Healthy Dearborn
August 16, 2016
Minutes

Meeting attendees: Sanae Abbas, Zahra Abbas, Ali Almaklani, Lila Amen, Cheryl Ashcroft, Maryanne Bartles, Toni Battle, Patrick Beauchesne, Sophie Blaharski, Bethany Burge, Pat Flinn, Tim Harrison, Veronica Kubitz, Steve LeMoine, Cynthia Mason, Chris Mayer, David Norwood, Kate Pepin, Carmel Price, Glenn Savarese, Carla Schneider, Lois Sczomak, Sharon Stanek, Michael Styszko, Jim Thorpe, Lacea Zavala

1. Introductions were made. The many people who contributed to Healthy Dearborn’s success at the Dearborn Homecoming were acknowledged and thanked including coalition members Dave Norwood, Tracy Besek, Glenn Savarese, Dennis Archambault, Sanae Abbas, Zahra Abbas, Mary Petlichkoff, Bethany Burge, Lois Sczomak, Cheryl Ashcroft and Kate Pepin.

2. The agenda and packet materials were reviewed. The packet included the timeline to show that the coalition is on track. It also included a handout describing the group activity to identify “indicators” (measures of success) for each Action Team plan objective as well as resources needed in order to carry out their plans. Indicators are essential to monitoring the implementation of strategic action plans in order to identify what is and what is not working.

3. Each Action Team broke out into separate conference rooms to work on indicators and resources.

4. A representative from each Action Team reported briefly on their progress. At the next coalition meeting in September, teams will continue and complete this work.

5. In addition, the following was noted:

   • Carmel Price and Sara Gleicher will convene the Research Team for refining indicators and hopefully dedicating student resources to Action Team activities.
   • Each team needs to assign specific responsibilities to specific team members. Sara will help each team with finding grant resources.
   • Two new student interns will be available to work on Healthy Dearborn activities beginning in early September.
The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

**Future Meeting Dates:**

- Tuesday, September 20th at 15500 Lundy Parkway, Traverse City Room, Dearborn, 48126.
- Tuesday, October 18th at 15500 Lundy Parkway, Mackinaw Room, Dearborn, 48126
- Tuesday, November 15th, 15500 Lundy Parkway, Mackinaw Room, Dearborn, 48126

**Healthy Dearborn** is a community united to promote a healthier tomorrow!

**Our Vision:** Dearborn, a thriving, diverse community, will fully embrace a unified culture of health where everyone enjoys whole health (mind, body, spirit), with equal access to healthy foods, health care, green space and opportunities for safe, active living.

**Our Mission:** We will create valuable opportunities for people in Dearborn to practice healthy lifestyles by enriching their minds, nurturing their bodies, and revitalizing their spirit.