

Campus Safety and Security Task Force

MINUTES

Tuesday, September 11, 2018, 2:00 p.m.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS: Chancellor Glen D. Johnson welcomed members and guests Jimmy Poe, Western Oklahoma State College (via videoconference); Joshua Busby, Langston University; Jeff Harp, University of Central Oklahoma; Ron Ramming, Connors State College; Janet Cunningham, Northwestern Oklahoma State University; Steve Turner, Northeastern State University (via phone); Bill Knowles, Seminole State College; Lee Bird, Oklahoma State University; Elicia Berryhill and Kodi Pollard, Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services; Sam Holt, Murray State College; Richard Andrews, Rose State College; John DeBoard, Cameron University; Kim Edd Carter, Oklahoma Office of Homeland Security; Michelann Ooten, Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management; Durward Cook, Southeastern Oklahoma State University; Nancy Hughes, University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma; Roger Webb, Task Force consultant; and Angela Caddell, Rachel Bates and Sharon Bourbeau, Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education.

APPROVAL OF JUNE 6 MEETING MINUTES: Chancellor Johnson asked task force members to review the minutes of the June 6, 2018, meeting. The minutes were approved by a voice vote.

UPDATE ON MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID AND JED INITIATIVES: Chancellor Johnson introduced Elicia Berryhill and Kodi Pollard with the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, who provided an update on ODMHSAS' Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) instructor program and JED grant. Berryhill told members that since 2016, ODMHSAS had made strides to provide higher education campuses with the support and resources needed for mental health. She said that 12 campuses were participating in MHFA initiatives and that she was currently seeking more campuses willing to certify instructors. Pollard noted that approximately 20 more people were recently certified as instructors at an MHFA Train the Trainer session at Oklahoma State University, and that plans are underway to offer another instructor training opportunity. Pollard added that with the support of the National Council on Behavioral Health, the MHFA training curriculum was modified to fulfill the need for condensed MHFA training for campus resident assistants. Angela Caddell said that several campuses could be interested in the condensed training for resident assistants, and that the information could be shared with the State Regents' Council on Student Affairs for further discussion.

Berryhill said that JED Foundation training was also going well. She indicated that following a fall 2017 summit for colleges and universities across the state, six campuses in the highest risk counties committed to serve as JED certified campuses. Caddell asked if there would be another entry point for other campuses that may be interested in becoming involved; Berryhill said yes.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: Johnson told members that he would give the update in the absence of LeeAnna McNally. Johnson told members that Gov. Mary Fallin vetoed SB 1212, which would have allowed rifles, long guns, shotguns, swords and knives on campus. He told members that the Governor would be recognized at the upcoming Campus Safety & Security Summit on Nov. 1. He reminded members that the bill would likely be back due to significant support on the House and Senate side, and noted that the Legislature would need to be educated about higher education's position, as more than 50 percent of legislators in the 2019 session would be new, and up to 70 percent would have less than two years of service.

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(RTTX): Johnson asked Caddell to provide information about the Oklahoma RTTX. She told members the exercise would be hosted at UCO on Oct. 11. Jeff Harp told members that registration was full, but they were adding people to a wait list. He said that his campus had to compete for the opportunity, and that UCO was honored to be chosen to host the exercise.

CAMPUS EMERGENCY MANAGER CONSORTIUM UPDATE: Johnson asked Caddell to provide an update on work of the Campus Emergency Managers Consortium in the absence of Lisa Teel and Sarah Kimball. Teel and Kimball were attending the multi-hazards in higher education course at Redlands Community College, an initiative of the consortium in partnership with the Oklahoma Office of Homeland Security and Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management. Caddell thanked OKOHS and OEM for their support and generosity, which made it possible to offer the costly course at a more affordable rate for campuses. Caddell told members that emergency management personnel from 13 colleges and universities, as well as several technology centers, had signed up to participate in the course.

