

King County Regional Opioid Abatement Council (OAC) Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: April 11th, 2024

Location: Microsoft Teams

Attendees:

- Brad Finegood, Public Health—Seattle & King County (OAC member representing King County)
- Jeff Sakuma, City of Seattle (OAC member representing the City of Seattle)
- Kent Hay, City of Auburn (OAC member representing Sound Cities Association)
- Addy Borges, Public Health—Seattle & King County (staff supporting OAC administration)
- Laura Meader, Public Health—Seattle & King County (staff supporting OAC administration)

Meeting Minutes:

Presenter	Agenda Item	Discussion
All	<p style="text-align: center;">Follow up items from last meeting</p>	<p>King County circulated the Real Estate Excise Tax (REET) OAC Frequently Asked Questions document to cities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OAC has received several questions about the timeline of these transactions. King County admin staff are verifying this information with the finance team. <p>OAC cross-referenced expenditure reports received with Approved Uses list with cities.</p> <p>OAC meeting today to refine reporting structure and requirements for the next reporting period.</p>
L. Meader	<p style="text-align: center;">J&J sign on deadline</p>	<p>OAC reviewed Johnson & Johnson paperwork and upcoming deadline.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthcare Authority’s Learning Collaborative call featured an update that the Johnson & Johnson one-time payment is coming later this summer. Participating cities and counties need to sign on to the Janssen Settlement Participation Form by May 11th to receive the maximum possible funds. This form can be completed on the National Opioid Official Settlement portal (link: nationalopioidofficialsettlement.com) OR cities can complete a hard copy (link: Microsoft Word - JNJ WA Settlement Draft (1-22-24).docx (amazonaws.com)), scan, and return to AGO via email: Jeffrey.Rupert@atg.wa.gov and comopioidscases@atg.wa.gov • King County OAC admin staff will coordinate with the Prosecuting Attorney’s Office (PAO) to circulate this information and deadline to cities. • In early May, admin staff will work with PAO to remind cities that have not yet signed on.
OAC members	<p style="text-align: center;">Reporting</p>	<p>OAC discussed additional considerations for reporting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reporting will be annual. Information should be presented to the public cumulatively. Yearly, cities will be asked about the

		<p>total funds received to date and the previous year's expenditures. OAC administrative, communications, and epidemiologic support will calculate and present cumulative information. OAC will include the percentage of funding that each city is receiving.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OAC members discussed the difference between expenditure and allocation: cities will be asked to report <u>expenditures</u>. <p>Next steps for reporting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Health – Seattle & King County is finalizing hiring for OAC epidemiologic support. In the coming weeks, OAC admin staff will meet with the epidemiologist and communications specialist to develop options for the OAC's data dashboard. • In the meantime, OAC admin staff will work with communications to determine feasibility of posting preliminary reporting information on OAC website.
A. Borges	Follow up with cities that have not submitted report	All cities have now submitted an expenditure report.
All	Schedule next OAC meeting	OAC will meet on May 22 nd .

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- OAC admin staff will meet with the epidemiologist and communications specialist to develop options for the OAC's data dashboard.