



Hudson Valley Veterans Task Force Meeting

Wednesday, November 8th @ 9:00 AM- 11:00 AM

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The mission of the Hudson Valley Veteran Task Force is to address the needs of those who served by having relevant agencies meet collectively, regularly, and cooperatively, to ensure the timely administration of services and referrals in order to achieve an end to Veteran homelessness and meet their immediate and long-term needs.

Facilitated by: Megan Castellano, Program Executive Director-Guardian Connect - Guardian Revival, Inc.
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Guest Speakers/Topics of Discussion:

- Karen Shogren - Veterans Directed Care Program - Karen.Shogren@va.gov
- Christopher Holshek - Honor Flight Youth Guardian Program - holshek@hotmail.com

Who's in our community:

- Please welcome Virginia Greco. Virginia has worked many years in the health field and in a variety of settings including hospital, adult and pediatric medical settings and male and female correctional facilities. Her desire is to start a new chapter in her life with her ever-present desire to help people in need of a safe environment especially with housing and necessities including food and clothing.

V Greco vgreco1201@gmail.com

- please welcome Sarah Uzelac, Ph. D., Exec. Dir. at Topfield Equestrian Center to our team.

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What's Happening at VA Health Care- Updates:

- Hudson Valley VA Health Care
 - Montrose and Castle Campus
- Dawn.Schaal (Director VA Hudson Valley HCS)- dawn.schaal@va.gov
- Lenox Okall (MPA, USMC (RET), Outreach Coordinator VA Hudson Valley HCS)-
Lenox.Okall@va.gov

Veterans in crisis:

- WestCOP SSVF Program- Hudson Valley County Homeless Numbers/Updates

Hudson Valley Joseph P. Dwyer Peer Support Project: update on 10th Anniversary Statewide Conference 11/1 and 11/2 in Albany

Ulster County- Vet2Vet of Ulster County

- Gavin T Walters- Gavin.Walters@hvncvr.org

Dutchess County- Vet2Vet of Dutchess County

- Alyssa Carrion - ACarrion@mhadutchess.org

Orange County- Vet2Vet of Orange County

- Thomas Bauer tbauer@mhaorangenys.com

Putnam County- Vet2Vet of Putnam County

- Megan Castellano megancastellano@guardianrevival.org

Rockland County- Vet2Vet of Rockland County

- Izzy Quintana - iquintana@vettovetrc.org

Sullivan County- Vet2Vet of Sullivan County

- Stephen Murphy - smurphy@atitoday.org

Community Spotlight:

- What are you doing/ How can the community support your organization?

Next Meeting:

- Wednesday, December 13th @ 9:00am; hosted by Rockland

Have a blessed and safe Thanksgiving everyone! 😊

2023 Task Force Hosting Schedule:

• December: Rockland

Megan Castellano is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Hudson Valley Veterans Task Force November Meeting

Time: Nov 8, 2023 09:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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