



Call to order

A meeting of Prosser Thrive Coalition membership was held on December 17, 2020 at 8:15 am via Zoom Meeting.

Attendees

Chris Cisneros, Jani Andrews, Kolleen Schlinker, Erika Wassom, Deanna Flores, Haley Greene, Kristi Haynes, Lishka Springer Taylor, Monica Garcia, Briseida Chavez, Kevin Lusk, Heather Morse, Edona Tahiraj, Jen Dorsett, William Waters, Brenda Barrios, Brett Dillahun, Laura Hermosillo

Current Business

1. Approval of Minutes
 - a. **Motion to approve November membership minutes without amendments**
 - i. Motion made by Kevin Lusk, Deanna Flores, unanimous approval
2. Treasurer's report - Haley Greene for Brian Newhouse
 - a. CPWI spending HIDTA \$1221.33, DFC spending \$6223.91, CPWI spending \$6651.40.
3. Introductions and sector updates
 - a. Jen Dorsett - WA Traffic Safety
 - i. HIPS is now available virtually and in dual language
 - ii. Kennewick coalition has received DFC grant which will provide us new partnership opportunities
 - b. Deanna Flores - Prosser School District
 - i. Prosser School District food distribution and second harvest providing additional support in food assistance
 - ii. More information coming as planning continues to get students back into the schools.

Community Partner Highlight

1. Brett Dillahun - Mustangs for Mustangs
 - a. We have the resources within our community to serve the needs of our community
 - b. M4M provides emergency assistance and need response for the past six years
 - c. The pattern of needs that we have seen over the past six years has changed during the pandemic. We now see all needs present at once: chronic hunger, housing, and more.

Youth Mental Health First Aid review

1. Kristi Haynes – Student Support Services trainer ESD 123
 - a. Mental Health First Aid is initial help offered to a person suspected of mental health or substance abuse problems.
 - b. Biggest message we can provide for those struggling with depression during the pandemic is hope – the ability to visit our future and return to the present to prepare ourselves for that journey.
 - c. It is important to celebrate resiliency, be optimistic, and demonstrate grace
 - d. 1 in 5 teens and young adults are living with a mental health condition, and half of youth will experience a diagnosable mental health issue within their lifetime
 - e. We need to work to reduce the stigma of mental health so people have confidence to seek help when needed
 - f. Participants taking this class will learn risk factors and warning signs, information on mental health conditions, and a five step plan to help someone in crisis
 - i. ALGEE – Assess, Listen, Give (reassurance), Encourage (help), Encourage (self care and support strategies)
 - g. Class is offered in virtual, blended, or in person formats.

Coalition Updates and Planning

1. DFC Update – Grant appears to be granted to us
 - a. Notification via press release but have not yet received official letter
 - b. Community Survey – 209 surveys received
2. CADCA National Leadership Forum
 - a. Taking place Feb1-4
 - b. One additional adult spot available
3. Prevention Voices WA information
 - a. Info graph information related to relaxed regulation regarding alcohol and cannabis

Social Media Campaign Highlight

1. Review of 2018 Healthy Youth Survey data regarding marijuana use and perception in our local community
2. Watched “You Can” videos submitted by two of our Mustang Thrive students

Regional Marijuana Prevention

1. Monica Garcia - ESD 123 Marijuana Prevention and Education Specialist
 - a. Working to network with Latino/Hispanic community
 - b. Providing Spanish language messaging for marijuana prevention
 - c. Providing medication lock boxes

Final Items

1. Match Documents
2. January meeting agenda items

Meeting adjourned 9:30 am

Chris Cisneros, Co-chair

Attest:

Jani Andrews, Secretary