

KENTUCKY ALCOHOL POLICY ALLIANCE

KAPA Meeting Minutes – Jan. 8th, 2013, 2:30 p.m. EST

Bluegrass Prevention Center, 1351 Newtown Pike, Bldg. 3, Bluegrass Room, Lexington, KY

CONFERENCE CALL ATTENDEES	MEETING ATTENDEES (IN ADDITION TO CONF. CALL ATTENDEES)
Alisa Smith- Cumberland River RPC Amy Andrews- KY ASAP, Office of Drug Control Policy (ODCP) Brooke White-Bingham- Adanta RPC Connie Smith- DBHDID Cathy Prothro- DBHDID Deborah Hampton- Cumberland River RPC Ellen Walsh- Four Rivers Behavioral Health RPC Gary Hall- RiverValley Behavioral Health RPC Heather Parrino- University of Louisville BRICC Coalition Heather Wainscott- KY ASAP, Office of Drug Control Policy (ODCP) Jackie McComb- Seven Counties RPC Jo Ann Tapp- Pennyroyal RPC Karen Lentz- Commonwealth Alliances Marilyn Rodgers- DBHDID Nancy Pfaadt- Kentucky Prevention Network Patty Gregory- Seven Counties RPC Sam Powell- Four Rivers Behavioral Health RPC Sandra Watts Ryan- Bluegrass RPC Sarah Lippert- RiverValley RPC Sherry Estes- Adanta RPC Steve Cambron- DBHDID	Darryl Turpin- The Pinwheel Group, LLC David Warner- MADD Volunteer, Mercer County ASAP Donna Wiesenhahn- Bluegrass RPC Jessica Miller- Bluegrass RPC Lynsey Sugarman- Drug Free Lex Nancy Carrington- PAL Coalition Tara McGuire- Bluegrass RPC/ Alcohol PES Tiffany Quarles- KY Dept. of Alcohol Beverage Control Tomy Baker Molloy- PAL Coalition <p style="text-align: right;">Total attendance: 30</p>

TOPIC	DISCUSSION/CONCLUSIONS/ RECOMMENDATIONS	ACTION/ FOLLOW-UP
Welcome & Introductions	Tara McGuire welcomed everyone to the meeting and statewide conference call. Introductions were made by members.	
Minutes	Tara distributed minutes from the Nov. 25 th KAPA meeting, and highlighted revisions previously emailed to KAPA members and available online. Members can double click on blue hyperlinks in the minutes to directly link to associated web-pages. Tara also thanked Gary Hall and Dianne McFarling for sending out the Project ALERT Marketing Flyer.	Download KAPA meeting minutes at www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/kapa-meetings/
KAPA Website	Tara encouraged members to utilize the KAPA website- http://www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/ to stay up to date on local ordinances and state law related to underage and high-risk drinking prevention, and KAPA events. Tara congratulated the City of Irvine in Estill County and Owsley County on passing RBS. There are currently 65 RBS Ordinances statewide (www.kyprevention.com/projects/rbs/). Conference call meeting attendees were instructed to utilize the KAPA Meetings linked page for access to meeting agendas, minutes, and other documents up for discussion.	KAPA updates: www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/ Meeting agendas & minutes: www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/kapa-meetings/

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<p>Advocacy vs. Lobbying Rules for Nonprofits Webinar</p>	<p>Tara reported she and other KAPA members attended the Foundation for a Healthy KY <i>Advocacy versus Lobbying Rules for Nonprofits</i> webinar on Dec. 4th. A recorded version is online.</p>	<p>Webinar recorded version: www.Kyhealthfacts.org</p>
<p>2013 Governor’s Impaired Driving Enforcement Awards</p>	<p>The 2013 Governor’s Impaired Driving Enforcement Awards ceremony was held in Louisville on December 3, 2013. 206 officers from 174 agencies statewide were honored by the Kentucky Office of Highway Safety (KOHS) for their efforts to target impaired drivers. This ceremony marked the end of National Impaired Driving Prevention Month (December). Tara encouraged KAPA members, RPCs, and coalitions to congratulate these officers for their efforts to enforce drunk driving laws.</p> <p>Gary Hall mentioned he forwarded a copy of the winners to his local newspaper.</p>	<p>Download 2013 DUI Enforcement Awards Division and Individual Winners Lists at http://www.kyprevention.com/projects/law-enforcement-recognition/</p>
<p>NIH Study: State Alcohol Policies Prevent Binge Alcohol Use</p>	<p>The National Institute of Health (NIH) released a study last month on the U.S. Alcohol Policy Environment and its relationship to binge drinking with detailed information on each state.</p> <p>RESULTS: Tennessee, Oklahoma, and Alabama had the highest Alcohol Policy Score (APS), while Kentucky ranked in the top 13 states for highest APS. Higher scores represent stronger alcohol policy environments.</p> <p>CONCLUSIONS: Higher APS scores (representing stronger policy environments) were associated with less adult binge drinking and accounted for a substantial proportion of the state-level variation in binge drinking among U.S. states. (Am J Prev Med 2014;46(1):10–16 & 2014 American Journal of Preventive Medicine)</p>	<p>Download more information on the Dec. 2013 NIH Study at http://www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/kapa-meetings/</p> <p>or</p> <p>http://www.ajpmonline.org/webfiles/images/journals/amepre/AMEPRE_3911-stamped-121013.pdf</p>
<p>2014 KY Legislative Session</p>	<p>Tara provided members with a copy of 2014 KY Legislature Regular Session Prefiled Bills related to Alcoholic Beverages, Alcoholism, Distilled Spirits, Malt Beverages, and Traffic; 2014 House and Senate specific committee members; and the 2014 Regular Session Calendar 60-day session that began Jan. 7, 2014, as provided by ww.lrc.ky.gov. Tara will provide updates as needed regarding underage and high-risk drinking related bills to the group.</p> <p>Darryl Turpin reminded the group the 2014 KY Legislative Session Alcohol Prefiled Bills & Session Schedule document does not indicate KAPA or the Alcohol PES supports any of the bills listed. The document contains factual information from LRC, and is just intended to keep prevention informed of what is out there.</p> <p>Karen Lentz added that once the session begins prefiled bills (BR) are converted to House or Senate Bills (HB or SB).</p> <p>David Warner said BR126- “DUI, penalties imposed, expanded look back for prior offenses from 5 to 10-years is now HB34”.</p>	<p>Download 2014 KY Legislative Session Alcohol Prefiled Bills & Session Schedule and updates as available at www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/kapa-meetings/</p> <p>Stay up to date on the current Legislative Session at www.lrc.ky.gov</p>

