

# OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPROVING ACCEPTANCE OF ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR NEVADA COUNTY'S COMPREHENSIVE TOBACCO CONTROL PLAN THROUGH CONTRACT NUMBER: CTCP-21-29, INCREASING THE MAXIMUM CONTRACT PRICE FROM \$ 1,050,000, TO \$1,650,000 (AN INCREASE OF \$600,000) AND EXTENDING THE AGREEMENT TERMINATION DATE THROUGH JUNE 30, 2027. (RES. 21-515)

WHEREAS, the Nevada County Public Health Department is the designated Local Lead Agency (LLA) for the Tobacco Control Program and, as such, is responsible for coordinating information, referral, outreach and education activities that promote social norm changes and educate the public about health issues related to tobacco use; and

WHEREAS, on December 14, 2021, per Resolution 21-515, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved execution of the Comprehensive Tobacco Control Plan, approved by the state for the contract term of January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS the County is in receipt of Contract Number CTCP-21-29 which updates the Nevada County Comprehensive Tobacco Control Plan, adding \$300,000 in FY25/26 and \$300,000 in FY26/27 (an increase of \$600,000) and extends the Plan termination date through June 30, 2027.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, approves acceptance of additional funding for Nevada County's Comprehensive Tobacco Control Plan in the maximum amount of \$1,650,000 for the period of January 1, 2022, through June 30, 2027.

Revenue to be deposited to 1604-40102-492-2604 / 440520 and 1603-40201-492-2603 / 440520.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the  $\underline{14^{th}}$  day of  $\underline{October\ 2025}$ , by the following vote of said Board:

Ayes: Supervisors Heidi Hall, Robb Tucker, Lisa Swarthout, Susan

Hoek, and Hardy Bullock.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

Abstain: None.

Recuse: None.

ATTEST:

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Chief Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Heidi Hall Chair

# **Budget Summary**

Procurement Name: LLA 2022-2027 Comprehensive Tobacco Control Guidelines

Contract Number: CTCP-21-29

Contract Term: 01/01/2022 - 06/30/2027

Agency Name: Nevada County Public Health

Effective Date: 01/01/2024

Project Name: Nevada County Tobacco Use Prevention Program

Plan Version ID: 6.0

Project Type: Local Lead Agency

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Budget Section	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	FY 26/27	Total
A. Personnel Costs	\$ 54,267	\$ 115,923	\$ 118,567	\$ 127,235	\$ 126,842	\$ 133,183	\$ 676,017
B. Fringe Benefits @ 61% - 77%	\$ 34,720	\$ 77,668	\$ 91,280	\$ 84,298	\$ 77,374	\$ 77,246	\$ 442,586
C. Operating Expenses	\$ 1,501	\$ 2,896	\$ 3,069	\$ 3,281	\$ 3,131	\$ 2,931	\$ 16,809
D. Equipment Expenses	\$ 139	\$0	\$ 1,354	\$ 1,100	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,593
E. Travel/Per Diem and Training	\$0	\$ 528	\$ 2,518	\$ 3,878	\$ 5,442	\$ 3,510	\$ 15,876
F. Subcontracts and Consultants	\$ 16,030	\$ 22,720	\$ 27,816	\$ 49,480	\$ 34,000	\$ 34,000	\$ 184,046
G. Other Costs	\$ 10,025	\$ 9,277	\$ 10,554	\$ 9,214	\$ 9,100	\$ 3,677	\$ 51,847
H. Indirect Expenses @ 22% - 25%	\$ 22,246	\$ 47,897	\$ 47,636	\$ 52,883	\$ 44,111	\$ 45,453	\$ 260,226
Total Expenses	\$ 138,928	\$ 276,909	\$ 302,794	\$ 331,369	\$ 300,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 1,650,000

# **Combined Scope of Work**

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Effective Date: 01/01/2024 Plan Version ID: 6.0

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# **Cessation Policy Support Activities**

# **Intervention Activity Plan**

### **Activity C-7-1**

Activity: Annually participate in 1-3 community events such as the Great American Smokeout, Juneteenth Celebrations, Take Down Tobacco Day, World No Tobacco Day, Freedom from Smoking Day, Red Ribbon Week, New Year/Lunar New Year Celebrations, American Heart Month, and/or other local events to promote and support cessation services through educational outreach activities (e.g., participating in community events, making presentations to community groups)).

