

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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The Nevada Human Trafficking Coalition Meeting Minutes 04/09/2024 11:00 am

Attendees

Coalition Members

	Co-Chair Karla Delgado		Jason Guinasso
Χ	Co-Chair Nicole Reilly		Kayla Smith
Χ	Aleyta Zimmerman	Χ	Kimberly Small
Χ	Brenda Sandquist	Χ	Lauren Boitel
	Danica Pierce		Melissa Holland
	Eric Evans	Χ	Pamela Payne
Χ	Elisabeth Barnard	Χ	Veronica Dahir
Χ	Elizabeth Abdur-Raheem		Traci Trenoweth
Χ	Eithne-Marie Barton		Tracy Harig

Public Members in Attendance

Thaliah Ling-Sudler	Belz & Case Government	
	Affairs	
Dorothy Edwards	Lachell Jordan	
HEAT	Izaac Rowe	
Maria Janos	Sabrina Schnur	
Janet Lombardo	Greg Flores	
Jennifer	April St. James	
Tony Garrow	Anthony Gonzalez	
Cara Paoli		
Rossana Dagdagan		

1. Welcome, Call to Order, Roll Call

The meeting is being recorded. Co-Chair Nicole Reilly called the meeting to order. She took roll call and identified that there were 10 coalition members present and quorum was met.

2. Initial Public Comment

No comments.

3. Review of March 12, 2024, Meeting Minutes:

Co-Chair Nicole Reilly asked for edits on the March 12, 2024, meeting minutes. Elisabeth Barnard stated that her and Aleyta Zimmerman's names needed to be corrected in section 3 of the minutes. Brenda Sandquist moved to approve the minutes and Pamela Payne seconded the motion. Meeting minutes were unanimously approved.

4. Nevada Human Trafficking State Plan Draft

Co-Chair Nicole Reilly presented the draft state plan, asked the group if they had time to review the plan and if anyone had any thoughts. Co-Chair Nicole Reilly asked if subcommittees had been created in the previous meeting, Veronica Dahir and Lauren Boitel stated that subcommittees were not created at the last meeting. Co-Chair Nicole Reilly suggested subcommittees for the different sections of the plan which could potentially create 3 subcommittees: Identification and Outreach (1 and 2 in the plan), Prevention, Education, Coordination and Collaboration (3 and 5 in the plan), and Data collection and evaluation (4 in the plan). Pamela Payne asked about the data and stated we the coalition would want to find out what data we have that identifies victims statewide. Coalition members can volunteer to serve on one of the subcommittees. Veronica Dahir suggested inviting Dr. Alexis Kennedy to these meetings as she works for the Center for Analysis of Crime Statistics and has been tasked with gathering data for human trafficking pursuant to SB389 of the 2023 legislative session. Veronica Dahir stated that Lauren Boitel may have some data as she was helping to provide data to the Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) Coalition.

5. Next Meeting Date: May 14, 2024, 11am – 12:30am or until adjournment. Co-Chair Nicole Reilly stated that for the next meeting there will be an item added to the agenda to request that the meeting be moved to bi-monthly to allow for the administrative work for the coalition to be completed between meetings. Pamela Payne requested that that she be provided the calendar invite to make sure that it's on her calendar, Nicole Reilly stated that there is a calendar invite and that the coalition members will all be sent the invite but if members of the public would like to have it on their calendar, they can request the invite. Member of the public, Jennifer, requested to have the invite sent to her and provided her email.

6. Final Public Comment - Discussion Only

No public comment

7. Adjournment

Thank you all for participating. Next meeting will be held May 14, 2024, 11:00 am