

Consumer Council Conference Call

September 2, 2010

6:00 pm = 7:00 pm

On the Call:

Chair: Mike Weaver - Chair (Charlotte), Dan Shaw (Durham), Laura Eckard (Hickory), Diana Marsh (Guilford), Marc Jacques (Wake), Dave Girod (Alamance), Kristie Myers (Orange)

Staff: Gloria Harrison

Minutes from last meeting were approved.

David Girod talked about his recovery efforts.

Marc Jacques said that his Connections group was dividing into two groups because it was so large. He is also serving on the NAMI Wake County Board, the National Association of Protection of Rights and is attending a Peer to Peer training.

Kristie says that she is visiting with her mother in Florida. She would like to see Peer to Peer training start up in Orange County.

Dan Shaw has been heavily involved as a Peer to Peer support person in Durham County.

Laura Eckard's Connection group is celebrating its one year anniversary.

The callers discussed at length the NAMI annual conference on September 10th and 11th. Plans were made for the Consumer Council business meeting. Mike encouraged everyone who could to attend.

**Submitted by,
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