



4.6.2021: Meeting Agenda

Attendees: Kim Sherony, Jen Schilpzand, Beth Deutsch, Heather Craig, David Morris, Rachel Gasawski, Steven Bruce, Keira Hoisington, Toni Siering, Ali Lenger, Robyn Wiens, Jodi Harvey, Noah Arnow,

I. Welcome & Introductions:

A. Objectives: Learn more about local and national drug trends so we can apply knowledge to our work

II. Approve meeting minutes from 3/2/2021. Approved at 1606.

III. Presentation- Jodi Harvey from the DEA St. Louis Division.

A. DEA - Drug Enforcement Agency - reports directly to the President

B. DEA Top 5 Drug Threats

1. Crystal Meth

- a) Shards vs powder
- b) Super cheap
- c) 99%/100% purity
- d) 2020 SLMA meth deaths = 181

2. Heroin/Fentanyl

- a) Heroin - sourced from Chicago street gangs
- b) 55% purity
- c) 2020 SLMA heroin deaths = 89
- d) Fentanyl - lab created
- e) Incredibly addictive
- f) 100x stronger than morphine; 50x stronger than heroin
- g) Replacing the heroin user demand
- h) 2020 SLMA deaths = 782

3. Cocaine

- a) Staple and familiar drug
- b) Widely available
- c) Viewed as a party drug

4. Cannabis

- a) Ubiquitous and cheap

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- b) 2021 THC - 25% vs 1960 THC 3%
 - c) Domestic production
 - 5. Pharmaceuticals
 - a) Current threat of counterfeit pills
 - b) Most common faux pills - counterfeit alprazolam and oxycodone
 - c) Fentanyl may be added to these pills
- C. 3 Mexican cartels in St. Louis District
 - 1. Sinaloa - strongest with the biggest presence
 - 2. CJNG/New Generation
 - 3. Juarez
 - 4. Cartels use street gangs to distribute drugs in St. Louis
- D. DEA has many initiatives to combat violent crime
 - 1. Operation Crystal Shield
 - 2. Operation Legend
 - 3. Operation Safeguard
- E. Questions:
 - 1. What is the DEA seeing Cannabis laced with? fentanyl and meth
 - 2. Is Narcan effective with fentanyl overdose? Yes, it can help, but many doses may be needed

IV. PreventEd Announcements/Cannabis Discussion

- A. Making a push to use that Cannabis to be the preferred word. The term marijunana has racist undertones and history, so PreventEd will be using Cannabis and want to encourage partners to do the same.

V: Updates:

- Social Media Update-Ali
 - Pushing events on social media
 - Working through issues with FB
 - More interaction since Ali started
- Status of Sticker Shock Campaign
 - Going well - 5 retailers on board so far
- April 7, 6:00-7:00-Teens During COVID 19 Town Hall
 - Partnership with 3 other coalitions
- Caring for Head and Heart Series
 - Mental health services, social emotional health, more to come
- May Meeting-Let's Celebrate!

VI. New Business

None reported

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Adjourn- Thank you for your attendance and support!

Next Meeting: May 4 4:00-5:00 via Zoom

We meet the 1st Tues. of the month.

June 1 & July 6

The mission of the All In Clayton Coalition is to keep Clayton youth safe from the effects of substance misuse. Our vision is to be a community that prioritizes substance use prevention as a vital part of developing healthy, thriving young people. Our key objectives

- Prevent substance use among Clayton youth.
- Reduce the prevalence of substance use disorders in Clayton.
- Educate the Clayton community on key issues related to alcohol and drugs.
- Advocate for policies and practices that prevent substance use among Clayton youth.

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