AGENDA

1:00 – 1:15 Welcome, Introductions (Chair Stephanie Thompson)

1:15 – 1:25 OCC update (Jolinda LaClair, Director of Drug Prevention Policy)

1:25 – 1:30 Briefing on Iceland Model information session

1:30 – 2:45 Panel: Community-Based Coalitions and Initiatives: Sharing Experience, Supporting Initiatives

**Purpose:** Support establishment or enhancement of community-based initiatives focused on improving a communities-based response to the opioid epidemic.

- Mentoring
- Grant access
- CommSTAT/RutSTAT replication
- Toolkit (Replicate best practices)
- Share resources
- Leadership
- Regular connection for implementation
  - Recommendations needed by October 1 – so meetings July, August and early September will be key. After that, up to the group how to support each other...part of the strategy development.

Confirmed Presenters who will open the conversation:

- **Chittenden County Opioid Alliance:** Kayla Donahue, Data Analyst
- **Project VISION, Rutland** – Cmdr. Matt Prouty, Project VISION Director, and Katrina Caouette, Southwestern VT Council on Aging
- **Drug Abuse Resistance Team (DART), St. Johnsbury, and Wells River collaboration 302 Cares:** Cheryl Chandler, Regional Prevention Partnership; and Don Waterman, Wells River Village Trustee
- **Prevention, Intervention, Treatment, Recovery (PITR), Newport:** Sunny Naughton, Regional Prevention Partnership Program Coordinator
- **St. Albans:** Lt. Robert Lucas, Vermont State Police. Nicholas Tebbetts, Anthony Stevens
- **ACTION, Springfield:** Stephanie Thompson, Springfield Select Board

1:30 – 2:15 **Brief presentations from each of the organizations on the panel:**

The history, evolution, structure, funding/staffing, achievements, what makes for sustainability; and a key observation from this organization’s experience

2:15 – 2:45 **Discussion and Strategy Development:** Creating a system/network of peer-mentoring and a toolkit for communities

2:45 Check-in around the table

2:55 Upcoming meetings

3:00 Adjourn