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<p>(Continued...) 2014 KY Legislative Session</p>	<p>The question was raised about the additional cost or enforcement's stance on BR40. Gary Hall and Jo Ann Tapp said law enforcement they spoke to said they were in favor of DUI, per se level reduced from 0.08 to 0.05 (BR40). Karen Lentz added the LRC would provide fiscal notes (FN) to bills as needed in session at www.lrc.ky.gov.</p> <p>Karen Lentz advised Louisville KAPA members to monitor BR157 in regards to the hours of alcohol sale.</p> <p>Jackie McComb mentioned there was also a bill whereas 25% of the money generated would go to the KY ASAP Program, and Van Ingram with the Office of Drug Control Policy was involved with a bill related to Heroin.</p>	
<p>Report on Judge Heyburn Ruling and Appeal</p>	<p>Karen Lentz reported the U.S. Court of Appeals may not rule on the Judge Heyburn decision until later than was originally anticipated. She discussed that Representative Keene intended to file the same bill as last year to reduce alcohol access to minors by requiring packaged spirits and wine to only be sold on premises where minors were allowed to remain. This bill has not been filed yet to possibly allow more time to see how the Court of Appeals rules. Karen reinforced the law MUST keep minors away from alcohol.</p> <p>The U.S. Court of Appeals <i>12-6056 Maxwells Pic Pac et al v Tony Dehner et al</i> audio version link was provided.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">###</p> <p><i>KAPA update provided 01-15-2014....</i></p> <p>The U.S. Court of Appeals reversed the U.S. District Judge John Heyburn ruling – <u>KY LAW STANDS</u> (established more 70 years ago) allowing the sale of packaged wine and distilled spirits by liquor stores (who do not permit minors to enter or remain on premise or hire anyone under age-20) and pharmacies.</p> <p>This is good news for prevention. If the Appeal filed by the KY ABC would have lost, then <u>ANY</u> retailer could sell <u>ANY</u> type of alcohol. This includes grocery stores, dollar stores, convenience stores, pawn and gun shops—even truck stops!</p> <p>According to KY ABC, as of 10/21/13, there are <u>567</u> package liquor licenses available statewide.</p>	<p><i>KAPA news update provided 01-15-2014...</i></p> <p>The U.S. Court of Appeals reversed the U.S. District Judge John Heyburn ruling – <u>KY LAW STANDS</u></p> <p>KAPA Day at the Capitol and Lunch with the General Assembly on Feb. 27th is STILL SCHEDULED</p>

