

February 9th, 2023 Minutes Health and wellness commission

## 1. CALL TO ORDER:

- Kim calls the meeting to order at 7:05
- Present: Kimberly Kelly, Sabina Nduaguaba, Ronalie Abeyratne

## 2. APPROVE MINUTES: January 12, 2023 minutes

- Moved by Ixya vega seconded by Alexandra,

## 3. REPORT ON CITY COUNCIL DISCUSSIONS

- Disappointment on Morgantown city council not making more of a statement about campus carry
- BOPARC approved bonds for the skating rink

## 4. COMMITTEE MEMBER REPORTS ON CURRENT EVENTS

## 5. FOLLOW-UP ITEMS:

### A. Elections

Kim nominated Alexandria as chair and was seconded by Susan

Ixya Nominates Jennie Smith-Peers seconded by Susan

Kim nominated Sabina as secretary seconded by Susan

Kim appointed Ronalie as Social media chair seconded by Jennie

### B. Substance Abuse/Misuse (smoking, opioids)

- A desire to do some work with the AARP money and use it to help out with the climbing gym that's closing
  - Making sure that we keep communications open with our attorney to make sure that the money is trickled down well

### C. Events

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D. Policy from the state legislature

E. Physical Activity

F. Mental Health

G. Food Insecurity

H. Grants

- We may want to apply for the AARP Community Challenge Grant Program and use it to bring information to the city
  - Jennie suggests more collaboration with other folks in the city and creating a bigger event to bring information to the city about issues like mental health. Mainstreet Morgantown is already going to be a part of the grant and maybe we can partner with them as HWC

**6. NEW BUSINESS:**

**7. PUBLIC PORTION:**

A. DJOURNMENT:

7:53 first by Ixya seconded by Sabina

Next meeting: March 9, 2023, via Zoom