NEWS



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Thank you to Katie Loveland, of Loveland Consulting, for her amazing work to complete a comprehensive substance abuse assessment for Yellowstone County. The final report will be emailed to everyone on our membership list this week, and hard copies will be available at the planning meeting July 16-17.

Grant Submitted

On July 8th, United Way of Yellowstone County submitted a Drug Free Communities Grant proposal on behalf of the coalition. Things you should know!

- Grant targets youth age 18 and under
- If awarded, starts Nov 1, 2019, for a five year project period.
- Total amount possible to be awarded: \$125,000 annually— \$625,000 total.
- Grant required 12 Sector commitments and 100% match. Please see list of those who stepped up to make this happen!

Planning is Next

Now that we have data, it is time to PLAN!

If you have not done so, please complete this <u>survey</u>.

Community planning starts
July 16 and 17 with Sequential
Intercept Mapping. BE
THERE!

Planning continues through the fall. Stay tuned for more opportunities to participate!



THEY STEPPED UP for the DRUG FREE GRANT!

Sector Agreements

Business: Billings Chamber of Commerce, Daniel Brooks
Civic/Volunteer: Billings Exchange Clubs, Leif Welhaven
Enforcement: Youth Court Services, Tara French
Health: PiverStone Health, Healther Fink, Eden Sowards

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Media: Connoisseur Media, Scott Fredericks

Parent: David Dietrich
Religious: Young Life, Carson Cramer

State Funded (Treatment): The Mental Health Center, Barbara Mettler

Other Agency (Treatment): Rimrock, Michelle Pinnow Schools: Billings Public Schools, Greg Upham Youth: Youth Volunteer Corps, Quinn Sanderson Youth Serving Agency: Tumbleweed, Erika Willis

Drug Free Grant Match

Connoisseur Media \$3,000 Youth Court Services: \$50,000

RiverStone Health: \$33,000 United Way of Yellowstone Cty: \$44,910

