



Healthy People, Healthy Oneida County

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Minutes from the Oneida County AODA Coalition from November 23rd, 2010

Topic	Discussion	Persons Involved
Present:	<p>Yvette Hittle, Jeff Knudson, Karen Knudson, Erica Brewster, John Potters, Jim St. Charles, & Bob Kovar</p> <p>Guests: J. Steiner & P. Grunwald</p>	
<u>K2 UPDATES:</u>	<p>Increase awareness of K2 -see article found in the Rhinelander newspaper: http://www.rhinelanderdailynews.com/articles/2010/11/25/news/doc4ceda2f1da2d4049200824.txt</p> <p>-Another article at the national level in the Daily Comet on 11-24-10: http://www.dailycomet.com:80/article/20101124/APW/1011242097/?tc=obinsite</p>	
K-2	<p>Jeff has seen several of his clients go to inpatient due to K-2 results J. Steiner - concerned parent - daughter (12 year old) who is second picked up on bus route in Hazelhurst, was on a bus with a 17 year old student smoking K-2. She reported it, he was searched and caught, she was confronted by student. Concerns about safety riding bus, threatened by student.</p> <p>J. Steiner has begun working with Ted Cushing (Hazelhurst Town Chair, County Supervisor and Chair of Oneida County Board) to collect petition signatures to support legislation for county ordinance. Laura Borski (Rhinelander) will collect in Rhinelander area.</p> <p>Petition wording: WE THE UNDERSIGNED RESIDENTS OF ONIEDA COUNTY REQUEST THAT THE ONEIDA COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT AND THE ONEIDA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT FORWARD A RESOLUTION TO THE ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD TO BAN THE SALE AND USE OF ALL FORMS OF K-2 SPICE HERB IN ONEIDA COUNTY.</p> <p>City of Wausau, City of Marshfield have done similar - Kovar expressed concern that this must be done at the municipal (town and city) level, not county level. J. Steiner is having it put on the Town of Hazelhurst agenda, will bring wording to meeting.</p>	Jeff K. & Yvette H.
Definitions of Ordinance vs. Resolution	<p>Ordinance vs. Resolution: (quote from Melissa Dotter, DFC Marathon County): an ordinance is a local law. Although the method of enacting an ordinance will vary from municipality to municipality, they are generally passed by a legislative body (city council) and signed by a city executive (mayor), an subsequently enforced by local police and district attorneys.</p> <p>Resolutions are non-binding, unenforceable statements made by a municipality's legislative body. They are often not signed or endorsed by the city executive. Resolutions are often used to persuade other legislative bodies (State or Federal) to adopt legislation that is beyond the powers of the local body.</p>	

<p>Next STEPS:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue to collect signatures (parents), return to Erica at UWEX before December 8, 2010 - Hazelhurst agenda December 14, to pass ordinance - Develop news release, contact Channel 12 and radio re: story, point person J Knudson (Erica) - J. Potters speaker for Oneida County Board, January 18, 9:30 AM, others come to support, for vote on resolution: ask town and counties to pass ordinances - Develop ordinance language to take to other municipalities based on what will be presented in Hazelhurst - Identify individuals to take issue to municipalities for ordinance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Have: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hazelhurst - J. Steiner - Minocqua - parent (?) - Three Lakes - E. Brewster - City of Rhinelander - Y. Hittle - Lake Tomahawk - P. Grenwald - Need: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pelican - Woodruff - Pine Lake 	
<p>Parent Network:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Meeting at Lac du Flambeau, November 17, 2010, 45 in attendance, mostly coalition people, a few families <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Drug Endangered children program - AmeriCorps involvement (B. Kovar recommends we consider applying for AmeriCorps next year) 	
<p>Northwoods Coalition Regional Meeting</p>	<p>Northwoods Coalition Regional Meeting, November 18, 2010</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation by Julia Sherman, alcohol policy expert <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tangible options for managing local alcohol policy 	
<p>Prescription Drug Taskforce</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Marshfield Clinic is developing task forces to do work in the community - Looking to have impact in next 4-5 months - Marshfield Clinic, HY, Peter Christiansen Health Center (PCHC) collaboration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Standards for prescribing - Education for doctors - implement pain management protocols - Campaign against community "It's the money" attitude, and clinic "You need Vicodin" attitude. 	
<p>Chair Nominations and By-Laws review</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - J. Knudson will volunteer to be nominated for another year, Y. Hittle will be stepping down - Nominations for second chair: Jim St. Charles (will consider) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Restate on December agenda 	
<p><u>NOTE*</u> <u>NEXT Meeting:</u></p>	<p>* New meeting day : <u>TUESDAY , December 21st , 2010</u> <u>12:30 p.m.-2:00p.m.</u> Oneida County Court House</p>	

