**MERIDIAN ANTI-DRUG COALITION**

**STRENGTHENING OUR COMMUNITY**

Meridian Anti-Drug Coalition CEC Meeting Minutes
Meridian Police Department
August 16, 2018

**Attendees (9):** Bethany Gadzinski, Mary Liz Jones, Earl Scharf, Cheryl Mulvihill, Stephany Galbreath, Ternel Martinez, Nichole Herold, Dawn Tolan, Esmeralda Herrera

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| 3:00 | Cheryl Mulvihill, Anti-Drug Coordinator  
- Welcome | • sign-in sheet signed by all attendees |
| 3:03 | Stephany Galbreath, MADC Secretary  
- Approval of May 17, 2018 CEC Meeting Minutes (sent out via email) | • Motion to approve the meeting by Ternel, second by Mary Liz, All approve meeting minutes |
| 3:05 | Cheryl Mulvihill, Anti-Drug Coordinator  
- Mission, Vision & By-Law Review  
- Action Planning  
  - Annual Training for West Ada Admin  
  - SRO K9 | Review, discuss and submit suggested revisions (submission deadline September 10th 2018).  
- Article IV, Section 1: Ternel suggested we change the wording for background checks to “For the safety of all involved, background checks may be requested for MADC members working directly with youth. Earl and Mary Liz agreed with this change.  
- Article V, Section 3: Earl suggested changing “summer” to a specific timeframe, even if it was “each June or July.”  
- Further suggestions for edits, please email to Kendall by September 10th.  
Action Planning:  
- Two 1.5hr training will be held Oct. 8th.- Kendall to coordinate speaker w/ Dawn T. and John G.  
  - Dawn: Training will include trends, current vapes, and other things West Ada teachers and counselors should know.  
  - Dawn is interested in who will be presenting, Kendall will coordinate.  
- CEC to discuss fundraising for $85K | plan due prior to Jan. Goal is to have funds raised by January 2020. (see handout to guide discussion):  
  - Ideas: fun run, silent auction dinner, go fund me page, golf tournament. Getting local businesses or shops to donate items for an event / silent auction. Idaho Gives is in May, having somewhere for people to give to us on that day. Max Giving is also an option for non-profit. The Idaho Women’s Charitable Foundation has a new funding option: Bethany will send to Kendall and Cheryl. Mary Liz suggested partnering with a nonprofit. Esmeralda |

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<td>CEC Members: updates on MADC mission efforts within your sector.</td>
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Will look into a local organization called “together treasure valley.” Nicole suggested having a donation bin on our booth at all events. |
- The idea would be to have our first event in spring 2019. |
- Dawn: Mark Thorton is a local pastor that runs the [hearttreasurevalley](#). May be a good resource.

Prep to view *Chronic State* at General Meeting: topics to include | identify organizations/groups within each sector to hold a viewing of *Chronic State*: 56 minute documentary. Each sector, please think of a place that this video could be showed. |
- Northwest Alcohol Conference: Nicole really enjoyed this conference and was able to learn a few things. |
- Walmart Health Fair: 90 conversations were had at this Walmart Health Fair. |
- Meridian Speedway Breathalyzer Event: There were 30 participants this year. The booth location had changed last minute and that impacted the numbers. |
  - Nicole: An idea is to have a cab list available for those who are over the limit during the breathalyzer event. |

Identify speaking engagement opportunity within each sector for 2018-19 school year- sector reps: |
- Nicole: A suggestion would be to have someone in recovery speak. |
  - Dawn: concern with this is phone calls back from parents regarding concerns from a presenter. |
  - Mary Liz: Maybe build a video / documentary about their road to recovery vs having someone in person. |

Open Discussion: feedback, ideas, questions, etc.