



Missoula County Buckle Up Montana Coalition & DUI Task Force (Combined) Meeting

Thursday, February 10, 2022

Zoom Meeting

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sgt. Andrew Novak	Dodd McDermott
Sgt. Hiebert	Rich Salois
Rolf Tandberg	Marie Jensen
Leah Fitch-Brody	Kevi Berger
Michelle Evans	Judge Holloway
Jennifer Wilson	Samantha Arcand
Mckenna – UofM	Jodine Tarbert
Virginia Braun	Reagan Mecham
Evan Rosenberg	Michelle Evans

Introductions & Updates

Frenchtown Community Coalition Website & Facebook Page

Website: <https://frenchtowncommunitycoalition.com/>

Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/FrenchtownCommunityCoalition>

Last Meeting – If you have not watched Faith Price’s Presentation on Legalized Marijuana – Here’s the link

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=onf_iyry-rE&t=1538s

Think Twice Updates:

Forrest just became a new Father – right before the meeting started so he will not be here to present.

Drive Safe Missoula’s Think Twice Page

- <https://www.drivesafemissoula.com/think-twice>
- Newly developed to highlight the Think Twice efforts in Missoula and other counties.

Funding Summary

- 09/27/19 - invoice #2595 - \$1,000 for 22 media kits.
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- 12/09/2019 - invoice #2772 - \$1,023 for 17 boxes of breathalyzers.
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- 11/18/2020 - invoice #1423 - \$2,343.99 for 13 boxes of breathalyzers, 8 media kits, and 20 install/service team trainings.

Total Funded Resources

30 boxes of breathalyzers

30 media kits

20 service team trainings

Total Funding = \$4,366.99

Additional breathalyzers purchased by participating locations: 1,440 units

Free promotional breathalyzers: 10 boxes = 1,000 breathalyzers (BOGO offers etc.)

The Iron Horse Bar & Grill, Bodega/Monks, and Press Box all required x2 resources because of the number of restrooms and serving bars. That means Think Twice delivered 2 media kits and 2 boxes of breathalyzers to each location during onboarding.

Program Resources Delivered

19 total media kits delivered.

19 total boxes of breathalyzers delivered. (570 units)

16 installs/service team trainings completed.

Participating Missoula County Bars and Restaurants

1. Iron Horse Bar & Grill
2. Conflux Brewing
3. Bodega/Monks
4. Cranky Sam Public House
5. Charlie B's
6. Eagles Lodge #32
7. Montgomery Distillery
8. Press Box
9. Red's Bar

10. The Rhinoceros
11. Silver Dollar Bar
12. Stockman's
13. Forest Lounge
14. Cully's Bar & Grill
15. Benny's Frenchtown Club
16. Old Bull Brewing

It is important to mention the Missoula task force helped expand Think Twice to other counties.

Think Twice is working to become listed as a "Best Practice"

Seeking ways to get Think Twice in the U of M Stadium

- May possibly need some corporate sponsorships
- Would like to collaborate with Mascot

Think Twice – Sober Sister Program - <https://duiprevention.org/sober-sister/>

- Sober Sister is a safe ride and responsible party program for sororities. The primary mission is to keep members safe, accountable, and connected to peers, regardless of an individual's financial situation.

First year sorority members are a special focus because campus life is new, and many have not experienced underage party scenes or bars. Likewise, we don't want more senior members to pass down unsafe habits. Sober Sister is designed to ensure everyone who goes out has a support system to get home safe and a direct contact to call in an emergency.

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Drive Safe Missoula Billboard Ideas (a possibility)

- Last Month we decided on an Alcohol & THC Billboard of sorts
 - Steve will check with Kevin Dusko to make sure funding would allow THC

Buckle Up Montana

- Missoula CPS Class – May 17-20
 - 8 Slots already taken
 - MPD Sending Officers
 - Not many left if you or someone you know needs to sign up
 - Tracie Kiesel, from Helena, is Lead Instructor
 - Kathy Andress also instructing
 - Location will be at MESI Training Facility

15 Active Instructors in Montana

233 Active CPS Techs in Montana

Special Needs Car Seat Class in Kalispell – First Time in 10 to 12 Years that this class has been offered in Montana

Special Needs Car Seat Workgroup – Safe Kids is part of this group

Safe Kids looking to purchase two special needs “lay flat” car seat beds and the “Vests”

Superbowl Weekend – Please Share Blog Post related to Buckling Up