

Tobacco Free Lifestyle Task Force

Meeting Minutes

February 22, 2018

Task force members present: Tina Caporaso, Susan Bayless, Marcy Ivory, Emma Smales, Natalie Oliver

- I. Clark County Stand**
 - a. The group has conducted 50% of the store audits assigned.
 - b. Conducted 2 out of 5 counter-marketing activities. Next will take place around Kick Butts Day on March 21st
 - c. Kick Butts Day Video will be shared on CCCHD Facebook.
 - d. RFP for next grant cycle should be out by the beginning of March.
- II. Springfield City School District Tobacco Free Policy**
 - a. Springfield city school district is almost 100% tobacco free, they are working with ODH to revise their policy. ODH will then provide signage to SCS district to enforce the policy.
- III. Smoke free open spaces – Springfield and New Carlisle**
 - a. Springfield does not have smoke free open spaces due to separate entities owning different parks.
 - b. New Carlisle does have a statute in place for public spaces to be tobacco free which was enacted in 2017.
- IV. Tobacco 21**
 - a. Elle presented to the New Carlisle City Council on February 5th regarding T21.
 - b. The council was open to the policy and wants to see a draft enforcement policy.
 - c. CCCHD has been working on creating a draft policy modeled after Franklin County's enforcement structure. Elle will provide updates at next tobacco task force meeting.
- V. Smoke Free Multi-Unit Housing (SMHA) policy**
 - a. Policy has been finalized and approved by SMHA Board.
 - b. Lease addendums have also been approved and tenants have 90 days to sign them and turn them in.
 - c. Policy is expected to be in effect locally by June 3, 2018. Final deadline for HUD mandate federally is August 3, 2018.
- VI. Future Cessation Support Group**
 - a. With the smoke free multi-unit housing policy going into effect, the need for cessation classes and support groups goes up.
 - b. Marcy Ivory says support groups are not well attended historically.
 - c. The group may need to survey those affected by policy to see if a support group/cessation classes are wanted.
- VII. Springfield Cessation**
 - a. Group cessation classes have not been well attended due to Medicare only covering individual cessation classes.
 - b. Medicaid still covers group and individual classes.
 - c. Marcy has begun to reach out to provide services in Champaign.

IX. Future Goals

- a. This task force has been very successful with completing its goals. Elle and Tina will be proposing new and updated CHIP goals for discussion at the next task force meeting.

Proposed Next Meeting: May 8, 2018

3:00-4:00pm @ CCCHD

