

Coalition for a Drug Free Nevada County Steering Committee Minutes

January 8th, 2014 2:45 to 3:30pm

Location: Madelyn Helling Library – 980 Helling Way Nevada City

Attendees: Shannon Glaz, NCPH; Shelley Rogers, Melissa Kelley, Ariel Lovett, DFC; Ned Russell, Got 40?; Lindy Beatie, BBBS; Martin Webb, Parent; Sgt. Steve Johnson, GVPD

Minutes & Agenda: Approved

Steering Committee Business

- Reviewed budget and formal carryover request. Request to carry over remaining \$21,008 from 12/13 budget period to current 13/14 budget period. Significant amount remaining largely because we were not able to implement the Alcohol Edu curriculum.
- Continuation application due: mostly stays the same with some budget changes.
- Steering Committee approved carryover request and budget as written. Primarily focused on:
 - School Prevention Policy Coordinator to identify clear policies around substance use issues and consequences on high school campuses in order to address school climate changes
 - PCN coordinators' mileage for Halli and Shasta to do PCN promotion in local schools on a regular basis
 - Contract for high school teacher to coordinate prevention programs/ work with prevention commissioner and coalition
 - Funding for one time cost of transportation for the GSYA to support sustainability efforts
- Coalition staff and youth serving org members met with Vice Principal at NUHS to discuss the current issues with school climate and substance abuse and began developing strategies.
- Working on Continuation application due 01/27 for 9th year. Focuses on same overarching goals / some strategy details change as coalition revisits local conditions.
- COMET Progress report: Shelley working on it – due Feb.11th.

Action Plan updates:

- Coalition & County Tobacco coalition submitted request to be placed on NC City Council Agenda:
 - ECigs and vaporizing: Trends, observational studies, listening sessions. Create awareness and provide information. Review ordinance language.
 - Research and consider reviewing sample policies from other communities that include language about ecigs and vaporizing.
 - Position statements from Nat'l Assoc of Co City Health Officials, Board of Health, etc.
 - Emphasizing the promotion of health in our community.
- Capacity/ Trainings:
 - Shasta Spencer, Youth Intern attending CADCA Feb 3-7,
 - Melissa attending Healthy Retail Survey Media training Feb 3 with Shannon and Devin
- Positive Community Norms – Campus outreach: Halli developed monthly calendar/schedule for outreach on school campuses. Shasta, Coalition intern is doing outreach with Halli
- Evaluation Committee meeting: matrix review: January 14th @ 2:00pm at the Campus

Community Support Network: *Law Enforcement Perspective: Community Trends and Prevention Measures.*

- Sgt. Dan Saunders – Major Crimes Unit NCSO presented on community trends that have national and local impacts: Child exploitation via the internet; Juvenile parties - trends of rape of intoxicated females; Residential burglaries Drugs: Increase in meth use and heroine overdoses
- Det. Chad Ellis, Det. Zach LaFerriere, and Ofcr. Shane Francen: discussed the local impact and measures to impact trends: homelessness, trespassing, panhandling, loitering, shoplifting, drug dealing, mental illness, chronic public intoxication, assaults

Closing Comments & Next Meeting:

Closing Comments & Committee Requests

1. Next Meeting Date: March 12th 2014