



MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, March 26, 2025

Jennings County Courthouse

24 North Pike Street

Vernon, Indiana 47282

Attendees: Zoom: Amanda Lawson, Andy Judd, Carin Hurt, Cathy Vawter, Cody Low, David Cheatham, Dustin Vice, Jeremy Bays, Lucas Newsom, Nicholas Kirtman, Riley Murphy, Shana Richmond, Sherry Porter, and Steve Sharer.

- I. Welcome and Introduction: Resources from RCORP grant which assists those in rural areas access resources; referrals need to be impacted by substance use. 180 RCO meeting schedules and annual event. Need more Jennings County representation at the 180 RCO annual dinner, it is a free event!
- II. Old Business
 - a. Review and approval of February 26, 2025 minutes: For state grants, all are due within the next month and will be ready on time to submit.
 - b. BJA and other federal grant applications: federal grants are stalled.
 - c. Drug Court/Adult Recovery Court (ARC) certification meetings this month.
 - d. Pretrial Updates: Now has office space in the basement.
 - e. AllRise Training for ARC May 7-9 at Judy Love Professional Development Center, see registration link if you are attending or a proxy.
 - f. RISE May 28-31 in Kissimmee, FL;
 - g. Judicial Services Conference in Indianapolis, April 15-17



- h. Grant procedure moving forward
 - iv. Judge Bright will research if JRAC is permitted to be an individual entity.
- III. New Business
 - a. Rural Communities Opioid Response Team: next month the grant team will be available
 - b. Judge Bright presented signed MOU for 180 RCO
 - c. Judge Bright will sign MOU for Pretrial services for provider Nathan Floyd, LCSW.
 - d. Judge Bright will work on report updating goals from SIM mapping; we have accomplished many of the 5 areas of community need.
 - e. CISM: Shana Richmond updates that there has been barrier to moving forward and policy needs to be updated with Jennings County community standards.
 - f. CIT update: trainings next month and in September.
- IV. Adjourn at 12:40pm.