

HB 142 Review of Advisory Councils

Tobacco Prevention Advisory Board

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Statutory Authority: 17-6-610, MCA

Purposes

- Gather information and advise DPHHS regarding administration of the Tobacco Use Prevention Program under 17-6-606, MCA

General Information

Membership:

- Consists of 15 members who are appointed by the Director
- Serve 3-year terms, subject to reappointment for one succeeding term
- A board member may not have been paid by the tobacco products industry during the 10-year period preceding appointment

Duties and Activities:

- Required to meet at least once per year
- Gathers information, makes recommendations regarding appropriations from the state special revenue accounts, and provides input/feedback related to administration of the Tobacco Use Prevention Program

Budget Information

The total cost of a meeting is approximately \$1,800, including per diem for members, meeting room expenses, staff costs, etc. No staff positions are solely or partially dedicated to supporting this Board.

Recent Activities

Met on 2/6/2007, 3/11/2008, 9/10/2009, 2/4/2010, and 11/18/2010. According to DPHHS, conducting a Board meeting was not prioritized in 2011 due to workload/budget issues. The Board plans to conduct at least one meeting in 2012.

Tobacco Prevention Advisory Board Membership

Members	Hometown	Representing	Term Expires
Robin Morris	Columbus	Boys & Girls Club	12/31/2012
Melanie Reynolds	Helena	Urban Co. Health Depts.	12/31/2014
Dr. Sharon Patton	Great Falls	School Administrators of MT	12/31/2014
Dr. Richard Sargent	Helena	MT Healthcare Providers	12/31/2012
Marianne Roose	Eureka	MT Association of Counties	12/31/2013
Dr. Robert Shepard	Helena	MT Family Practice	12/31/2012
Kristin Page-Nei	Missoula	American Cancer Society	12/31/2012
Cristen Morigeau-Two Teeth	St. Ignatius	American Indian TPS	12/31/2013
Jan Parmelee	Thompson Falls	Health Dept. TPS	12/31/2013
Rick Gale	Bozeman	Non-Health Dept. TPS	12/31/2014
Brett Christiansen	Dillon	Youth & Young Adults	12/31/2012
John Beck	Livingston	Mental Healthcare	12/31/2012
Ron Gleason	Chester	Healthcare Administration	12/31/2013
Jeanne Seifert	Glendive	Rural County Health Depts.	12/31/2014
Marjorie Spotted Bird	Poplar	Tribal Member	12/31/2013