



# AGENDA

## Healthy Food For All Work Group

Just Food, 1000 E 11th St, Lawrence, KS 66046

10 - 11:30 a.m., Friday, December 5, 2014

Agenda items	Notes	Action Items
1. Welcome and introductions		
2. 2014 LiveWell round 4 funding report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Already committed               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. \$3,800 for MarketMatch</li> <li>ii. \$1,200 for 2 freezers at the Ecumenical Christian Ministries (ECM) food pantry                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) \$300 for purchase of 1 freezer completed</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
3. KU cultural anthropology class project		
4. SNAP messaging project		
5. Just Food survey		
6. VISTA proposal discussion		
7. Adjournment		

Roadmap to a Healthier Douglas County: 2013-2018 Douglas County Community Health Plan

Strategy assigned to Healthy Food For All Work Group	Opportunities for Community Action	Outcomes / Objectives	Measures / Indicators related to strategy
<p>Enhance access to healthy food for low-income families</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Establish waste minimizing practices and policies with supermarkets, restaurants, cafeterias, schools, hospitals and any other large feeding institutions, restaurants and stores by supplying excess to food banks serving Douglas County (for low-income families)</li> <li>2. Implement a choice-based system with whole foods incentivized in local food banks/ pantries and assure availability of healthy food choices</li> <li>3. Establish satellite food pantry locations to provide access to whole foods for low-income families</li> <li>4. Establish a system that engages low-income families as food growers and small business operators</li> <li>5. Enhance the capacity of the food system to handle large-scale donations (e.g., storage, transportation)</li> <li>6. Establish new opportunities to purchase fresh produce in North Lawrence and other parts of Douglas County with limited options, including farmer's markets, integration into existing retail options, or opening corner stores</li> <li>7. Implement environmental changes (e.g., moving bus stops closer) that make access to local food banks/ pantries and farmers' markets easier</li> <li>8. Establish case management and outreach enrollment at local food pantries and schools that links and enrolls people to SNAP and food stamps programs</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. By 2018, increase by 10% the availability of fruits and vegetables in food deserts through retail, gardens, and food banks.</li> <li>b. By 2018, increase by 5% participation in SNAP/ food stamps.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Number of opportunities to purchase or obtain fruits and vegetables (Environmental Observation)</li> <li>ii. Number of people participating in SNAP/ food stamps (USDA Food and Nutrition Resources)</li> </ol>

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<p>1. Welcome and introductions Chair Raven Naramore welcomed group and introductions were made.</p>
<p>2. Work group membership discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Vacant work group leadership positions:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>i. Chair-elect- A chair-elect was solicited from the group but no one came forward. If interested, please contact Raven.</li><li>ii. Communications coordinator- Steve Lopes was asked if he was willing to continue as CC and he agreed.</li></ul></li><li>b. Membership enhancement- Please solicit additional members for our work group.</li></ul>
<p>3. Grant updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Charlie reported on LiveWell Round 4 Funding- a small amount left. Each work group was granted \$5,000. Market Match program got \$22,000 from county and city; LiveWell paid admin. \$2,200 remaining.</li><li>b. State Health Dept- support several positions; majority for tobacco, some for nutrition and physical activity. Share ideas with Charlie. There is a need to use funding to build capacity and not to pay for direct service.</li><li>c. \$5000 grant for USD school garden program which made farm to school effort possible. Grant opens in February. Christina suggested.</li><li>d. Chris reported on CDC funding to promote community health. Grant approved, but not the work plan yet. 2.6 positions at Health Dept to be funded- (1) communications, (1) project evaluation, (.6) health promotion specialist in early 2015.</li></ul>
<p>4. Matt Schawbauer, from the Ecumenical Christian Ministries (ECM), presented a funding request for the renovation of the ECM kitchen, which houses the KU food bank, and is open for community food processing. ECM has developed a food hub and has applied for grants for coolers, drop in, apps, farmers list goods and smart phone orders. Purpose: to generate income to make ECM project self-sustaining. They are requesting \$1000 grant for two chest freezers.</p> <p>There was discussion of additional needs and the observation that this request fits work group goals. Consensus for approving proposal discussed. Motion: To fund two freezers up to \$1200. Unanimous.</p>
<p>5. Discussion of work group priorities survey results and action plan selection Discussion of MarketMatch expansion to five farmers market sites next year.</p> <p>Discussion of survey results: Sarah and Charlie. Less than half of work group responded. There are three factors- importance, feasibility, and likelihood of contributing to it. Where do we want to focus our attention? Need to choose a direction. What can we accomplish? What should be our goals through June, 2015? What can we finish in the next six months and what do we want to work on next?</p> <p>The question of the status of SNAP enrollment project was considered and group agreed to continue promoting it. Harvesters will continue SNAP outreach. MarketMatch came out of our group. Reaching out to other DG communities. Norm proposed a work group to address outreach to low income people and change perception of SNAP. No further action.</p>
<p>6. Next meeting: Charlie will poll the group.</p>
<p>7. Announcements:</p>
<p>8. Adjournment: 11:50 AM</p>