

1. **Item One: Introductions**
2. **Item Two: Public Places Presentation:** Linda Diamond, DE Tobacco Coalition/American Lung Association
 - Protecting Children-Tobacco Free Parks initiative
 - Focus on kids
 - Collected signatures for smoke free OH (#1, #3)
 - Rationales discussed:
 - 2nd hand is harmful
 - Emulate actions of adult smokers
 - Alleviates litter of cigarette byproducts
 - DE County has 11 jurisdictions of Tobacco Free parks
 - Athens County-entire county is Tobacco Free
 - New York City is Tobacco Free since 2011
 - Spoke with representative on how to do it here
 - Much of it is self-regulated when signs are out (even with ESL persons)
 - Very compliant for the kids; designated areas prompt choice
 - Sports venues-many are now Tobacco Free
 - Youth believe many adults smoke and it's widely accepted
 - Learn by example
 - Many youth use parks
 - Signs help positively toward Tobacco Free collaborative efforts
 - Prompts better safety for kids, pets, wildlife
 - How to Begin - Ensure to create partnerships
 - Youth organizations, schools are a connector
 - Church groups
 - Change via education, not by force (help them change selves)
 - Go to councils, leadership over jurisdictions
 - DE Board of Health, Health Coalition (county-wide)
 - Trustees, Council, etc...
 - Healthy DE bus tour
 - Selecting low hanging fruit
 - Countywide: Parks still not Tobacco Free (no signs, publicity)
 - (Powell, OH) – Options:
 - Community highly favored votes for Tobacco Free areas
 - Met with Powell City leadership
 - lots of back and forth
 - asked them to design own signage and our group would pay and implement
 - Publicity
 - Media coverage prompted surrounding liberty Township asking for info on how to move forward with initiative

- Powell then hurried with their Tobacco Free process in parks and open spaces (recreational)
- Identified next candidates with parks and networked to prompt initiative
 - surveyed residents with evidence based information on initiative for Tobacco Free places
 - Contacted 2 state park representatives w/o formal regulation
- Jurisdictions
 - 11 have passed regulations, several others considering enforcement
 - Largest issue
 - Note: self-regulation w/signage
 - Signs in strategic areas
 - Signs should have positive messages
- For City of Columbus
 - Parks & Rec is primary, but outlying areas can assist in swaying the city as an affiliate
- Strategic Data Sheet - Ideas of places to go smoke free include: homeless shelters w/parks, YMCA's (strengthen policies)

3. Item Three: Updates

- Infant Mortality – Meeting with Community Connector Coordinator of Celebrate One (Kiley Orchard) regarding IM toolkit. Slated for rollout January 2017
- Tobacco 21 Initiative
 - CPH position-Policy Manager interested in advocating for policy w/out show of harassment of youth
 - Will keep updated on legislative level
 - Franklin County is officially on board with Tobacco 21
- Events include:
 - Franklinton Prep Academy school seeking Tobacco Free campaign
 - Trabue Crossing smoke free discussion on 10/21
- Emily Fisher
 - Smoking Cessation flyer (draft) presented
 - Collaboration with Amber for distribution to various events
 - Focus on smoke free housing with emphasis on resident cessation
 - Back end tracker on phone and email for data collection on tobacco quit line
 - Suggestion: Add ODH logo