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AGENDA

Wednesday, August 10, 2016

Jack Kearney, Chair, Presiding

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – 1:05 p.m.	Call to Order
1:05 p.m. – 1:10 p.m.	Welcome and Introductions
1:10 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Motion to Excuse Absences and Approval of Minutes
1:15 p.m. – 1:35 p.m.	Proposed Motions:

- 1) Whereas, smoking cigarettes kills half of its users, and
Whereas, smoking addiction follows the same progression and
dynamics of other addictions, and
Whereas, the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual classifies smoking
addiction as Substance Use Disorder.
Therefore be it resolved: The COAD recommends to the BOS and the
Department of Public Health that all smoking related prevention and
treatment resources and responsibilities be transferred to Substance
Abuse Prevention and Control (SAPC). This department should
employ the resources of the addiction treatment community and
promote both abstinence and evidence-based tobacco harm reduction.**

2) It is recommended that the BOS should require that all County contracted Addiction Counselors and medical Emergency First Responders to be trained in and have access to Naloxone Rescue Treatment within the next two years.

1:35 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Report from Substance Abuse Prevention and Control
1:50 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Preparation for September 14 th Meeting
2:10 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Discussion on Marijuana Initiative
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Chair's Report
2:45 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.	Comments from Commissioners on Items of Interest
2:55 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Public Comments (Comments from the public on Items of Interest within the Commission's Subject Matter Jurisdiction)
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn to the next meeting of the Commission (September 14, 2016)

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