



KCPC GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING AGENDA

August 28, 2018

WELCOME

- Thank you, Pine Rest for hosting today's meeting!
- Thank you **Com616** for taking meeting minutes!
- Lunch **provided by Network180; Thank you!**
- Welcome, Introductions, & General Housekeeping

ORDER OF BUSINESS ACTION/DECISION ITEMS

- Approval of August meeting agenda
 - Approval of June 2018 meeting minutes – *sent via monthly e-newsletter*
 - General Assembly Meeting Minutes:
Mtg Minutes Due the 1st Thursday of the month
August: Com 616
September: D.A. Blodgett - St. Johns
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ACHIEVEMENTS & SUCCESSES!

Coalition Successes – We are an innovative coalition improving the health of our community by reducing the harmful use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs! **Let's celebrate the following coalition successes!**

- We have no identified successes for the month of August, as the crew has been in planning mode for the upcoming school year!

SCIENCE & ACTION

The data, research, and trends that inform and guide our work

Goals 1-3: Behavioral Outcomes regarding alcohol and marijuana use

TalkSooner.org Featuring a "New" campaign: Denise Herbert

Abstract: TalkSooner is a mobile app and website for parents in Michigan. It was created by local coalitions to help parents share a common message with kids ages 10-18 about alcohol, tobacco, and other substances. TalkSooner helps parents talk to their kids about the dangers of substance use. Data

suggest that youth seek information and guidance from their parents and other adults, so it is important that parents have these difficult conversations. TalkSooner.org can be used as a resource to access information and start a conversation. What's new this year is:

TalkSooner “Just Talk to Me!” Campaign - The campaign features local teens telling parents and others in their community that they want MORE drug prevention conversation– not less! Check out the new Public Service Awareness (PSA) campaign. Each PSA is personalized for each local community. To view the PSA Links, visit www.talksooner.org

KCPC Preparing for Advocacy: Marijuana Legalization Presentation: Healthy & Productive Michigan, [Scott Greenlee]

Abstract: It's Community Awareness & Advocacy NOT Lobbying! Healthy & Productive Michigan [HPM], is a statewide organization committed to stopping the legalization of recreational marijuana in Michigan; specifically, the November 2018 Ballot. The KCPC Membership will be mobilized into ACTION! Learn what it means to be of service by utilizing the HPM toolkit

Goal 5: Expand Coalition Capacity Through Partnerships

- **Committee Updates/Recaps – ACTION TOWARDS THE NOVEMBER BALLOT!**
 - Community Engagement – *Ashley Pattee*
 - Data – *Brian Hartl*

ANNOUNCEMENTS, ARTICLES & MORE! – Nadia Kimble

- Legalization to Increase Drugged Driving
- Mobilizing Michigan – Talk to Your Children
- FDA Approved Marijuana Derived Medicine
- Boston Globe - The Dangers of Pot
- Calendar for KCPC General Assembly Meetings – SIGN UP TODAY!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **19th Annual Substance Use & Co-Occurring Conference** – September 17-18, 2018; [Grand Rapids] www.macmh.org
- **KCPC 2018 Annual Meeting** – October 2, 2018 [City Flats, 83 Monroe]
- **KCPC Lunch & Learn** – October 23, 2018, 12-1:30pm [Catholic Diocese, 360 Division Avenue]
- **KCPC “Weed it Out” Social Media Campaign** – October 17 – November 3, 2018

Next GA Gathering: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 @ Network 180 [3310 Eagle Park Dr. NE G.R. 49525]

