



## San Diego County Childhood Obesity Initiative Government Domain Minutes July 14, 2015

Attendees: Anita Walia, Emilie Dang, Erica Phung, Hugo Salgado, Kristen Aster, Maya Rosas, Nina Ghatan, Stan Miller, Stephanie Gioia, and Tina Zenzola.

- I. Welcome and Introductions led by Stan Miller
- II. Domain workplan progress update
  - a. Adoption of Healthy Beverage Standard:
    - i. Reviewed the NHLT healthy beverage standard definitions and discussed developing a model policy to share with municipalities.
    - ii. A recommendation was made to review best practice policies to highlight municipalities that are doing it well and opportunities where language could be strengthened.
    - iii. The City of San Diego does not have a health department therefore we may need to partner with parks and rec, community development, community services, or environmental health departments.
    - iv. **Erica, Stan, and Naomi agreed to meet prior to the next domain meeting to develop model policy language related to healthy vending, healthy celebrations, procurement, etc. Invite Lynda Barbour to participate in this subcommittee.**
    - v. County of San Diego has one of the strongest policies in our area; City of Long Beach also has strong language that is close to the AHA standards for procurement, food, vending, and cafeterias.
  - b. Legislative Breakfast
    - i. The topic this year will be reducing access to sugar-sweetened beverages; October 2 or November 13 are possible dates.
    - ii. Potential venues include the County Office of Operations, Central Library, or Balboa Park.
    - iii. Possible guest speakers include: Harold Goldstein with the California Center for Public Health Advocacy to discuss state and federal legislation, a physician expert to discuss the health impacts, a Harvard researcher to discuss model programs and cost savings, and a professional from Berkley or Mexico to discuss soda tax.
- III. Walk Scorecard

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- a. Circulate San Diego ranks cities on walkability based on policies, implementation, and walkscore (score from Circulate's BestWalk cell phone application).
  - b. Data needs to be entered in the BestWalk app by early October; Walk Scorecard will be released on October 31, 2016.
  - c. **Invite Circulate to present on the BestWalk app and Walk Scorecard at future Leadership Council meeting; information can also be shared with COI, HEAL Zone, and REACH partners.**
  - d. Maya agreed to follow up and provide booklets and a one-pager on using the app and sample language for social media promotion.
- IV. Community Domain Collaboration- August 13 from 1-2:30 p.m. is the next Community Domain meeting; a draft municipal one- pager will be reviewed. There was consensus in making it a joint meeting between the Government and Community Domains.
- V. Indicators:
- a. The source that determines the percentage of our population that live within a half mile of a park is only updated once every ten years, therefore this indicator needs to be revised or eliminated.
- VI. Announcements:
- a. County received funding to hire a consultant to work with Live Well San Diego regional teams.
  - b. Icommute has shifted their model to now provide mini grants to support events.

Next Meeting: Joint Meeting with Community Domain  
August 13 from 1-2:30, location TBD

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