



**Meridian Anti-Drug Coalition General Meeting Minutes
Meridian Police Department, 1401 E. Watertower St.
November 15, 2018**

Attendees (20): Kendall Nagy, Stephany Galbreath, Sarah Herrick, Dorothy Moon, Darr Moon, Josie Bryan, Howard Davis, Jim Hoffman, James Holtsclaw, Alexi Faucher, Esmeralda Herrera, Nichole Herold, Stephanie Pustejovsky, Terry Austin, Anne Little Roberts, Brandon Frasier, Darren Hurst, John Gonzales, Bernie Wolinski, Dawn Tollan

TIME	SPEAKER & AGENDA ITEMS	NOTES
4:00	Kendall Nagy, MADC Director <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome & Introductions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sign-in sheet signed by all attendees
4:03	Stephany Galbreath, Secretary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approval of October Meeting Minutes (sent out via email) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Motion by Dawn, second by Nicole, all vote to approve minutes
4:05	Kendall Nagy, Director & Project Leads <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strategy Implementation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sticker Shock Campaign Holiday Prevention Theatre Ads Mary Liz, Ada County Legislative Informational Session SRO K9 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sticker Shock Campaign: Multiple MADC members are at Renaissance High School working on the sticker shock campaign sponsored by Idaho Office of Drug Policy and Idaho State Liquor Division. These bags with stickers on them will be distributed at liquor stores across Meridian during the holiday weekend to raise awareness and reduce underage drinking. Holiday Prevention Theatre Ad: Viewed ad produced by Mt. View broadcasting students. Thank you Earl Scharf for working with Mt. View to create this theatre ad. One student shot and edited the film while another setup the scene and directed. All the kids collaborated to come up with the advertisement. This was a great opportunity for MADC to work with local youth. Chronic State showing: Documentary produced by Drug Free ID. This private showing will be for state legislators. Mary Liz, Dawn and Earl are working on finalizing details. SRO assigned K9: 85k needs to be raised by MADC before January 2020. Estimated cost of \$14,000 a year to sustain position. It was suggested West Ada and the City of Meridian split the estimated annual cost to sustain the position once initial cost is covered by MADC. Kendall Nagy will be speaking with City Council in December to finalize the agreement prior to beginning fundraising.
4:15	Guest Speaker: Representative Dorothy Moon, District 8, House Seat B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cannabidiol (CBD) Oil Discussion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Representative Dorothy Moon: Ran for office in 2016 and started her campaign by visiting many communities. Community members asked Dorothy 'how do you feel about CBD oil?' This has been a consistent theme as Dorothy Moon visits constituents. Dorothy then decided to research CBD oil. Dorothy wanted to keep the bill 'black and white' / legal or not