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<p>Kentucky Prevention Week (Dec. 8-14th)</p>	<p>Tara congratulated KAPA and everyone involved in making this statewide effort a tremendous success. Tara revealed the final statewide count from the first ever Kentucky Prevention Week included KAPA volunteers representing <u>93-counties (78%)</u> who signed up to meet with <u>130 of 136 (96%) KY Legislators</u> and provide education material on a public health issue effecting youth access to alcohol in Kentucky.</p> <p>Special thanks were given to Regional Prevention Centers who reached 100% of the legislators in their region:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. REGION 1-- Four Rivers Behavioral Health RPC 2. REGION 2—Pennyroyal RPC 3. REGION 3-- RiverValley Behavioral Health RPC 4. REGION 4-- LifeSkills RPC 5. REGION 6-- Seven Counties RPC 6. REGION 8-- Comprehend, Inc. RPC 7. REGION 11-- Mountain Comprehensive Care RPC 8. REGION 12—KY River Community Care RPC 9. REGION 14-- Adanta RPC 10. REGION 15-- Bluegrass RPC <p>Jo Ann Tapp with the Pennyroyal RPC discussed her youth coalition’s meeting with Representative Dossett during Kentucky Prevention Week. The students were teens that attended the Green River Teen Leadership Conference held in Owensboro November 8th and 9th. Jo Ann said the students were amazing, and shared their concern about underage drinking and the increased use of marijuana. Representative Dossett was impressed by the youth group, and expressed he was “not” in favor expanding alcohol sales/ outlet density and very much in support of small business owners of package stores which he felt would be impacted if larger retail stores were allowed to sell distilled spirits. Jo Ann also discussed the work done in California, primarily led by youth to reclassify malt liquor (Alcopops) and her interest in bringing that issue to light in Kentucky.</p> <p>Tara reported that Marshall County ASAP Board Chair Wendy Baxter and Director Lois Rogalski met with Representative Coursey during Kentucky Prevention Week to address underage drinking risks as well as the possibility of wine and liquor sales in grocery and convenience stores. Ellen Walsh added finding a time to meet the Representative was not an easy task, but when the opportunity to meet with him at the Marshall County Fiscal Court’s Christmas Dinner came up Wendy and Lois were ready.</p>	
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<p>KAPA Media Template Kit</p>	<p>Jackie McComb and Karen Lentz discussed the KAPA Letter to the Editor Template released last month, and emphasized now is a good time to send this local news outlets.</p> <p>Darryl Turpin expressed local news outlets may be more likely to cover the story when the U.S. Court of Appeals rules on the Judge Heyburn decision, or a bill is filled.</p> <p>Gary Hall mentioned it would be good to also speak with County Judge Executives and City Mayors who want to preserve local small businesses.</p> <p>Jo Ann Tapp asked how involved local ABC Administrators were in following this state issue. Tiffany Quarles stated the state ABC was watching the Judge Heyburn ruling issue. She explained that because local ABC Administrators are locally associated, it might be good for KAPA members and/or local coalitions to educate their local ABC Administrators and provide the educational KAPA material to them as well.</p> <p>Karen Lentz mentioned KET KY Tonight may do a story.</p>	
<p>Fact Sheet on Underage Drinking Issues</p>	<p>Nancy Carrington and Tomy Baker Molloy pointed out questions raised during Kentucky Prevention Week by the Louisville Legislators they met as well as others throughout the state, and a Fact Sheet on Underage Drinking Issues they were in the process of preparing in response. A draft was distributed at the meeting and is available on the KAPA Meeting webpage. The main features of this Fact Sheet will be to summarize the massive amount of research KAPA has collected, and to ensure each fact is properly cited with its original source.</p>	
<p>2014 KAPA Legislative Luncheon</p>	<p>Donna Wiesenbahn informed the group KAPA Day at the Capitol and Lunch with the KY Legislators will occur on Thursday, February 27, 2014, and encouraged KAPA members to attend and invite their local youth coalitions to attend.</p> <p>The following tentative schedule was planned:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8:30-9:30 a.m. EST - Informational Meeting in Capitol Annex Room 125 for KAPA Volunteers • 9:30-11:00 a.m. EST - KAPA Volunteers schedule and meet with their legislators to discuss the importance of underage and binge drinking prevention, or attend General Assembly Committee Meetings • 11:00 a.m. EST - Lunch with the General Assembly hosted by KAPA, meet in the back of the Capitol Annex Cafeteria <p>Karen Lentz has requested KAPA Day at the Capitol be placed on the Legislators' Weekly Social Calendar, but said it would also be nice if KAPA would design an Invite Flyer for Legislators' desk.</p>	<p>Tara will design a KAPA Day at the Capitol Invite Flyer to place on Legislators' desk.</p> <p>KAPA members should plan to attend KAPA Day at the Capitol on <u>Feb. 27th</u> to have lunch and meet with their legislators.</p> <p>Those attending need to contact their legislator between <u>Feb. 6-13th</u> (2-3 weeks before Feb. 27th) at their Frankfort Office (502-564-8100) to schedule a time to meet with them on Feb. 27th.</p>

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<p><i>State of Alcohol Issues for KY "Report Card"</i></p>	<p>Donna Wiesenhahn presented an idea to KAPA to produce a <i>State of Alcohol Issues for KY</i> "Report Card" similar to the Texas Report Card by Texans Standing Tall (www.texansstandingtall.org). The group determined this would be a long-term project for KAPA to pursue in the future after KAPA Day at the Capitol, and that a subcommittee would be formed to work on the statewide project.</p>	
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>The next KAPA Meeting will be Thursday, February 13th, 2014, at 2:30 p.m. EST at Family and Children's Place, 525 Zane Street, Louisville. A conference call will be available so those who cannot attend physically can participate in the discussion.</p>	<p>Mark your calendars for Thursday, February 13th, at 2:30 p.m. EST</p> <p>Conference call instructions and agenda will be available prior to the meeting at http://www.kyprevention.com/projects/kapa/kapa-meetings/.</p> <p>To join the KAPA mailing list or to become a member of KAPA, email tkmcguire@bluegrass.org.</p>

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