### Copyright: No

Program Deliverable Percentage: 1.50 %

Start Date Period: 01/22-06/22

Completion Date Period: 01/27-06/27

### **Associated Objectives:**

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# **Tracking Measures:**

### Measure

Submit

Photos of events

Yes

Tracking log of events Yes

Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted
	Intern Budgeted
	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted
Activity C-5-2	
Activity:	Collaborate with the local health departments programs such as Oral Health Asthma, Maternal & Child Health to integrate tobacco use identification, referral, and treatment activities into the county oral health program by providing 14-16 hours of training and technical assistance, review of documents, and other supporting activities.
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
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Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Log Technical Assistance Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Budgeted
	Project Director Budgeted
Activity C-8-3	
A (1 t)	Promote Kick It California cessation services, including telephone counseling
	text, chat, Alexa skill, and website resources on program/coalition website, distribution to coalition and community partners, listserv distribution, and community newsletters.
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Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Log - Promotion Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party	Budget Type
	Adult Coalition Members	Non-Budgeted
	Coalition Coordinator	Budgeted
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specia	list Budgeted
	Intern	Budgeted
	Youth Coalition	Non-Budgeted

# **Activity C-12-4**

Activity: Provide direct 2-4 in-person cessation classes with 8-10 tobacco users (who use cigarettes, vapes, or smokeless tobacco) using an evidence-based curriculum. Survey clients to gauge satisfaction and quitting outcomes at 30 days and 6 months after enrollment. (Note: Direct cessation deliverables may not exceed 10 percent of the overall budget).

# Copyright: No

Program Deliverable Percentage: 1.00 %

Start Date Period: 07/24-12/24

Completion Date Period: 01/27-06/27

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Tracking Measures:	Measure	Submit	
	Quit Outcomes Summar	y Report Yes	
	Satisfaction Survey Sum	mary Report Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party	Budget Type	
	Adult Coalition Members	Non-Budgeted	
	Coalition Coordinator	Budgeted	
	Project Director	Budgeted	

# **Evaluation Activity Plan**

## **Media Activities**

## **Intervention Activity Plan**

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Activity: In collaboration with the coalition and other funded partners within the targeted media market, complete the Communications Plan form in the Online Tobacco Information System (OTIS), which will identify communications objectives, target audiences, locations, messages, the communications tactics (paid advertising, earned media and social media) and key metrics for the media campaign. A completed Communications Plan must be entered into the OTIS Communications Plan form to prior to using assets from the California Tobacco Control Program (CTCP) media library, developing any project-made ads, and/or receiving technical assistance for the plan. A paid media tracking form must be submitted with each progress

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Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
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Tracking Meas	sures:
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## Measure

### Submit

Communication Plan On File

### Responsible Parties:

### **Responsible Party**

### **Budget Type**

Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Intern

Budgeted

**Project Director** 

Budgeted Budgeted

### **Activity M-6-2**

Activity: To inform the coalition and Tobacco Use Prevention Program (TUPP) staff about opportunities to engage the community and understand how tobacco control is being portrayed in local media, the Tobacco Control Evaluation Centers Media Activity Record tool will be used to track and assess media related to End Commercial Tobacco Campaign indictors in Nevada City and smoke-free Multi Unit Housing (MUH) in Grass Valley. This will help build a formative understanding of how these issues intersect in local media. Research will be conducted using online news, social media websites and blogs, area and local radio, area and local television, hard-copy community newspapers and newsletters will be tracked, including details of media placement, date, and coverage. The number, type, reach, and sentiment (positive/negative/neutral) as well as any project messaging or response taken will be monitored and reported. Data will be used in real time to engage on relevant topics or correct misconceptions. Media Activity Records will be updated continuously so the project benefits from real-time awareness of the news cycle. At the end of each progress report period, data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and content analysis to assess the media effectiveness at delivering messages, tone of media coverage, support and opposition for the issues and the need for further community education.

