your Safety event at Northville High School, November 28, starting at 6pm. Topics to include social media apps/uses, online enticement, sexting, cyberbullying, etc. Come meet our Township School Resource Officers.

