

**CA Collaborative for Youth Development
Meeting Notes. September 11, 2006**

Meeting Participants:

Friday Night Live: Jim Kooler
Attorney Generals Office: Mike Kelly
CA Research Bureau: Lisa Foster
Alliance for Education: Bernie Davitto
CCSP-UC Davis: Kindra Montgomery
Youth Leadership Institute: Amy Dean,
UC Davis 4H Youth Development: Carole MacNeil
Dept of Education: Meredith Rolfe, Stephanie Papas,
Greg Wolfe

Next Meeting:

October 3, 2006
3:00 – 5:00 pm
CA Research Bureau
900 N Street (room posted at
elevators)
RSVP to lfoster@library.ca.gov
Chairs: Mike Kelly, Jim Kooler
Recorder: TBA

Future Meeting Schedule:

December 4, 2006
March 5, 2007

Action #1: Introductions

Action #2: Meeting Recorder

Action #3: Leadership Academy March 7, 2007

Action #4: Policy Options.

Action #5: Post the CCYD mission statement adopted at the June 3 meeting on the CCYD Web site.

Attendees introduced themselves. Stephanie Papas, Consultant, California Department of Education, Safe and Healthy Kids Program Office was introduced as that agency's official representative to the CCYD.

Greg Wolfe, CDE, was designated as the meeting recorder.

Attendees discussed CCYD's participation at the California Parks and Recreation Society's March 7th Leadership Academy. Suggestions for CCYD participation at the Leadership Academy included proposals addressing:

- **Target Populations**
 - ✓ state youth advisory councils,
 - ✓ local youth councils,
 - ✓ youth organizations engaged in policy work, and
 - ✓ youth trained in action planning
- **Forums**
 - ✓ panel presentations,
 - ✓ youth planning sessions,
 - ✓ a call for papers, or
 - ✓ case studies
- **Content**
 - ✓ share the "alcohol-pops" model showing how youth work can shift from project to policy,
 - ✓ prepare and engage youth to serve as their own advocates for youth development,

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Discussion resulted in identify the following elements for CCYD participation at the Leadership Academy:

What: Steps to Policy Change

Who: Approximately 10 youth serve as presenters for 30 youth attending the session

How: Process

When: 4:30 – 8:00 pm

Outcome: Promote youth involvement in formulating policy. Develop a template for how youth can make the jump from program to policy. Help youth understand the issues, research, and resource related to policy work.

Agenda Item # 4 Policy Options was not discussed.

Action for October 3 meeting:

The first item for discussion on the October 3 meeting Agenda should be the Policy Options discussion carried forward from the September 9 meeting.

Bernie Davitto, Kindra Montgomery, Mike Kelly, and Jim Kooler will form a subcommittee to develop a more detail proposal supporting a “Step to Policy Change” session to be held in conjunction with the March 7th Leadership Academy.