### Copyright: No

# Program Deliverable Percentage: 1.50 %

# Start Date Period: 01/22-06/22

## Completion Date Period: 01/27-06/27

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Tracking Measures:	Measure S	Submit	
	Media Activity Record	Yes	
	Media Content Analysis	Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsibl	le Party	Budget Type
	External Evaluator		Budgeted
	Health Education Coordin	nator/Media Specialist	Budgeted

### **Activity M-5-3**

Activity: Develop 1-3 distinct anti-tobacco television (TV), digital, radio, print and/or outdoor advertising ads about dangers of vaping including secondhand and third hand smoke and provide paid placement of the ads to best reach the target audience. Consumer testing, which assesses the appropriateness and appeal of the content, logic, wording, design and/or takeaway message of advertising for young adults, parents and guardians, with a Media Agency and/or External Evaluator develop the testing instrument and protocol will be developed or adapted from previous work, pilot test it, and revise as needed for field use. Conduct a minimum two focus groups, 5-8 key informant interviews, or one intercept or online survey with 8-10 people, from our target and priority populations and document participant reactions to the advertising. Analyze and summarize participant responses for common themes in order to make recommendations for final ad development. Complete a Communications Plan (M-1) to fully develop a campaign to

	aunch with developed advertising.	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %	
Start Date Period:	07/24-12/24	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
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Tracking Measures:	Consumer Testing Instrument Consumer Testing Summary Report	ubmit Yes Yes Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Adult Coalition Members Coalition Coordinator Consultant-Design Action Collective External Evaluator Health Education Coordinator/Media S Project Director Youth Coalition	Budget Type  Non-Budgeted  Budgeted  Budgeted  Budgeted  pecialist Budgeted  Budgeted  Non-Budgeted

# **Evaluation Activity Plan**

# **Objective 1**

# **Objective Overview**

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Objective ID: 1

Primary Priority Area: (3) Reduce the Availability of Tobacco

Secondary Priority Area: (2) Reduce Exposure to Secondhand Smoke, Tobacco Smoke Residue,

Tobacco Waste, and Other Tobacco Products

Is this a primary objective? Yes

Evaluation Plan Type: Legislated Policy -- Adoption and Implementation

Target Audience: Audience Group

- 0-12 years
- 12-17 years
- 18-24 years -specifically
- Multi-Unit Housing Owners/Managers
- · Multi-Unit Housing Residents
- Parents with Children <18
- Rural Populations

## **General Population Groups**

- Hispanic/Latino
- · White, Non-Hispanic

Intervention Jurisdiction(s):

Nevada City (Primary)

# Indicator(s)

### **Primary**

2.2.13 **Smokefree Multi-Unit Housing**: The number of jurisdictions with a policy prohibiting smoking in the individual units of multi-unit housing including balconies and patios. (CORE)

### Secondary

3.2.9 Menthol and Other Flavored Tobacco Products: The number of jurisdictions with a policy eliminating or restricting the sale and/or distribution of any mentholated cigarettes and other flavored tobacco products, and paraphernalia (e.g., smokeless tobacco products, dissolvable tobacco products, flavored premium cigars such as little cigars, cigarillos, hookah tobacco, ecigarettes, e-hookah, wrappers). (CORE)

## Intervention Topic(s)

- Business Organizations/Associations
- Housing Organization Collaboration
- Key Informant Interviews
- Law Enforcement Collaboration
- Nutrition Program Collaboration
- Policy Record
- Policy/System Change Training
- Priority Population Organizations Collaboration
- Public Intercept Surveys
- Retail Marketing Survey-Tobacco
- Schools Collaboration
- Spokespersons Training
- Tobacco Retailer Training
- Volunteer Recruitment

# **Intervention Activity Plan**

### Activity 1-7-1

**Activity:** Conduct at least one strategic planning session(s) for each jurisdiction the project is considering policy within, with community partners and stakeholders for 3-6 hours, to complete the Midwest Academy Strategy

Program Helivership Percentage:	10.00 %
Copyright: Program Deliverable Percentage:	
Intervention Category:	
_	Annually, 2-4 coalition members and staff will participate in Information and Education (I&E) Days at the State Capitol to educate policymakers about key tobacco control issues.
Activity 1-7-3	
	Project Director Budgeted  Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted
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Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Log - Presentations Yes  Presentation Materials Yes
Completion Date Period:	
Start Date Period:	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.50 %
Copyright:	
Intervention Category:	Community Education Activities
Activity 1-2-2 Activity:	Coalition members and TUPP staff will conduct 5-8 presentations to 5-10 participants. Presentations will be made to community groups identified in the Midwest Academy Strategy Chart (MASC) planning process as potentia supporters for the objective. TUPP staff will provide a sample and request policy endorsement/letter of support from community group(s) at each presentation.
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Budgeted Project Director Budgeted
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
<b>3</b>	Meeting Materials Yes Updated MASC Yes
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit
Completion Date Period:	The second of th
Program Deliverable Percentage:  Start Date Period:	
Copyright:	
Intervention Category:	
	Chart [MASC] which will identify short, intermediate, and long term goals, organizational considerations, constituents, allies, opponents, decision makers, and tactics to create a plan for the End Commercial Tobacco Campaign Pathway 1B. Consult with appropriate statewide partners and review existing trainings to prepare for and facilitate the strategic planning session(s). Update and submit each jurisdictions MASC regularly throughout each policy campaign to adapt to new information as it is revealed.

