



# Spink County Coalition Meeting

## Minutes

### May 17, 2021

<http://www.spinkcountycoalition.com>

**Present:** Lana Greenfield, Melissa Rowenhorst, Dawn Oakley, George Siler, Kendra Becker, Marsha Solheim, Tim Reinbold, Brian Wasmoen, Chessa Quenzer, Le Ann Wasmoen

#### 1. Director Report

- Recovery Home update-Met with County Commissioners at the Courthouse. Sober Living Association training in Bismarck on June 11.
- Logic Model-Tobacco, Alcohol, Marijuana, Highway Executive Summaries completed. We will be working on revising the Strategic Plan this summer.
- Coalition Satisfaction Survey link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SpinkCountyCoalition2021>. We only have 19 responses so far...the link will be closing soon.
- Prevention Awareness Week-May 9-15 activities-The SADD students did sidewalk chalk and posters along downtown Main Street. We also did a social media blitz on prevention awareness.
- Community Perception Survey link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NBCCCV8>

#### 2. Project SUCCESS

- SADD Safe Prom activity, Summer Bash/Ditch Cleaning & SADD Prom—Le Ann showed some pictures of these activities that the SADD students were involved with. We had lots of fun, won prizes, and did some great community service!

#### 3. Tobacco Grant

- Kick-It Contest-winners were announced and some of the entries were displayed at the meeting.
- Elementary Awareness Day-Le Ann showed pictures. Stations included students from LATC dental hygienist class, DCI deputies talked about social media safety and bullying, students made healthy protein balls, and several activities about tobacco and vaping prevention.

4. **Spink Area Support Network (SASN).** Waiting to hear back from Bush and Community Foundation grants that have been submitted.

#### 5. Highway Traffic Safety grant

- June 4<sup>th</sup> CARD event for 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students at the Armory
- Partnering with other Driver's Training instructors

6. Steering Committee Election. Those up for re-election are Kendra Becker, Josh Lee, and Melissa Rowenhorst. The Steering Committee will be meeting next Monday, May 24 at 6:30 p.m. Lana made the motion, seconded by Marsha to cast a unanimous ballot for Kendra, Josh, and Melissa as members of the Spink County Coalition Steering Committee members.

7. Sheriff's Office Report- not available

8. Trending/hot button topics in Spink County? Awareness campaigns you would like to see accomplished? Town Hall meetings? Reflections funding ideas? Mock car crash? Needs in other Spink schools?  
We had discussion about having a Marijuana Town Hall meeting since it may be a “hot button” topic right now. We would have to be extremely careful to present the facts and data. It was suggested having law enforcement as part of a panel discussion. Kendra suggested talking to Luke Niforatos.
9. Social media—Please “Like” & “Share” our Spink County Coalition, CARD, and SADD Facebook Pages
10. Other-Tim Reinbold shared what some of the resources he has available that could be helpful to Reflections as well as the Coalition in general. He has asked us to spread the word about some of those resources in regard to Vocational Rehabilitation. Thanks, Tim!

Next meeting:

And, although we aren't meeting officially throughout the summer, doesn't mean we won't be busy planning some great things and working on transitioning! And we will need your help to assist with the Logic Model/Strategic Planning process and will set up an evening sometime this summer for us to get together. Everyone's input is important, and we will make this an easy, informative, and fun process!