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Prosser CIA Coalition		
2.15.2018	8:15 am-9:30 am	Bethel 270 N Gap Rd. Prosser, WA 99350
Meeting called by	Jim Hopwood, Chair	
Type of meeting	Monthly General Membership	
Secretary	Linda Villanueva	
Attendees	Haley Greene, Jim Hopwood, Shayla Pambrun, Rachel Shaw, Erika Wassom, Lishka Springer, Linda Villanueva, Chris Cisneros, Dave Stockdale, Deanna Flores, Heather Morse, Jani Andrews, Julie Urrutia, Kaylie Traver, Kevin Lusk, Kolleen Schlenker, Maricruz Mendoza, Vanessa McCollum, Beth Knapinski	
Call to Order		
Action Items		
Linda Villanueva	General Membership minutes will no longer be read aloud during meeting in order to prevent going over scheduled time. A brief overview of the January general meeting minutes was read.	
Vote: Approved Moved: Julie Urrutia 2 nd : Deanna Flores In Favor: Unanimous Opposed: N/A Abstain: N/A	Moved to approve January's General Membership Meeting Minutes.	
Community Partner Updates		
Chris Cisneros	Boys and Girls Club	
Chris Cisneros introduced himself and the new Boys and Girls Club Director for the Prosser Branch.		
Jani Andrews	PTA	
Read-A-Thon was recently wrapped up and Dr. Seuss Night will be March 1 st .		
Deanna Flores	Prosser School District	
There are sixteen applicants for the Superintendent position and screening will begin next week. First phase of planning for the new High School is finished and is available for viewing at the District Office. The district will open a preschool in the fall of 2018 and students that are at the 110% poverty level will be targeted due to the increasing need. There will be a preschool group in the morning and a group in the afternoon.		
Linda Villanueva	Communities In Schools (CIS)	
There is an increase in need among families for housing resources and financial support to prevent eviction. CIS continues to work diligently to connect families to needed resources and provide services to work toward self-sufficiency. There are currently 45 CIS students at Housel Middle School being case managed.		
Vanessa McCollum	Benton Franklin Health District	
BFHD is currently working on improving past messaging that discusses marijuana and tobacco use rates among different populations. BFHD is also working on messaging regarding how tobacco companies are targeting lower income communities. An Epidemiologist was hired and recently did a GIS (geographic information system) mapping of tobacco retailers around schools in which students have exposure to advertising and substances.		
Maricruz Mendoza	21 st Century	
The number of students in 21 st Century has been increasing and there are currently 25 registered participants. Students continue to stay engaged and participate in after school programming and field trips.		
Meghan Van De Graaf	MCIA Advisor at Prosser High School	
The High School MCIA is gearing up for National Drug Week.		
Lishka Springer	ESD123/PI	
Currently working with 75 students regularly at the high school and they are in their third week of groups.		
Beth Napinski	PMH	
In the next few months there will be additional providers added within the community. PMH is also working toward rebranding.		
Heather Morse	PMH	
There is a noticeable increase in substance use at the high school along with the view that the use of marijuana is normal.		
Julie Urrutia	PMH	
Health events have shown to have good attendance and PMH is hoping to have health events on the weekend to allow for more families to attend.		
Rachel Shaw and Dave Stockdale	City of Prosser	

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<p>There is an estimated 20% growth in the next 5-7 years in the Prosser community. The city is looking to potentially build a 90-acre regional park that would allow for soccer fields, baseball fields, splash pads and an event area; the city is also exploring adding residential housing nearby.</p>	
Jim Hopwood	Bethel
<p>ESL and citizen classes are going strong and one participant recently passed their citizenship test. Local industries are interested in exploring the option of potentially collaborating with Bethel.</p>	
Shayla Pambrun	Housel MS
<p>Both Counselors along with the Principal attended a Character Strong training to get students more engaged and to help them work toward achieving specific skill development. MCIA students are enjoying working on Samantha Skunk Program.</p>	
Kaylie Traver	Juvenile Justice Center
<p>There has been a significant increase in drug related offenses among adolescents. JJC probation continues to work diligently with case managed students.</p>	
Kolleen Schlenker	Prosser Branch Mid-Columbia Libraries
<p>The Library will be focusing on Seuss on the Loose throughout the month of March and has partnered with local 3rd grade classes to participate in an ice cream challenge.</p>	
<p>Business</p>	
Haley Greene	Name Change
Discussion	<p>Haley Greene conducted a focus group with the high school MCIA club; students agreed there is a need for a name change and explored potential ideas. Students want to incorporate the image of a mustang in the logo and have come up with the possible name, "THRIVE". Potential mottos include, "I Thrive, WE Thrive, Prosser Thrives" and "Do you Thrive?" Coalition members had an open discussion regarding name change.</p>
<p>Program updates and opportunities</p>	
Erika Wassom	SAPST Training opportunity
Discussion	<p>There is a substance abuse prevention training opportunity March 27th-March 30th in Pasco and CIA coalition members are invited to attend. Registration fee is \$25.</p>
Erika Wassom	Hidden in Plain Sight
Discussion	<p>Hidden in Plain Sight presentation will be held at Housel Middle School on February 15th and presentation will begin at 6pm in the school library.</p>
Erika Wassom	Sticker Shock
Discussion	<p>Volunteers are needed to assist with Sticker Shock on March 30th. Those interested in volunteering can sign up after general meeting or speak with Haley Greene or Erika Wassom.</p>
Haley Greene	Parent-teacher conferences
Discussion	<p>Volunteers are needed during school conferences on March 29th. Those interested in volunteering can sign up after general meeting or speak with Haley Greene or Erika Wassom.</p>
Jani Andrews, Linda Villanueva, Haley Greene and Erika Wassom	Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA)
Discussion	<p>Each member discussed their experience from attending the CADCA forum and shared information from trainings. An emphasis on life skills, statistics, education and having open discussions regarding perceived norms of substance use with youth were addressed. Haley Greene discussed attending Capital Hill day and the hope to take Prosser students next year; this year youth from Sunnyside voiced their stories to Senators and linked substance use to bullying and suicide.</p>
Haley Greene	Update media campaign
Discussion	<p>Coalition members are invited to participate by helping with the media campaign.</p>
Erika Wassom	Guiding Good Choices
Discussion	<p>Both English and Spanish continue to have strong attendance and participation. There will be one more Guiding Good Choices session next week.</p>
Haley Greene	Tri-Cities lock box event
Discussion	<p>The CIA Coalition will be collaborating with the Pasco Coalition on April 7th to attend the all-day event from 8:00AM to 2:00PM and provide lock boxes.</p>
Haley Greene	Town hall meeting

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Discussion	Haley Greene discussed potentially having a future town hall meeting geared specifically toward discussing marijuana. Ideas include having a panel with representation from the health department, police department and CIA coalition along with a keynote speaker.
Monthly To-Do's	
Erika Wassom	MATCH documents updates
Discussion	Attending CIA coalition meetings are not considered MATCH hours; discussing CIA with anyone can be included in MATCH. Any further questions regarding MATCH hours can be directed to Erika Wassom.
Erika Wassom	Membership Agreements/BG Checks
Discussion	CIA membership agreements and background checks need to be completed and turned in to either Haley Greene or Erika Wassom.
Adjournment	
Jim Hopwood	Meeting adjourned at 9:30AM



Jim Hopwood, Chair

Attest:



Linda Villanueva, Secretary