## MAYOR'S DRUG ABUSE TASK FORCE

## **Organizational Meeting**

September 24, 2009

## Franklin Police Department

## Attendees:

Joe Giunta, Councilor Bob Sharon, Melissa Rizzo, Sheriff Hilliard, Chief Goldstein, Manager Corrow, John Knowles, Kathie Russo, Mayor Merrifield.

Discussion centered on the immediate future, and what strategies to employ. Ken related that Danielle Barker suggested a youth focus and an adult focus.

Joe Giunta discussed formation of a mission statement. He distributed Elks materials, and we will take up the missions statement at the next meeting.

The group also discussed getting input from Shannon Swett. Melissa will contact. This meeting will be held with an eye towards a formation of a public awareness event, where strategies can be discussed.

Next meeting: Franklin Hospital Conference Room – October 14 at 6:30pm.