Tracking Measures:	Modeline Submit		
	Attendance Records On File		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type		
	Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted		
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted		
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Budgeted		
	Project Director Budgeted		
Activity 1-11-4			
Activity:	TUPP staff will conduct 5-7 trainings for approximately 5-15 coalition members and collaborative partners to increase their knowledge on tobacco-related issues in the community, and prepare them to present to policy makers or community groups. Training topics may include, but are limited to: topics and talking points related to the objective, including curr and emerging tobacco-related issues, health disparities, environmental justice, second/third-hand smoke, tobacco industry tactics, etc.		
Intervention Category:	Training/Technical Assistance Activities		
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	ļ		
Start Date Period:			
Completion Date Period:			
Tracking Measures:			
Tracking incusures.			
	Log - Trainings Yes		
	Training Materials Yes		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type		
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted		
	Intern Budgeted		
	Project Director Budgeted		
	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted		
Activity 1-11-5			
Activity:	TUPP staff will provide a minimum of 8-12 hours of technical assistance (TA) on issues related to policy education, adoption, implementation and sustainability to community partners, decision makers, those who will be tasked with enforcement, etc. TA will be provided using in-person, by phone/virtual meeting, and email.		
Intervention Category:	Training/Technical Assistance Activities		
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %		
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22		
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit		
-	Log - Technical Assistance Yes		
	Responsible Party Budget Type		
Responsible Parties:			
Responsible Parties:			
Responsible Parties:	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Budgeted Intern Budgeted		

Activity 1-2-6	
Activity:	Annually conduct 1-3 community engagement events with participation by approximately 2-5 individuals at each event. Participants will be youth and adult coalition members. The participants will be recruited through methods such as existing relationships with school staff and Tobacco Use Prevention Education (TUPE) coordinators, and during social networking with other community partners such as Bright Futures for Youth, Cal Fresh, Oral Health, Nami and/or Color Me Human.
Intervention Category:	Community Education Activities
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Event Materials Yes  Log - Recruitment Yes  Sign-in Sheet(s) On File
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted  Coalition Coordinator Budgeted  Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted
Activity 1-1-7	
Activity:	TUPP Staff will develop a public health pipeline (PHP) project that offers limited term internship placement opportunities to college or high school students at Nevada Joint Union High School District, Sierra College, Yuba College or CA State Universities. As part of the PHP project, 1) establish the necessary county temp hiring requirements 2) outline recruitment strategy plans, 3) create guidelines for developing personalized internship goals/objectives with a diverse pool of participants; and 4) establish reporting processes with participating schools. Provide \$16-\$18 per hour, in an amount not to exceed \$5,500 per 4-8 month cycle for interns completing 175-350 hours of service.
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %
Start Date Period:	07/22-12/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Agreements with Participating School(s) Yes  List of Participants On File
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type Internal Evaluation Program Manager Budgeted Project Director Budgeted
Activity 1-4-8	
	Incentive materials (e.g. merchandise cards) are provided to program participants to motivate and/or reinforce positive behavior, participation, and/or involvement in tobacco control activities and require action on the

	part of the recipient to receive the incentive. The cost of incentives may not exceed \$50 in value, per person, per year and shall not include merchandise cards that can be used to purchase tobacco, alcohol, and/or cannabis products. The project is responsible for the possession, security [e.g. will keep under lock and key], and accountability of the merchandise cards. The project will prepare a log sheet that will track and identify each of the merchandise cards, value, merchandise card transfer date, and recipient. At the conclusion of the agreement, surplus incentives must be returned to CTCP.
Intervention Category:	Incentives
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	0.00 %
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Tracking Log of Merchandise Cards On File
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type Coalition Coordinator Budgeted Project Director Budgeted
Activity 1-1-9	
Activity:	Recruit 4-8 community representatives to become members of a speaker's bureau for the projects End Commercial Tobacco Campaign efforts that is culturally- and linguistically representative of the intervention community. Speakers will be tapped to provide public statements, presentations, interviews, op-eds, and/or letters to the editor, etc., to educate the public about tobacco control issues and promote endgame-related goals.
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Log - Recruitment Yes  Log - Speaker Bureau's Activities Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted Coalition Coordinator Budgeted Project Director Budgeted

