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Kleefisch's Final Coalition to Combat Heroin

OCONOMOWOC – Representative Joel Kleefisch of the 38th Assembly District will host his final Coalition to Combat Heroin meeting on Tuesday, December 13th at the State Capitol in Madison at 2:00pm.

The coalition began in August with members discussing their perspectives on how heroin usage transitions from the medicine cabinet to street heroin. The group was broken down into three teams: Over-Prescription, Education and Criminal Justice. Those teams met separately and came up with bill ideas and solutions.

"The meetings have been extremely successful. We have several legislative proposals that will be introduced as soon as session starts," Kleefisch said.

The following individuals have participated in the coalition: Former Police Chief David Beguhn of the City of Oconomowoc, Police Chief Jim Wallis of the Town of Oconomowoc, Police Chief Don Wiemer of the Village of Oconomowoc, District Attorney Sue Oppen of Waukesha County, Pastor Terry Fulks of Cross Point Community Church, Dr. Timothy Westlake of ProHealth Oconomowoc Memorial Hospital, Sheriff Eric Severson of Waukesha, Marty Calderon - Executive Director of God Touch Ministry, Sandi Lybert - founder of Your Choice to Live, Representative Janel Brandtjen, Representative Cindi Duchow, Representative Evan Goyke, Representative Cody Horlacher, Representative John Nygren, Jennifer Malcore on behalf of Representative John Nygren, Dave Eichstaedt – Pharmacist and owner of Prescription Center Pharmacy, Laura Myrah - Arrowhead Superintendent, Roger Rindo - Oconomowoc Superintendent, Joseph Moylan - Oconomowoc High School Principal, Jeff Walters - Principal of Kettle Moraine High School, Mike Vuolo - Associate Principal of Kettle Moraine High School, Representative LaTonya Johnson, Representative Chris Taylor, Sarah Gibbs on behalf of Ken Skowronski, Mary Reis on behalf of Representative Tom Larson and Myranda Tanck on behalf of Senator Scott Fitzgerald.

Members of the community are welcome to attend and observe the meeting.

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