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		<p>legal to use CBD oil. Dorothy says at the Federal level, the House has looked at legalizing CBD oil with .3% THC level. It is going to the Senate. If legalized federally it will easily pass for the state level.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oldest son is autistic; he was prescribed medications that she didn't feel comfortable giving to him. Dorothy has received many emails from community members that use CBD oil or would like to use CBD oil if it was legalized. With that, Dorothy thought to bring the bill forward. The bill discusses that a patient works with a doctor where they will try to find an appropriate amount of CBD oil based on need. Dorothy described how citizens are currently going across state lines to retrieve CBD oil. With the bill, it removes the pharmaceutical layer so that there is 'less government.' Dorothy talked with Fred Wood and tried to run the bill last legislative session without the need for CBD oil to go through a pharmacy. This bill went through the House; lots of testimony by people who currently use CBD oil. Dorothy had about 50 cosponsors for this bill. Dorothy will attempt to make the bill legal again this legislative session. The new bill will be similar to the 577 bill that was developed last session. There will be a few things changed; GMP seal. Dorothy went on a tour in Spokane at Trace Analytics. Dorothy asked 'how much would it cost if an officer would want to test a CBD oil to see how much THC is within a product?' Trace Analytics has stated that they can test within 24 hours at \$60 a sample and it won't cost the millions of dollars that has been discussed in the past. Dorothy Moon is not for marijuana but is a proponent for CBD oil. She would not support marijuana legalization. <p>Q&A:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sgt. Frasier: Who is or would be prosecuting for CBD products? What does that look like state wide? Dorothy Moon: I haven't heard about any prosecution of CBD oil; yes to prosecuting for marijuana but not CBD oil.• Sgt. Frasier: By State Statute ISP forensics would have to approve state criminal justice systems to use Trace Analytics, do you think that is something that would be approved by ISP? Dorothy Moon: Other states have approved the use of Trace Analytics; however Dorothy will pursue that information regarding ISP. Dorothy doesn't believe that .3% THC in CBD should be a scheduled one drug. 'This is a supplement.'• Stephanie: Has looked at information regarding these private labs, similar to Trace Analytics. The concern is that these private labs don't have a standardized testing, which is why ISP may have a problem with using private labs. Epidiolex is a pure product through the FDA, the issue is that we don't know for sure if CBD oil is pure. Dorothy: How do we safely get this
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		<p>product into citizen's hand? It is a lot less expensive to use the non-pharmaceutical grade. Dorothy has visited state run labs in Nevada where they are capable of having CBD oil without THC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sgt. Gonzales: Based on what we have watched across the country, this is a gateway to legalize marijuana. How would you stop that if you say you aren't a proponent for marijuana? Dorothy: We need to delineate what is what. One can get you high while the other can't. One has medicinal properties while the other doesn't. I would never vote for marijuana. Sgt Gonzales: The people that want marijuana to become legalized want this CBD bill to be legalized as it's the first step of legalizing marijuana, how would this be avoided? Dorothy Moon: Education showing the difference between the two.• Dawn: I see all the violations coming in and students arguing with teachers saying that marijuana is fine and so is CBD oil. This is prevalent in Middle and High Schools. There are unintended consequences; marijuana and cbd oil have been put into the same category. Educator to Educator, what do we do with that? Dorothy: There needs to be a lot of education and state wide campaign to explain the difference.• Kendall: We teach youth the process medicines go through, whether they are over the counter or pharmaceutical medication, to ensure they are safe for consumption; i.e. Advil. We teach middle school students how to safely choose to use an Advil to reduce pain by following the directions on the back of the bottle. The process has been established and it guides parents and consumers in their decision making knowing the medicine has been scientifically tested and proven to work for specific ailments. Epidiolex follows this established process where CBD does not. It would be a huge risk to public health to allow artisanal CBD. Dorothy: bill requires that those using and needing CBD oil will have to go through a doctor.• Dawn: How would students receive CBD oil at school? Dorothy: through the nurse just like other medications.• Stephany: The bill states that citizens can get CBD oil for illnesses recognized as treatable by CBD oil, what illnesses have been recognized as treatable by CBD oil? Dorothy: There are so many different things that CBD oil treats, I get letters all the time with ailments that CBD oil has treated.• Esmerelda: Could you expand a little more on the statement of a license physician having to give a note for people to use CBD oil? Dorothy: This note would be on the script pad. This would help if an officer were to pull someone over with CBD oil; this would allow the officer
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		<p>to see which doctor recommended it and move things along. However the script pad / prescription note isn't actually used to get CBD oil, anyone can get that without the note.</p>
<p>4:45</p>	<p>Cheryl Mulvihill, Anti-Drug Coordinator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates: Proclamation, City Council Red Ribbon Week Trunk or Treat Rx Take-Back Natalie Marti Presentation at Eagle High • Upcoming Events: Sticker Shock Campaign (TH) 11/15 Compliance Checks & Shoulder Taps Invite Only Ada County Legislative Informational Session Cabin Fever Reliever (SAT) 2/16 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We extended the conversation with Representative Moon and ran out of time for updates. They are as follows: • Mayor Tammy awarded West Ada School District a Red Ribbon Week Proclamation at City Council. Dawn Tolan received the proclamation on behalf of West Ada as a long standing partner and MADC member. 206 You Tube viewers watched the meeting. • Over 560 prevention conversations and 100 drug tests were given out at Trunk-or-Treat. • The Fall Rx Take-Back in partnership with DEA and Blue Cross resulted in 311 lbs of meds safely discarded, reducing opportunities for abuse and diversion. <p>Upcoming Events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Sticker Shock campaign was in progress at Renaissance High School during the MADC meeting. • Call for volunteers for the Feb. 16th Cabin Fever Reliever in Nampa at Karcher mall.
<p>5:00pm Meeting Adjourned</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*Next Meeting: December 20th, 4pm at Meridian Police Department</p>		

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