## Activity 1-1-10

Activity: Coordinate and collaborate with California Health Collaborative, Law and Policy Coordinating Center (LPCC), Gold Country Regional Committee, or other Local Lead Agencies to develop an implementation and enforcement plan for 1) a policy that prohibits smoking and vaping of all tobacco products in multi-unit housing of two or more units (market-rate, public, and subsidized), including 25 feet from all doors, windows, patios, and balconies, and emphasizes a graduated enforcement process; and 2) a policy eliminating the sale and/or distribution of any mentholated cigarettes and other flavored tobacco products, and paraphernalia (e.g., smokeless tobacco products, dissolvable tobacco products, flavored premium cigars

	such as little cigars, cigarillos, hookah tobacco, wrappers) by participating in at least one of the local and regional coalition meetings, workgroup plan is prepared ahead of policy adoption and is	following conference calls, b. Ensure implementation
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities	
Copyright:		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Implementation Plan Yes Log - Meetings Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party	Budget Type
	Coalition Coordinator	Budgeted
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist	Budgeted
	Project Director	Budgeted
Activity 1-7-11		
Activity:	Facilitate participation of 4-8 of coalition member and stakeholders to present at meetings of decision other officials who weigh in on policy (e.g. city at to formally or informally educate them about on practices in policy adoption, including conversate penalties, policy, and enforcement. Provide edupresentation materials, model policy samples, a appropriate. TUPP staff will only present in public board of supervisor meetings) if invited to do so decision makers offices.	sion makers, their staff, and ttorneys) in each jurisdiction tobacco policies, best ions about equity in cational packets, nd other resources as ic forums (e.g. city council,
Intervention Category:	Policy Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Start Date Period:	07/22-12/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	MeasureSubmitLog - PresentationsYesPresentation MaterialsYes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted Coalition Coordinator Project Director Sudgeted Project Director Non-Budgeted	3
Activity 1-1-12		
	Develop a coalition sub-committee of 3-6 membra a local plan to help small businesses transition a sales, foster small business economic developm with city, county, regional and/or tribal economic local Chambers of Commerce to collaborate on and consultation for small businesses that enable tobacco product sales (e.g., sponsor training and	away from tobacco product nent through partnerships development programs and business-related workshops les them to prosper without

	improvement, store accessibility, using social media to promote small businesses, store website design, e-commerce for small businesses, and how to increase engagement with public health programs such as WIC, Cal Fresh).
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Local Business Plan Yes  Log - Meetings Yes  Meeting Materials On File
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted Coalition Coordinator Budgeted Intern Budgeted

# **Evaluation Activity Plan**

Activity 1-E-6	Education/Participant Survey
Evaluation Activity:	To inform TUPP staff and trainers about how to improve future trainings, a post-training assessment will be administered to 5-15 participants of data collection, MUH/flavor or presentation trainings. An online survey will be developed by the External Evaluator in consultation with the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center (TCEC). All participants at each event will be surveyed to understand training feedback, anticipated needs, changes in knowledge, comfort, confidence, preparation, and intent to engage in tobacco prevention activities (or satisfaction with services, participation levels, additional needs, and/or data collector readiness). Data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and content analysis and results will be shared with participants, trainers, and staff to improve future trainings (or TA) and determine other training, education, or service needs.
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process
Waves of Data Collection:	1
Data Collection Period(s):	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/27-06/27
Data Collection Training:	Yes
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %
Tracking Measures:	Measure     Submit       Training Survey Instrument     Yes       Training Survey Summary Report     Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted
Activity 1-E-1	Key Informant Interview

