

MADC Meeting Minutes July 16, 2015

General Meeting 4:00:

- 1. Welcome / Introduction: Cheryl Mulvihill
- 2. Approval of Minutes: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. Motion by Stephany Galbreaith, Second by Sergeant Harper, All Approved
- 3. Approval of Stephany Galbreaith becoming Secretary for MADC
 - a. Motion by Beth, Second by Barb, All Approved
- 4. Cable One Movie Night Overview: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. 5 MADC Volunteers, conducted surveys to community members for grant and educated Meridian citizens about MADC
 - b. 2 education booths and the new MADC Logo on Lt. Leslie's race car was present
- 5. Community Health Fair: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. In Paramount Subdivision had a table with MADC information and conducted surveys for grant
- 6. MADC & MYAC Collaboration: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. MADC will need to be represented at MYAC meetings to fulfill youth representation for the grant; Meeting time TBD. Keep in mind as a roll that you can help with MADC
- 7. Treasurer needed: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. This roll would help build fundraisers and build the sustainability plan for MADC
- 8. Recovery Breakfast: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. A signup sheet was passed around for Set Up, Tear Down, and Food
 - b. Event is September 15th starts at 7:30am
 - c. Guest speaker will be Jason Coombs
 - d. Cheryl will look into using Renaissance High School culinary arts class or Life Skills out of Boise for food options
- 9. 2nd Glance Update: Larry Lim
 - a. Criteria has been set up for dental work... essay and interview process. Once all denture work is complete for the individual they must go through job training
 - b. 2nd Glance will run one year, one patient a month and then reevaluate for future years
 - c. Dental work will be donated by dentists, however there are other costs
 - d. Roughly \$1,200 per person for this program @ the most
 - e. Case by Case situation for those that will be going through this process... Beth makes a motion to move forward with Second Glance Program and build a sponsorship program, Jason Coombs Seconds, all approved.
 - f. Jason Coombs willing to sponsor an individual through this program of his choosing; that has completed his requirements through his program
 - g. Two Prong Program; individuals on our waiting list can be helped once we raise funds, however if sponsored by a business etc... they can go through the program
 - h. Still need fundraising ideas to help fund our first candidate (\$1,200) that doesn't have a sponsor
- 10. National Take Back Initiative: Cheryl Mulvihill
 - a. Date set to September 26th

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- b. Location TBD; St. Al's Cherry Lane & Ten Mile Rd, Ten Mile Christian Church, St. Luke's on Eagle Road all suggestions. Cheryl will take these suggestions to Lt. Colaianni and discuss what will work best with the Officers etc...
- 11. Discussion on New Vision Statement "To prevent and lower drug use ensuring Meridian remains a premier community to live, work and raise a family."
 - a. Possibly alter: "To prevent drug use, ensuring Meridian remains a premier community to live, work and raise a family."
 - b. Stephany motions that Beth and Larry work on Vision Statement and reconvene on the matter next month, Jason Christensen Second, all approved.
- 12. Updates from MADC members/ Group Discussion
 - a. Sergeant Harper- Bike Patrol not having as many negative contacts with Meridian citizens this summer compared to last summer. Tobacco and Marijuana usage is still higher than other drug issues from their perspective. Heroin use is going up on an adult level. Spice and Bath Salts are very low. Fewer house parties, quiet summer. Hopefully it's a good thing (Kids being educated and making good decisions during their time out of school). Raves are not an issue in Meridian. A lot of positive youth interaction with our Bike Patrol. Meridian Police want to saturate our youth community with positive interactions between them and us. There is a new drug called "Flakka" in Meridian that has just started making its way in. When you inject "Flakka" it eats your flesh and is very addictive.
 - b. Jason Coombs- User's that he works with are switching from illegal drugs to legal; but still very addicting. Example: Using Kraton at a Tobacco Shop. It's legal but highly addictive. It's difficult to stop the issue and make Kraton illegal; City Codes, State Legislation, onto Federal Level.
 - c. PO Kaygel- Seeing a lot of issues with Kraton in the Probation world here in Meridian.
 - d. Barb- Wondering about a new brochure/flyer with Flakka picture and information. Educating our community the harmful effects it has to help prevent it from becoming a bigger issue; maybe a new campaign idea for us to promote?
 - e. Stephany- Meridian Advocates for Youth Safety is partnering with a lot of local organizations (ITD, Highway of Traffic Safety, ID Meth, MADC, MYAC) to build a week worth of "Safety" events for October. October is a very busy month for MADC so be ready to sign up and volunteer for our efforts to help keep Meridian safe!
 - I. October 12th: MYAC meeting with Officer Gomez Internet Safety Presentation
 - II. October 13th: City Council Proclamation for youth safety week
 - III. October 14th: Either Reality Party or Not My Kid presentation
 - IV. October 15th: Middle School Youth Safety Summit
 - V. October 16th: Celebrate my Drive @ MHS Home Football Game
 - VI. October 17th: Jr Public Safety Academy
 - VII. October 23rd: Red Ribbon Rally on Boise Capital Steps
 - VIII. October 23rd-31st: Red Ribbon Week: theme is "Respect Yourself. Be Drug Free."
- 13. Meeting Adjourned at 5:00pm

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