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Governor’s Council on Impaired Driving

MINUTES

MAY 18, 2016

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

RAMKOTA – CASPER, WY

TYPE OF MEETING	Quarterly Meeting
FACILITATOR	Ernie Johnson – Staff Support Lori Emmert, Jan Lampert
ATTENDEES	<p>Conference Call Attendee’s: Stephanie Heitsch, Tim Day, Ann Comeaux-Sutton, Ryan Roden, Kristie Langley, Len DeClerq, Mario Ramos, Ann Sutton, Karson James, Antoinette Healy</p> <p>Council Members: Mike Blonigen, Rich Adriaens Mike Reed, Keith Nachbar, Kelli Perrotti, Tom Montoya, Rob Black, Danny Glick, Byron Oedekoven, Matt Groth, Dawn Sides, Matt Carlson, Kebin Haller, Ashley Schluck, Kerry Shatto</p> <p>Audience: Kelly Hunt, Pete Abrams, Ken Ledet, Dave O’Malley, Shannon Ratliff, Andrew Stolz, Tracy Sessions, Jonlee Anderle, Denise Fuller, Chad Beeman</p>

Agenda topics

GENERAL DISCUSSION	RICH ADRIAENS – CO CHAIR MIKE BLONIGEN – CO CHAIR
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DISCUSSION	Opening remarks and introductions. Welcoming new members.
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ANNUAL REVIEW	ERNIE JOHNSON – COUNCIL FACILITATOR
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DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ See PowerPoint <p>Ernie provided an overview to include a progress timeline of the council’s past, present, and future initiatives.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Continuing Initiatives ➤ Community Engagement ➤ Drugged Driving ➤ 24/7 Program Implementation ➤ Ignition Interlock <p>Sub Committee Review (Highway Safety Office will have a representative on all committee’s)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Ignition Interlock - new subcommittee members - Matt Carlson will be the Chair, Byron Oedekoven, Kerry Shatto, Tracy Sessions ➤ Media Subcommittee – no additions
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Program Evaluation – new subcommittee members - Kelli Perrotti, Rob Black ➤ Supervision – new subcommittee members – Ken Ledet, Judge Healy ➤ Membership – new subcommittee members – Ken Ledet ➤ Drugged Driving – new subcommittee members – Tom Montoya, invite WLEA representative ➤ Legal Issues Committee (NEW) – Peter Michael, Mike Blonigen, Rich Adriaens, Ashley Schluck, Rob Black, Byron Oedekoven
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ALCOHOL AND CRIME IN WYOMING - 2015

ERNIE JOHNSON – COUNCIL FACILITATOR

DISCUSSION	Rich Adriaens presented the information to the council and how the information has been used in his community. Policy Maker Forums are being conducted by invitation only and ten have been provided throughout the state. See PowerPoint for specific statistics based on data from the 2015 report.
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CAMPBELL COUNTY DWI AUDIT COURT TREATMENT TRACK

DENISE FULLER – ADULT DRUG COURT COORDINATOR
CHAD BEEMAN – ADULT COURT CASE MANAGER

DISCUSSION	See PowerPoint Provided an overview of the DWI Court program in Campbell County. Funding is an issue moving forward in the future.
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PRESENTATION OF GCID AWARDS

MIKE BLONIGEN – NATRONA COUNTY DA
RICH ADRIAENS – CHIEF OF POLICE - SHERIDAN

DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Casper City Council – Vice Mayor Stephen Cathey ➤ Campbell County Board of Commissioners ➤ Sheriff Dave O’Malley and the Albany County Sheriff’s Department ➤ Sheriff Danny Glick and the Laramie County Sheriff’s Department <p>Refer to the project site to review the nomination information.</p>
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DUI SENTENCING SURVEY

KEITH NACHBAR – JUDGE, ALCOHOL COURT – CASPER
ERNIE JOHNSON – COUNCIL FACILITATOR

DISCUSSION	<p>Judge Nachbar presented the survey, how the information was obtained and evaluated, process and recommendations. Information distributed to the group is on the project site for review. See PowerPoint for further information concerning the GCID DUI Sentencing survey.</p> <p>Observations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ First Offense cases – a high BAC received 301 deferrals with unsupervised probation – few cases had jail time ➤ Second Offense cases – statutory minimum jail sentences – unsupervised probation ➤ Most courts are primarily giving the minimal sentence ➤ Risk Assessments show DUI’s low <p>Recommendation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Best Practices for DUI Sentencing ➤ Need more complete - Judge Healy will work with Laramie County Courts, Dawn Sides will work with Fremont County, Chief Adriaens will work with Sheridan County and Ashley Schluck will work with Albany County Courts to obtain the information
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UPDATE: DUI DRUG TESTING CONCERNS

PETER MICHAEL – WYOMING ATTORNEY
GENERAL

DISCUSSION	Attorney General Michael updated the group on the next steps after a May 9 th meeting with state officials. Exploring moving the criminal aspects of testing to DCI with evaluation of the process being effective and beneficial to all concerned. Department of Corrections is looking at outsourcing their UA's for better accuracy and timeliness.
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UPDATE: GOVERNOR'S MARIJUANA IMPACT
ASSESSMENT COUNCIL

MIKE REED – GOVERNOR'S POLICY
ADVISOR ON IMPAIRED DRIVING

DISCUSSION	Discussion focused on the revenue loss the State of Wyoming would face with legalization of medical marijuana. Projected 1.5 million loss per year to the state. Final review was that the State of Wyoming would not make money and in fact would lose money.
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UPDATE: 24/7 SOBRIETY PROGRAM

MIKE REED – GOVERNOR'S POLICY
ADVISOR ON IMPAIRED DRIVING

DISCUSSION	Mike distributed a packet of information to the group for review.
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UPDATE: MEDIA CAMPAIGN SUBCOMMITTEE

MATT GROTH – WYDOT PUBLIC AFFAIRS
MIKE REED – GOVERNORS POLICY
ADVISOR ON IMPAIRED DRIVING

DISCUSSION	See Power Point
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UPDATE: POLICYMAKER FORUMS

ERNIE JOHNSON – COUNCIL
FACILITATOR

DISCUSSION	Ernie provided a brief update on the location and attendance at the Policy Maker Forums. See Power Point.
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OPEN FORUM – CLOSING REMARKS

ACTION ITEMS		DEADLINE
Next Meetings: August 17, 2016 – Cheyenne – Holiday Inn December 7, 2016 – Casper - Ramkota	Lori Emmert	ASAP