



## Call to order

A meeting of Prosser Thrive Coalition membership was held on June 18, 2020 at 8:15 am. This was a virtual meeting held via Zoom Meeting due to social distancing requirements related to the Corona Virus Pandemic.

## Attendees

Lishka Springer Taylor, Jani Andrews, Rachel Shaw, Haley Greene, Jen Dorsett, Lupe Mares, Vanessa, Erika Wassom, Heather Morse, Lizz Couch, Monse Diaz, Jeemin Choi, Megan Van de Graff, Brenda Barrios, Briseida Chavez.

## Current Business

1. Approval of Minutes
  - a. **Motion to approve May Membership Minutes as written**
    - i. Motion made by Jen Dorsett and seconded by Lishka Springer Taylor, unanimous approval
2. Treasurer's report - Haley Greene for Brian Newhouse
  - a. CPWI spending \$5991.93, DFC \$4878.84, HIDTA \$888.11, MHPP \$2346.76.
3. Introductions and sector updates
  - a. Lishka Taylor Springer – Prevention Intervention
    - i. Still has school district issued phone and willing to take calls from at-risk students.
  - b. Heather Morse - PMH
    - i. Mental Health patients seeing both highs and lows during pandemic.
  - c. Jani Andrews – Parent
    - i. Looking forward to participating on interview panel for new principal at Prosser Heights Elementary.
  - d. Jen Dorsett - WA Traffic Safety
    - i. All major projects on hold due to COVID
    - ii. Huge increase in narcotic DUI and speeding after Stay Home Stay Healthy initiative went into effect. Forty percent of state DUIs are ticketed surrounding the week of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July.
    - iii. HIPS scheduling in person and virtual presentations at this time.

- iv. Jen is the acting coalition coordinator in both Pasco and Benton City at this time.
- 4. Lupe Mares - Communities in Schools, Executive Director
  - a. Working on virtual learning, home drop offs of essential items, working with seniors to prepare for graduation,
  - b. Admin team works in July for additional student support such as Care Bags of essential items, and funding for students facing homelessness
- 5. Vanessa McCollum - Benton Franklin Health District
  - a. COVID drive in site for anyone with symptoms or exposure is open for the rest of June. Working with schools to coordinate reopening in the fall.
  - b. Mental Health Promotional Grant - funding for family connection kits during this time of being homebound, and has applied for marijuana prevention grant for youth focus.
- 6. Rachel Shaw
  - a. Boys and Girls Club serving approximately 25 students each day right now, delivering meals to increase interaction with other club members
  - b. City of Prosser submitting letter to governor requesting to move forward into phase 2. City is closed but has a phased reopening plan in place.
  - c. City is reaching out to BLM protestors to work towards a list of attainable goals.

## Year in Review

- 1. Youth Coalition Member of the Year:
  - a. Lizz Couch
- 2. Coalition Member of the Year:
  - a. Mark Cole
- 3. Partner Organization of the Year:
  - a. Benton Franklin Health District
- 4. Thank you to Megan Van de Graff for 3 years of coalition work at with the Mustang Thrive coalition at the high school
- 5. Review of one page overview from this year in lieu of Key Leader Event

## Coalition Updates and Planning

- 1. Hidden in Plain Site
  - a. Hosed at end of May and had 42 participants (32 from our school district) and we are taking survey to see if virtual trainings will yield greater turnout in general and not just through time of COVID
- 2. Medication Drop Box
  - a. PMH location will contract out medication disposal so this is a new and sustainable process established in our community.
- 3. DFC grant

- a. Grant was submitted the first week of June. We expect to receive our results in December. Thank you to Sue Jetter for all of her work on our project.
4. Mustang Thrive
  - i. Monse will be new treasurer for 2020-2021 school year. Jeemin will be treasurer.
  - ii. They are planning to have bi-weekly meetings and additional subcommittee meetings. Partnered with PMH, Comprehensive Healthcare, and Boys and Girls Club to create a video supporting friends/peers during hardships of COVID
5. CADCA Midyear training
  - a. We have funding to send coalition members/partners to attend virtual training sessions July 26-30<sup>th</sup>. The sessions will be “on demand” so you may view any session at any time to accommodate your schedule.

## Final Items

1. Match Documents
  - a. We are behind our goal on match hours so please turn in your hours
2. August Meeting agenda items
  - a. Education opportunity for drug testing at high school for ASB organizations
3. Summer Movie Series
  - a. May be altered but still looking for social opportunities this summer.

Meeting adjourned 9:30 am

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Rachel Shaw, Chair

Attest:

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Jani Andrews, Secretary