**Teen Advocacy Coalition**

**Substance Abuse Prevention Committee**

**May 13th 2015, @ 3:30 pm**

**Pacific County Annex**

**Committee MEETING: 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

Attendance:

Gracie Manlow (TAC/DFC), Mary Goelz (PCHD), Melissa Sexton (PCHD), Sharon Block (PCHD), Tanya Schiller (TAC/DFC)

* Gracie and Tanya should still look into the Summer Coalition Leadership Institute Forum since the registration is still “live”
* **Rx Dropbox**
	+ Sharon is on Joe Camenzind’s list for getting more information about the Sheriff Department security camera.
* **Drug Take-Back**
	+ Grays Harbor County has a pet cremation facility where they charge $.40/lb for mixed drug incineration, which would include containers and narcotics
		- Pharmacies are unable to take back narcotics
		- **Melissa will double-check up on the pet crematorium for drug take-back participation.**
			* **Sharon will send Melissa the name of the pet crematorium**
	+ Loretta Osgard from Long Beach says that they usually take less than 100 lbs per trip
		- **Sharon will follow-up with Loretta for possible collaboration with drug transport for North and South counties**
	+ Would TAC be able to absorb the costs for the incineration out of the DFC budget?
	+ TAC will plan on having Drug Take-Backs twice a year
		- This year, the take-backs will be closer together due to the delay around getting the permanent box in place.
			* TAC is aiming for the end of June and the end of September for take-backs
			* Hopefully there can be two sites per take-back, with one representative/law enforcement officer at the Dropbox and one at a place such as Pioneer Grocery
		- Before the take-backs happen, there needs to be a security camera system in place to monitor the Rx Dropbox
			* Questions/things to consider:
				+ How will the camera feed be detected? Through the dispatcher?
				+ Tanya may be included in future conversations about cameras and surveillance systems
				+ Will the camera have a motion sensor? Night vision?
* **Prevention Consultants**
	+ RE: South County Police Chief and Prevention Consultant Officer to provide training to North County officers and chiefs
		- Both officers attended the CADCA training in Washington D.C.
		- Have them explain why their system works, how it is effective, advice, tips etc.
			* Carry-forward funds could be used to provide compensation for the meeting(s)
				+ One-time, weekly, monthly, bi-monthly?
				+ Should the principals and superintendents be included in the conversations?
				+ Maybe we should focus on conversations/discussions rather than training, due to summer scheduling
	+ RE: Youth Arm for feedback on the Prevention Consultants
	+ RE: Breathalyzer policy for high school Senior trips/field trips
		- Would parental consent be required?
		- What would the consequences be?
	+ Remove “social hosting policy” efforts from the Prevention Consultant workplan
	+ RE: South Bend Food Mart (aka Jackpot) and their underage alcohol purchasing
	+ RE: “Classroom education K-12” on the workplan – the range is too wide
	+ RE: Break down the workplan into hours in addition to tasks
	+ Consider:
		- Should there be one Prevention Consultant for the tri-districts or just one?
		- Should there be an application system for being a Prevention Consultant?
			* Should a Prevention Consultant officer be a job, within itself?
		- What should the enforcement efforts be?
			* Things to focus on?
			* Focus on what students would like help on, instead of guessing
			* Educated the public on consequences
	+ Compliance Checks
		- Pacific County Sheriff’s Office – All alcohol in north county
		- Raymond Police Department – Marijuana retailers in Raymond city limits
		- South Bend Police Department – Marijuana retailers in South Bend city limits
	+ RE: Prevention Consultant Progress Report
		- Integrate into TAC meetings
		- Have articles in the newspapers
		- Have a report handy in case the officers are not present at the meeting
		- Blog on the website, include photos
			* Shift the image of law enforcement in the community to a more positive light
	+ **Gracie and Tanya will inform and collect information about the Prevention Consultants at the next Youth Arm meeting.**
	+ **Sharon will make a survey to share with the principals, chiefs, and officers to determine the key issues at each of the schools**
* TAC will need to get a hold of the HYS 2014 for the tri-school districts

**\*\*\*Next Meeting will be Monday, June 8th @ 1:30pm at Raymond Timberland Library\*\*\***