



**Meridian Anti-Drug Coalition General Meeting Minutes  
Meridian Police Department, 1401 E. Watertower  
August 15th, 2019**

\*Nichole Herold took notes in Stephany's absence.

TIME	SPEAKER & AGENDA ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE - ACTION - DEADLINE
4:00	Cheryl Mulvihill, Anti-Drug Coordinator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome   Introductions   Additions to Agenda</li> <li>• Approval of July 18<sup>th</sup> Minutes (sent out via email / no June meeting)</li> <li>• Show Zach Telford Natural High PSA</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (all) sign-in sheet signed by attendees</li> <li>• Cheryl asked we all sign in on the sign in sheet. The attendees went around the room and introduced themselves.</li> <li>• An approval to approve the last meeting minutes was motioned by Brenda and Mary Seconded.</li> <li>• The <a href="#">PSA featuring Zach Telford</a> is currently being shown at local movie theatres before the movies begin. The PSA was shown at the MADC meeting today.</li> </ul>
4:07	Kendall Nagy, Director <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Night Out, Thank you Idaho Office of Drug Policy for 13K PFS Grant Award, Teens &amp; Substance Abuse Planning/Topics, SRO Drug Prevention Curricula &amp; K9 Update</li> </ul>	Drug Prevention Curricula Development, (Kendall, Harper) SRO K9 Stakeholder Meeting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kendall was at the National Night Out (NNO) Kick-off meeting and provided over 115 people (at three NNO parties) Safe Rx Storage &amp; Disposal Packets.</li> <li>• Kendall reported a \$13,000 grant was awarded to us by the IODP. The funds will be used to purchase Cannabis Swabs to be used by SROs &amp; Alcohol Compliance Check and Shoulder Tap operation implementations. The cannabis detection tests will be used to test vapes, e-cigarettes and devices found in schools.</li> <li>• Kendall reported on our annual teens and substance abuse education events. Kendall is asking for speakers and wants to put together a work group to organize the teens and substance abuse planning. Suggested topics for the series included: Kratom, Stigma Reduction, vaping and <a href="#">The First Day</a> Film.</li> <li>• In partnership with Meridian Community Development we will have Rx Safe Disposal Packets in three locations at City Hall for National Overdose Awareness Day Aug 31. The packets will be available the 26<sup>th</sup>- Sept. 6 or while supplies last.</li> <li>• SRO drug prevention curriculum: BPD and ACSO may be interested in implementing new SRO drug prevention curricula across departments and in collaboration with MADC. A tentative rollout is set for spring 2020.</li> <li>• Kendall is part of the Treasure Valley Partnership Opioid planning group and they were able to create an addendum to a provider tool kit created by the state workgroup. Hopefully this tool</li> </ul>

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		<p>will be available for the coalition to help disseminate soon. In addition they are working on an educator toolkit we will help disseminate once completed.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• K-9 Sergeant Fraiser reported on issues coming up regarding current drug dogs not being able to tell the difference between different cannabis derivatives (CBD, hemp, marijuana). This is going to be a huge issue if and when Hemp becomes legal to grow in Idaho. Going forward, the current K9s will be phased out and new dogs will no longer be trained to alert on cannabis.</li> </ul>
4:25	<p>Sector Representatives, Expanding Prevention Strategies Within the 12 Sectors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brandon, Law Enforcement Sector Rep.- Results of CBD Compliance Checks</li> <li>• Dawn, School Sector Rep.- Cannabis Swab &amp; New Data Collection</li> <li>• Mary Liz, Faith Sector Rep.- MADC Letter for Faith Leaders</li> <li>• Mary, Civic/Volunteer Sector Rep.- tobacco update (municipal and federal) Terry, Parent Sector Rep.- PTA/PTO Contacts</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sergeant Fraiser reported samples of CBD and hemp oil have been purchased from retailers in Meridian. The samples were sent out of state, tested and compared to the content labeling. The results found that they had undetectable levels of THC, .01% which was consistent with what the retailer said regarding these CBD oil products. The majority of the samples tested had less CBD than the labeled said.</li> <li>• Dawn reported on cannabis testing in schools via 400 swabs received from MPD/MADC which will be used to test e-cigarettes and other vape devices and paraphernalia. New this year, WASD's annual data collection for youth drug use will be broken into specific drugs to help provide more accurate data on what drugs youth are using.</li> <li>• Mary Liz reported as sending out a letter to all churches to inform them that MADC is willing and able to speak at their establishments in order to speak on drug prevention. This letter will be shared with all sector reps. If they would like to use it as well. MADC can send the letters once the contacts have been established.</li> <li>• Tobacco update: <a href="#">DR. Bonnie Halpen-Felsher</a> will speak to anyone interested in this topic on Friday September 20<sup>th</sup> and will speak again on <a href="#">September 24<sup>th</sup></a> in the valley. See handouts for more information. Mary reported the general consensus of the state is that we all want no smoking in indoor areas and meeting places according to a poll taken by over a thousand people. FDA states that they are going to update the warning labels on cigarettes to include a graphic image of harm done to a person's body caused by smoking.</li> </ul>
4:40	<p>Event Debrief: Sparklight Movie Night &amp; Breathalyzer Booth, Colleen Wienhoff</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Colleen, her family and Wienhoff Drug Testing employees volunteered at Sparklight movie night. "It was a huge success." They took photos of kids with their natural high and fun was had by all. Around 70 people participated in the Breathalyzer event at Meridian Speedway and prevention messaging was announced to 2200 attendees. Volunteers went to participant in the stands so they didn't have to come to the MADC booth. This increased participation.</li> </ul>



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4:45	<p>Kendall Nagy, Director</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upcoming Events: <del>WASD Back to School Kickoff 8/19</del>, Officer Ellis Retirement 8/29 3-4pm City Hall, Community Block Party 9/7 10-5 Kleiner Park, Recovery Day Breakfast 9/12 7:30-9:30am Meridian Police Department, Red Ribbon Week 10/23-31</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Officer Ray Ellis is retiring on August 29<sup>th</sup> all are welcome to join his retirement celebration 3pm at City Hall.</li> <li>(Cole &amp; Cheryl) securing volunteers for Community Block Party, Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> of September from 10-5.</li> <li>(all) help promote Recovery Day Breakfast (see attached), volunteer at <a href="#">Recovery Rally</a> (IROAR) 8/29 11am Capitol Steps</li> <li>Our 14<sup>th</sup> annual Recovery Day Breakfast on September 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:30-9:30 am. We will have a speaker from the coalition to present on this morning.</li> </ul>
4:50	<p>Open Discussion: additional updates, feedback, ideas, questions, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Who watched <a href="#">Seattle is Dying</a> and/or listened to the Attorney General Podcast "<a href="#">CBD &amp; Hemp in Idaho</a>"?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Homework: <a href="#">Sign up for the Community Coalitions of Idaho (CCI) Newsletter</a></li> </ul>
<p>5:00pm Meeting Adjourned</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Next Meeting: General Meeting September 19<sup>th</sup> at 4pm</b></p>		

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