**Harford County Harm Reduction Community Advisory Board**

**Meeting Minutes**

**Wednesday, February 9, 2022**

**Mt. Zion, Bel Air & virtually via Google Meet**

**Attendance:**

Clay A.

Meg K.

Shawn P.

Tara L.

Zach K.

Alison I.

Jen G.

Jason B.

Greg F.

Austin T.

Erin W.

Jack K.

Karen F.

Kelci R.

Linda B.

Linda S.

Sandi G.

Jon F.

Conor R.

1. **Introductions/Icebreaker**
Icebreaker Question: What bucket list item do you most want to check off in next six months?
2. **Notes from the Health Department**
	1. Nothing major at this time
	2. No questions for Health Department staff from the group
3. **Discussion: Suicide Prevention**
	1. Presentation by Tara Lathrop, ODCP and the Suicide Prevention Workgroup
	2. Resources to be shared along with the minutes
	3. Jon plugged Mobile Crisis and emphasized 24/7 availability of crisis services
	4. Robust discussion of available services
	5. Conversation about importance of mental health services regardless substance use history or diagnosis(es)
	6. Discussion of overlap and/or distinction between overdose and suicide
4. **Workgroup/organization Updates**
	1. Voices of Hope expanding services in Cecil (housing) and Harford (harm reduction)
	2. Health Department launching overdose notification pilot to support coordinated county-wide overdose survivor outreach