

<p>3. New Business</p>	<p>Their research identified quite a few informative articles about SHS and third hand smoke and it affects pets. Another meeting with Leslie will be held to evaluate packet contents. November happens to be the awareness month for pets and exposure to SHS. There are an increasing number of volunteers with pet therapy dogs working at the Scully-Welsh Cancer Center and expanding to the Medical Center.</p> <p>New Business</p> <p>a) <u>Tobacco Prevention Point of Sale (POS) Goal: Update for 2017-18.</u> A new POS activity will be on the 2017-18 Work Plan. AVC stands for Assurance of Voluntary Compliance. In the early 2000s (2002+?) Attorney Generals of some states including Florida, signed AVCs with major corporations who sold tobacco (i.e. 7-11). This happened prior to current tobacco advertising and placement regulations. Although it won't be as extensive as previous store assessments, the work plan will ask us to monitor some of the key elements of the AVCs. Training is expected to be in October. This information about the AVCs is so new that State Program managers are developing the plan now .</p> <p>b) Tobacco Free Florida Week and Celebration! Join us next week to receive a Tobacco Free Florida Week Proclamation at the City of Sebastian Council meeting, Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at 6:00pm. Partnership members also decided to celebrate the end of the year with lunch at Osceola Bistro on Friday, May 12th. Leslie will send out details and invitations.</p> <p>c) Summer Schedule. There will be no TFP meetings in June or July. Work will continue on Pets and SHS and meetings with our delegates will be scheduled.</p>
<p>Partner Updates</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAFIR conducted activities at VBHS for Better Decisions Week. The pledge and photo booth was a huge hit. Activities next year will be expanded to include middle schools, SRHS and will be held 3 times a year, not just the week before Prom. Social hosting by parents still took place after Prom this year. In addition, hotel rooms are being rented for students to party with alcohol. Getting parents to pledge no alcohol for students is still an issue. There is a lack of penalties for parents. • The White House Administration is delaying FDA enforcement of stricter standards for the e-cigarette and cigar industry. This is concerning because youth are attracted to flavored, small cigars which are as cheap as 2 for \$1.00 and easily accessible. It's concerning because e-cigarette use is increasing among youth at an alarming rate and far surpassing cigarette and cigar use. • According to current industry information, tobacco manufacturers are developing new "smoking" devices; including ones that heat tobacco (containing addictive nicotine), but not to the point of combustion. They will be marketed as "reduced risk products". Restricting public vaping will be key to getting ahead of this planned trend. Although Sebastian and Vero Beach have ordinances prohibiting vaping where smoking is prohibited, the County has not yet done so. • A pet physical therapist may be interested in writing a testimonial for the Reducing Secondhand Smoke for Pets packets.
<p>Adjournment</p>	<p>The meeting adjourned at 3:15pm</p>