

Lane County Problem Gambling Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda: September 12, 2006



⇒ News/Announcements

⇒ Social gaming concerns presentation

- Michel Savage of Eugene
- Group: next steps

⇒ Florence outreach: Special project proposal

⇒ Problem Gamblers Awareness Day – September 29

⇒ Prevention program updates:

- middle school curriculum collaborative
- youth gambling video
- schools/grad nights (update with Ronda)
- U of O
- Recovery Rocks event
- Prevention celebration invitation to group: Wed. September 20 from 5:30-8:30pm (see website for details at http://www.lanecounty.org/prevention/special_events.htm)

⇒ Other

Next Meeting:

Tuesday, October 3 from 3:30 - 5pm at Perugino in Eugene.

Lane County Problem Gambling Prevention Program

To reduce the negative effects of gambling in Lane County communities through coordinating effective prevention strategies.

Goals:

1. Increase community awareness about the effects of problem gambling, and promote awareness that problem gambling is a preventable and treatable public health problem.
2. Reduce gambling behavior among youth by addressing the risk factors that may increase the risk of problem gambling and promoting the protective factors that may minimize the risk of problem gambling.
3. Build and maintain partnerships of individuals, agencies, and community groups to help support community approach to problem gambling prevention.