

Date: May 08, 2018
Time: 11:40- 1:00pm
Location: Dixie County High School
Media Center

Dixie County Tobacco-Free Partnership Meeting

Meeting Minutes

I. Attendees:

- A. Madison Morris SWAT
- B. Daniel Bennett SWAT
- C. Cassandra Coffell SWAT
- D. Taylor Fisher SWAT
- E. Jordan Butler SWAT
- F. Chris Lancaster SWAT
- G. Kentrell Hall SWAT
- H. Precious Aikens SWAT
- I. Lola Butler FDOH-Dixie
- J. Angie Land FDOH/LBA Partnership co-chair
- K. Carol West Dixie Chamber of Commerce President
- L. Melanie Anderson QD Tobacco Prevention Specialist Dixie
- M. Jovante' Teague TFP Chair
- N. Lindsey Whittington DCHS Teacher
- O. Judy Summeral SWAT Advisor/DCHS Teacher

II. Welcome Partners & Guests –Jovante' Teague & Angie Land welcomed everyone to the meeting.

III. Old Business

- A. Cross City Fly-In, Cruise-In and Business Expo Sponsorship, the partnership will be presenting the Chamber of Commerce a plaque to thank them for passing a tobacco free event policy and for supporting other community events to be tobacco free.
- B. Dixie County Little League Sponsorship: The TFP sponsored the DCLL again this year for the \$500 level and new metal No Tobacco No Smoking No Dipping and No Vaping signs have been put around the park.
- C. Point of Sale updates on Assurance of Voluntary Compliance (AVC) Melanie Anderson, the one AVC store that had been surveyed has now gone back to advertising tobacco outside and on the windows and doors. The POS new year will address other POS policies and not focus on the one AVC tobacco retailer.
- D. Suwannee Spring Arts Festival (Dixie County Library) Thank to Cindy Bellot at the Dixie County Public Library, the Suwannee Spring Arts Festival was a tobacco free event with a signed policy. The TFP will be honoring the County Public Library with a plaque for passing a tobacco free events policy.

IV. SWAT Reports

- A. Ruth Rains Middle School SWAT Report (Richard Whittington) Mr Whittington was thanked for his support of the Dixie County SWAT and the Tobacco Free Partnership with a plaque. He has been a SWAT advisor at RRMS for 5 years and plans to continue in 2018-19.
- B. Dixie County High School SWAT Advisor, Judy Sumerall will be stepping down this year, and we will be looking for a New SWAT advisor for 2018-19. The SWAT club officers held a Through With Chew Week Event at the High School. They SWAT officers will be presenting a plaque at the Dixie County Chamber of Commerce and the Dixie County Commissioners meeting in the next week.
- C. Charter Community SWAT Report (Johnnie Grimes) Mrs. Grimes was not able to attend the TFP but will give full reports on activities for the end of the quarter reporting.

V. New Business

- A. Opportunity to thank Dixie County Commissioners for Tobacco Free Parks and Recreation Resolution and a plaque will be presented to them at the next county commissioners meeting.
- B. Next years' goals to include Faith Based Tobacco Free Grounds Policy, Restricting the sale of tobacco 1,000 ft of a school, signs for the age limit for the purchase of tobacco at retailers and Tobacco Free Rodeo Arena.