

**Toward Responsible Use of Substance Today  
(TRUST) Coalition Minutes**

June 9, 2010

**Present:** Pam Barelman, Sarah Claussen, Kathy Mohlfeld

**Region 4 Behavioral Health Services:** Dani Lahman has resigned.

**Nebraska Collegiate Consortium:** no report

**Education and Information:**

Save the Date: Department of Education, Higher Education AODV Prevention Conference Oct. 18-20 in Washington, DC, (“Promoting Student Success: Effective AODV Prevention in Tough Times.”); <http://www.higheredcenter.org/natl>, funding has been identified to send the new WSC Assistant Dean Matt Weekely and new Student Activities Director, Kip Colvin, to this conference

**Policy and Enforcement:**

**On-campus:**

**Wildcat Wheels Safe Ride Program:** emailed out survey results to dispatchers and committee, no comments back yet

**Alltel free texting-**see handout, service may no longer be functional since there merger.

**Off-Campus:**

**Wayne County Diversion Program** –no report

**Nebraska State Patrol-**2007-2009 report, contact Kathy Mohlfeld for more information.

**Wayne County Sheriff’s Office:** Sheriff is out of town this week

**NECC** prevention coalition has been invited to the next TRUST Coalition meeting.

**Plan a night-time tour of Wayne?** Discussed the possibility of WSC Administration, Wayne PD, City Council Member, Mayoral, Candidates, Athletic Director, Student Senate representatives?, Wildcat Wheels rep.? doing a night-time tour of business so we can make better informed policy recommendations.

**City Council and Bars open till 2:00 a.m.?** Discussed possibilities related to new Nebraska law.

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**WSC Alcohol/Drug overdoses reported:**

2006-07 9

2007-08 4

2008-09 3

2009-10 4

**The WSC Counseling Center alcohol evaluations:**

2008-09 26 mix of justice system referrals and referrals by residence life, athletics, personal interest etc.

2009-10 60 justice system referrals (Wayne County Diversion program started in fall)

**Alcohol related serious injury/deaths:**

June 2005	male, (sophomore) rural car crash, died, Greek, rugby player (other 2 males in car also died, not WSC students)
December 2007	male, (senior) suicide, track athlete
March 2008	car crash near recycling station, female (junior) student paralyzed, male (senior) driver and male, (senior) passenger
April 2010	3 freshmen (2 females, 1 male) rural car crash, male seriously injured
May 15, 2010	Nicole B., (not a WSC student) Randolph, rolled vehicle on county road, 3 passengers, one passenger (Kody K.-not a WSC student)-paralyzed from the neck down, investigated by sheriff's office

**Alcohol advertising in student newspaper:**

Fall 2003	\$895
2004	\$4,378.50
2005	\$4,920.00
2006	\$4,722.45
2007	\$3,636.00
2008	\$ 564.00
2009	\$ 794.00
Jan.-March 2010	\$ 234.00

\*\*Attendance at Student Activities programs doubled between 2007 to 2008. The numbers continued to increase for 2009. See Kathy Mohlfeld for an updated form.

**Where do we draw the line for off-campus (other county, states, countries-study abroad) alcohol violations? How do other campuses handle it?** contact Kathy Mohlfeld for more information for the handout of responses from NCC member schools.

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, July 13th at 2:00 p.m.** in the Student Center (room to be announced).

\*\*Thank you for all of your work in addressing alcohol and drug issues in our community.

Check the TRUST Coalition website for minutes of the meetings at  
[http://www.wsc.edu/counseling\\_center/related\\_services/trust\\_coalition](http://www.wsc.edu/counseling_center/related_services/trust_coalition)