WORKGROUP REPORTS: Johnson asked for workgroup reports.

Campus Best Practices (Lee Bird, Chair): Bird told members that she had no updates from her committee. She told members that her campus instituted the 'Greek 100' initiative to train 100 peer educators to provide student training in four areas: bystander intervention, sexual assault, drug and alcohol abuse, and hazing. She indicated the university president would also require all corporate officers and house parents to complete the training as a condition of permission to host social activities and house freshmen. Caddell asked if Bird or someone from her team would be willing to share the training model with the task force, since others might be interested in scaling this type of initiative for their campuses. Bird agreed.

Issue Monitoring, Advocacy and Research (Larry Rice, Chair): Caddell provided the report in the absence of Rice. She said that the workgroup would continue to stand ready to mobilize advocacy when support was needed to address legislation pertaining to campus safety and security.

Training and Plan Development (Michelann Ooten, Chair): Ooten reported that the workgroup was focused on developing content for the upcoming summit. She reported that more than 400 people recently attended the OEM Annual Conference and told members about upcoming related events, including the Great Shakeout on Oct. 18 at 10:18 a.m. and the statewide Earth Wind and Fire exercise on Nov. 15.

2018 STATEWIDE SUMMIT UPDATE: Johnson told members that planning continued for the third campus safety summit, which would take place Nov. 1, 2018. He asked Caddell to update members on the planning process.

Caddell told members that the keynote speakers had been confirmed. Gov. Mary Fallin would provide opening remarks and would be recognized for her veto of SB 1212. Dr. Kimberly Dickman, a nationally recognized expert on sexual assault prevention and education and director of the sexual assault prevention and response efforts for the U.S. Air Force Academy, would be the morning plenary speaker. Caddell thanked OKOHS for providing funding to cover Dr. Dickman's stipend. Caddell said that, with financial support from OEM, the luncheon keynote would feature two speakers from the University of Utah: campus police chief Dale Brophy and Jeffrey Graviet, who serves as the university's emergency management director. Their keynote address would share outcomes and lessons learned from a 2017 domestic violence incident that spilled onto the Utah campus, resulting in a carjacking and homicide.

Caddell added that concurrent session topics would include planning drill exercises, medical emergencies in the classroom, Title IX investigations, Clery Act compliance, assessing and addressing disruptive student behavior, mental health issues, business continuity, behavioral cybersecurity, earthquake preparedness and social media, among others. She said that work also continues with the Midwest City Police Department to develop the live exercise, which would include a domestic violence de-escalation scenario this year. She noted that she was working with CLEET to secure accreditation for the 2018 summit, and that State Regents' staff was working with Rose State College to recruit exhibitors offering products and services of

interest to attendees. In closing, Caddell said that registration would open in mid-September, and that the cost would be \$105 for early bird registration, then \$120 per person.

FY19 TASK FORCE MEETING DATES: Johnson asked Caddell to present the upcoming meeting dates. Caddell outlined the dates, noting that the November meeting had been moved to Monday, Nov. 5 at 2 p.m., and told members that a schedule was available at the back of the room.

OPEN DISCUSSION: Johnson asked Roger Webb to share his thoughts and perspectives. Webb told members the list of threats that had been brought up during the course of the meeting numbered 15, ranging from harassment to hazing to earthquakes. He reminded members that fear and anger engulfed Americans 17 years ago on Sept. 11, 2001, and that members should be ever mindful there was and is a serious threat of terrorism at all times.

Webb told members that Albert Ashwood, OEM director and task force member, had retired. Kim Carter mentioned that Gov. Fallin had confirmed Oooten as the new director. He added that there would be a FEMA-sponsored Continuity of Operations (COOP) training during the week of Sept. 24 in Oklahoma City. Caddell committed to share the COOP training information with the Task Force membership.

WRAP UP AND COMMENTS: Johnson reminded members the next meeting would take place Nov. 5 at 2 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 2:55 p.m.