



**Healthy People Healthy Oneida County
Tobacco Free Oneida County Coalition**

Date: February 16, 2009

Recorder: Anne Cirilli

Members Present: Bill Vancos, Judy Gaarder, Karen Knudson, Susanne Morris, Bill Wright, Jackie Cody, Chrystal Woller, & Anne Cirilli

Agenda Topic	Discussion	Decision / People willing to follow up
<p>Welcome</p> <p>Review of January Minutes</p> <p>Treasury Report</p> <p>Oneida County Tobacco Coordinator Update:</p> <p>Media /Public Outreach</p> <p>State Action</p> <p>Town Hall Meeting 1-26-09</p>	<p>Reviewed the minutes from the Jan.19, 2009 meeting.</p> <p>No Treasurer's report.</p> <p>Linda Conlon, Director of the Health Department will not offer the Tobacco Coordinator's position until she knows that there will be state grant money available to keep this position full-time. She is waiting for the State Budget announcements before contacting the applicants for the Tobacco Coordinator position.</p> <p>News releases were sent to the TV stations and radios about the TOWN HALL Meeting at Nicolet College on Jan.26th. Channel 12 did do an interview with Jim Holperin after the TOWN Hall meeting.</p> <p>Letters to the EDITOR have not yet been submitted. Pat Zapp suggested that negative letters to the editors should be responded too immediately.</p> <p>Pat Zapp encouraged keeping the pressure on the legislators for the SMOKE FREE Bill at town hall meetings. Plan to attend the Joint Finance Committee meetings around the state when announced. They will be looking for Tobacco Prevention Control programs as well as Smoke Free legislation. Coalition folks need to get their "stories" out. Chrissy attended a telephone conference today that said there is a strong possibility that the SMOKE FREE AIR bill will be included in the Governor's budget. WI Governor Doyle will be on the television on 2-17-09 at 7pm to give his budget address.</p> <p>Around 80 people attended this event. Six counties were represented. Very good responses from the presenters. Senator Jim Holperin seems to be supportive of the SMOKE FREE Bill.</p>	<p>Jacky Cody made a motion to approve the minutes, Dr. Wright seconded. ALL Approved.</p> <p>Joan will give update at March TFOCC meeting.</p> <p>Chrissy Woller will give us an update at the March TFOCC meeting.</p> <p>Letters will be needed from Coalition members in future.</p> <p>Plan to attend the Joint Finance Committee meetings. Times and places haven't been announced yet.</p>

<p>Nicolet Area Tech. School Tobacco FREE Grounds</p> <p>FACT</p> <p>Tobacco Treatment</p> <p>2009 Tobacco HPHOC WorkPlan recommendations</p> <p>Other:</p> <p>Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM</p>	<p>Susanne Morris met with the Nicolet Counseling staff twice to review motivational interviewing techniques for smoking cessation. Nicolet college was thanked at the TOWN HALL meeting for going smoke free.</p> <p>The radio ads that the JWMS have been playing all week. They pay for one week of ads and the second week is free from the Marathon Media NEW Radio Group. It cost \$800.00 to create a one minute ad.</p> <p>Luke Wilkowski is providing a FACT training for 7th & 8th graders. They may be planning a window display activity. A “Lock IN” event is schedule for April 4th or 14th and will be held either at the school or YMCA, depending on availability.</p> <p>The High School FACT team will be working on compliance checks and attending the Joint Finance Committee hearings. Cooper Hinkle did a great presentation at the Nicolet TOWN HALL meeting.</p> <p>Sue Morris met with the Koinonia staff and the Human Services staff to discuss tobacco treatment in conjunction with other AODA and mental health treatments centers in the future. Staff gave positive comments on the TOBACCO QUIT LINE information. Others were concerned that tobacco cessation counseling could impede AODA treatments.</p> <p>Jessica Buss held the Smoking Cessation classes at the Marshfield Clinic- Lakeland Center and many people were inspired to quit. Some employers are now paying their employees to quit cigarettes. Others are deducting \$25.00 from smoker’s pay check to pay for the extra health benefits they will need in the future.</p> <p>Chrissy said that the HPHOC Steering Committee has revised the Tobacco work plan funding requests. TFOCC may not be fully funded this year. FACT group did get their \$1,000.00 grant and OCHD has recently given \$1,500 to the Coalition. A review of the Treasurer’s report at the next meeting will let us know where we stand for 2009.</p> <p>Discussion of the definition of “third hand” smoke on clothing and in cars and homes that could get people exposed to tobacco cigarettes.</p> <p>Need to review the Smoke Free Dining Guide for 2009.</p> <p>NEXT MEETING March 16th</p>	<p>Chrissy gave Sheryl Woods report.</p>
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