



*Mission: RISE Cowley promotes healthy lifestyles by collaborating to raise awareness and encourage involvement for residents of Cowley County, Kansas.*

## **RISE Cowley-Coalition**

### **Minutes**

*Tuesday, March 13, 2018 – Arkansas City Water Treatment Plant Multipurpose Room, 400 W Madison, Arkansas City; 10:00 a.m.*

#### Introductions & Healthy Happenings

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Taylor Schwartz, Community Health Center	Andrew Lawson, City of Arkansas City
Charissa Wall, City-Cowley County Health Dept.	Brian Stone, Emergency Preparedness
Rylee Blanton, City-Cowley County Health Dept.	Tory Moree, Winfield Rec Commission
Becky Reid, K-State Research and Extension	Mark , Walmart
Tom Langer, City-Cowley County Health Dept.	Lori Schwartz, USD 470
Ruth Bumgarner, William Newton Hospital	Sarah O'Donnell, USD 470
Tara Sutton, Cowley Fitness	Middle School Student
Sarah Bryant, William Newton Hospital	Middle School Student

##### 2. Minutes of 1/16/2018 (*motion to approve*)

- a. Langer moved to approve the minutes as presented, Seconded by Wall. Approved unanimously.**

##### 3. Financial report – Langer (*motion to accept*)

- a. Financial report was presented and is attached. Lawson moved to approve financial report as presented, seconded by L.Schwartz. Approved unanimously.**

##### 4. PRESENTATION: Cowley County Grocery Truck – Reid

##### 5. PRESENTATION: “Be The Spark” Arkansas City Middle School KAY grant application request for support – Sarah O’Donnell (sponsor) and students

##### 6. Pathways Tasks

- a. Action Plan Technical Assistance Update(s)/Deadlines – Blanton/Wall**

- i. No updated to the current Action Plan.**

- b. Pathways Subcommittees Reports. Meeting date(s)/Action plan details/Updates**

###### 1. Community Policy – Lawson

- a. The City of Arkansas City is currently working to extend the Poplar Trail in Arkansas City to one mile in length. Also working to complete the master plan for bike and walking trails.**

###### 2. Resident/Community Well Being – Cales/Werner

- a. No report.**

###### 3. Food Retail/Restaurants – Reid/Falletti

- a. SNAP can now be used at the Farmers Market (currently waiting on kiosk and other logistical pieces).**

###### 4. Health Care – Bryant

- a. No report.**

###### 5. Schools – Greenlee/L.Schwartz

- a. Subcommittee members are working with the other school districts to find representatives to add to the group.
6. Worksites – **Blanton/Wall**
  - a. Foundations training will be held in July.
7. Communications – **Bryant/Lawson**
  - a. RISE has been staying active on Instagram, Twitter and Facebook and the Communications Subcommittee requests that other organizations tag RISE in supported events as well as stating that RISE will be tagging other organizations in partnering situations.
  - b. Minutes are now posted on the website as an archive of the coalition.
7. Other Opportunities:
  - a. Update: Bike Racks – **Reid**
    - i. Reid requested all those interested in being a part of the selection committee are welcome!
  - b. Future coalition meeting sites and presentations.
    - i. Reid will create a video link for those who wish to attend the meetings but are unable to be physically present as well as recording certain meetings that cover pertinent information.
  - c. It was suggested a Steering Committee update be included to the full coalition meeting agenda.
8. Next Meeting of the Steering Committee. *Wednesday, April 4, 2018 at 1:15 p.m. at the City/Cowley County Health Department, 320 E. 9<sup>th</sup> #2, Winfield.*
9. Adjournment. **Langer moved to adjourn, seconded by Reid. Approved unanimously.**

**FULL coalition meetings - 2018 proposed dates/locations: (2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of odd number months)**

**May 8 – PRESENTATION: Pathways Grants - Winfield Area Chamber of Commerce, 123 E 9<sup>th</sup> Ave, Winfield**

July 9 – TBD

September 11 - TBD

November 13 – TBD