



**MERIDIAN ANTI-DRUG
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Meridian Anti-Drug Coalition Executive Committee Meeting Minutes
Meridian Police Department, 1401 E. Watertower
August 15, 2019

*Nichole Herold took notes in Stephany's absence.

TIME	SPEAKER & AGENDA ITEMS	ACTION – PERSON RESPONSIBLE – DEADLINE
3:00	Cheryl Mulvihill, Anti-Drug Coordinator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Additions to Agenda? • Approval of May 16th, 2019 CEC Meeting Minutes (sent out via email) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cheryl asked for all to sign the sign in sheet. • Asked for additions to the agenda. • (all) motion, second, vote to amend or approve minutes • Brenda, then 2nd Mary.
3:05	Kendall Nagy, Director <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Student Presentation Request, <i>Possible</i> Opportunity to Speak to City Council 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Should we provide 20 minutes during a general meeting for a presentation? A BSU student asked Kendall if she could share her recovery story. Team responded with agreeing that she is welcome to present at a meeting date in the near future. • Kendall is giving an update to the city on our progress. Kendall is asking if a CEC member is interested in sharing about their experience working with the coalition. Mary asked about what topics we have already presented on and what would be a new topic. We can talk about our progress over the past five years and how a lot of our numbers have doubled. Mary Liz suggested we use quotes from parents/families we have heard from in the community. September 17th will be the presentation date at 4:30. This is a tentative date. • Contact Kendall if you might be interested in representing the coalition in front of council.
	Sector Representatives: Expanding Prevention Strategies Within the 12 Sectors <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Business: Howard D. 2. Civic/Volunteer: Mary K. 3. Government: Esmeralda P. 	(Promoting upcoming events, recruiting volunteers, offering prevention presentations and resources, sharing continuing edu. opportunities, etc.) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 50 prevention packets: came back to Meridian City Hall Update from Howard regarding the packets: Howard reported as passing these out at several events and will continue to pass out the bags for drug prevention. 2. Dr. Bonnie Halpern-Felsher's September 20-24th visit. Update: Civic Sector Rep. Mary K states: We are having Dr. B. do presentations for our community. She will present at the WASD on Friday Sept 20th. Her presentation will include tobacco and marijuana prevention topics. Dr. Bonnie H.F will also present at BSU. There are no charges for these speeches. 3. Partnership opportunities? Esmerelda was not present at this CEC meeting.

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<p>4. Healthcare: Brenda W.</p> <p>5. Law Enforcement: Brandon F.</p> <p>6. Media: OPEN Position</p> <p>7. Parent: Terry A.</p> <p>8. Religious: Mary Liz J.</p> <p>9. School: Dawn T.</p> <p>10. Substance Abuse: Nichole H.</p> <p>11. Youth: Cole S.</p>	<p>4. Cottonwood Creek flyers for lobby: Brenda reported as putting more flyers in the MPD lobby for Cottonwood Creek. She reported as having a busy month.</p> <p>5. ARIDE training goal for MPD / K9 training St. Brandon Fraiser reported on the topic of training of K-9's. Dogs do not decipher between hemp and cannabis. He spoke on ARIDE training numbers and who has been trained and who will be trained in regards to another training opportunity in March. Sergeant F. also spoke at the AIC conference.</p> <p>6. (all) Identify possible Media Sector Rep. Kendall asked if anyone knows of someone that is willing to be our Media Sector rep for the MADC.</p> <p>7. PTA/PTO Contact List Terry A. reported that Kendall sent her a spreadsheet regarding the schools and Terry reported as wanting to focus on adolescents mainly and is reaching out to PTA and PTO's. Terry reported "you can never start too young to teach kids about the dangers of drugs." Kendall said to reach out to the PTO meetings first and then ask if MADC can share some resources to them. Kendall states that there is more parent involvement in middle schools rather than high schools.</p> <p>8. Church Letter & Contact List Mary Liz reported as needing to make phone calls to some of the faith organizations on the spread sheet she created and the connections we need to make in order to spread our message around our community.</p> <p>9. Cannabis Swabs / Back to School / Id. Healthy Youth Survey Kendall reported the Cannabis Swabs were purchased (400) of them in order to use for testing of school children's vaping devices who attend schools in the West Ada School district. Boise Police Department and Ada County may want to partner with SRO's in the school districts to prevent drug use.</p> <p>10. Note taker / prevention signs in parks Nichole took a photo of an anti-drug sign she found in North Dakota with McGruff the crime dog. Discussion ensued about kid friendly graphic prevention signs that could be used in Meridian parks.</p> <p>11. Youth Volunteer List / Community Block Party</p>
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	<p>12. Youth Serving: Earl S.</p>	<p>Cole reported via Kendall that he is going to find some volunteers for the community block party. MADC will be present with two tables. Please sign the sign-up sheet in order to volunteer. Kendall said we received funding for alcohol compliance check and shoulder tap operations and Red Ribbon Week presenters from Idaho Office of Drug Policy Partnership for Success Grant. Cole will help secure youth decoys for these operations if needed.</p> <p>12. School Policy: Cannabis Earl has sent Kendall a few articles regarding policy and drug free campuses.</p>
<p>3:40</p>	<p>All: Any Additional CEC Business Updates Discussion</p>	<p>Kendall asks if we are all in agreement to keep the CEC meetings quarterly. Meeting adjourned at 3:49 pm.</p>
<p align="center">Meeting Adjourned at 3:45pm. General MADC Meeting to follow at 4pm. Thank you for your leadership, working to prevent substance abuse in our community.</p>		

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