Suicide Prevention and Mental Health Coalition

November 19, 2014 – Meeting Minutes

Jennifer Selfridge, Peter Whelley, Frances Strayer, Barbara Beede, Len Wetherbee, Jeri King,

2015 Warrant Article

Eve shared our current financial details and the numbers of people served, year to date.

By year-end we anticipate drawing down this years allotment and so we plan to request the same amount for next year. This is cautiously optimistic in light of possible changes to ACA.

(Peter and Scott will work on this)

Who is not at the table?

Jennifer suggested that we reach out to Emily Benson.

Future PLans

This is International Suicide Survivors weekend. Contact NAMI for next year. Next month begin to talk with folks at NAMI re hosting a meeting spot here in Moultonborough. Meredith and Plymouth are hosting this year.

Peter gave an overview of the **SOS program**. And will send out details to the coalition members. Will bring video next time as we look at providing a training for others in the surrounding area. Program will be introduced to students at MA in December. Faculty and Staf and several community members have attended the 10/10/14 presentation at MA (see attached)

Also contact NAMI re: suggestion of Liquor Store exposure to prevention. And bartender training. TIPS training....... Perhaps utilizing the Recognize and Connect as well as the SOS models. Next month we will bring materials of both for discussion.

New Business for Next Time:

Bring Folders for Survivors for Review next meeting. Jennifer will bring Connect materials and Peter will bring the SOS materials.