

Quit Doc Research & Education Foundation
Tobacco Free Partnership of Highlands County
Florida Hospital Heartland Division
August 14, 2013

Attendees: See sign-in sheet

<i>TOPIC</i>	<i>DISCUSSION</i>	<i>ACTION ITEMS</i>
Call to order	Patrice called the meeting to order at 11am	None at this time
Approval meeting minutes/	Motion to approve both November minutes by Deb Garrison and seconded by Holly Parker.	M/S/C
Discussions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patrice opened the meeting by handing out copies of the ByLaw Addendum. Patrice explained and members reviewed. Organizations and names were added to the Advisory Council as: Drug Free Highlands – Aisha Alayande and Brittany Lauren; Tri County Human Services – Jackie Rawlings; Healthy Start Coaliton – Holly Parker; Dept. of Health – Deb Garrison; Balance, Lives in Transition – Anthony Lopez; Consumer/Parent – Greg Smilth; <u>SWAT – two student members</u>.. Motion was made by Anthony Lopez to accept the organizationa and names as listed. Greg Smith seconded the motion. No further discuss. Members voted and motion was accepted 	M/S/C
Guest Speaker	<p>Rick Bender gave a presentation entitled “Spit Tobacco”. This was his personal story as well as educational information. Some of the highlites of the presentation/power point were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ads target youth • 90% of current users first tried by age 12 • Use by females is increasing • The rate of nicotine in one can equals 3-4 packs of cigarettes • 28 carcinaginins in each can <p>His information can be found on the Quit Doc facebook or nosuff.com website. He also answered questions from members and is willing to do presentation throughout Highlands County.</p>	
Adjourn	The meeting was adjourned at 12:12pm. The next meeting will be October 9, 2013 at 10:45am at same location.	

Respectfully Submitted,

Jackie Rawlings