Evaluation Activity:	To inform TUPP staff about the background, goals, and dire jurisdictions priorities for ending commercial tobacco, condu with decision makers (and/or their staff in unavailable). Deve informant interview guide using a minimum set of required of the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center, then pilot test and for Wave 1 by June 2022. For Wave 2, by June 2026, condutelephone and/or in-person interviews with Apartment Owne to determine effective approaches/tactics, identify points of facilitators and barriers to adopting or implementing smokeflavor policies. Each interview will be approximately 20-30 m Qualitative analysis of interview results will be used to summinterview findings. Findings will be shared with data sources members and community leaders and used to inform future education efforts with community leaders. Data collection traprovided to 3-6 data collectors, who will be surveyed before training to assess their preparedness.	ct interviews elop a key uestions from evise as needed at 4-6 ars or Managers view, anticipate free MUH and ninutes in length narize and repo, coalition policy and aining will be
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process	CONTRACTOR
Waves of Data Collection:	2	
Data Collection Period(s):		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/22-06/22	200
Begin/End Periods - Wave 2:	01/25-06/25 to 01/26-06/26	
Data Collection Training:	Yes	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Tracking Measures:	Measure	Submit
	End Commercial Tobacco Campaign KII Instrument End Commercial Tobacco Campaign KII Summary Report Training Materials	Yes Yes Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted  Coalition Coordinator Budgeted  External Evaluator Budgeted  Intern Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted	
Activity 1-E-3	Policy Record	
	To inform staff about policymaker support/opposition, key is: policymakers and staff, and other insights from public policy tobacco-related issues (i.e., tobacco litter in outdoor public pflavored tobacco products), complete a comprehensive polic for each target jurisdiction via official policy records, e.g., po agendas, meeting minutes, staff presentations, testimony are enacted, if any. Policy record research will include investigations.	meetings about laces and laces and licy record review licy maker and policies licon for
	Purchase, Use and Possession (PUP) provisions and inequitobacco control laws in the target jurisdiction. Policy record region within the first six months during the period the project the target jurisdiction to inform the Midwest Academy Strate regularly and submitted with each progress report through p Signed policies will be submitted in the progress report after occurred.	eviews will is engaged in gizing, updated olicy adoption.
Purpose of Data Collection:	tobacco control laws in the target jurisdiction. Policy record r begin within the first six months during the period the project the target jurisdiction to inform the Midwest Academy Strate- regularly and submitted with each progress report through p Signed policies will be submitted in the progress report after occurred.	eviews will t is engaged in gizing, updated olicy adoption.

Data Collection Period(s):	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	07/22-12/22 to 01/27-06/27
Data Collection Training:	No
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit
	Decision Maker Background Summary Yes
	Document Review Summary Yes
	Signed Policy Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
	External Evaluator Budgeted
	Project Director Budgeted
Activity 1-E-4	Public Opinion Survey
	conducted with 200-250 community members in the jurisdiction of Nevada City by December 2022. A convenience sample of the general public will be surveyed at parks, downtown areas, community events and multi-unit housing complexes and/or online using a mobile device or online survey. Develop a survey and protocol using a minimum set of required questions from the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center, then pilot test and revise as needed. Data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and inferential statistics to document tobacco end commercial tobacco knowledge, awareness, beliefs, and demographic information provided by survey participants. Results will be shared with TUPP staff, data sources, and othe stakeholders to inform next steps and improve interventions. Data collection training will be provided to 3-6 data collectors, who will be surveyed before and after the training to assess their preparedness.
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process
Waves of Data Collection:	1
Data Collection Period(s):	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 07/22-12/22
Data Collection Training:	Yes
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.50 %
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit
-	POS Instrument and Protocol Yes
	POS Summary Report Yes
	Training Materials Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
•	Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted
	External Evaluator Budgeted
	Project Director Budgeted
	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted
Activity 1 E 2	Observation
Activity 1-E-2	
Evaluation Activity:	For the statewide End Commercial Tobacco Campaign, conduct three waves (in Spring 2022, Spring 2024, Spring 2026) of observations in multi-

unit housing complexes, parks or beaches, and tobacco retailers. The primary jurisdiction will be evaluated on the following schedule: Wave 1 (Spring 2022), Wave 2 (Spring 2024) and Wave 3 (Spring 2026) Wave 3 of data collection is only required for the primary jurisdiction. Use a standardized data collection instrument and protocol from CTCP using mobile devices. Descriptive statistics will be used to analyze and summarize the data. Findings will be disseminated to data sources, coalition members and public health leadership in the form of an electronic summary report and used to inform future End Commercial Tobacco work in the community. Guidance for selecting communities sample sizes will be provided by CTCP. Data collection training will be provided to 3-6 data collectors, who will be surveyed before and after the training to assess their preparedness.

Purpose	of Data		ıta	CC	lle	ection:	
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Both

## Waves of Data Collection: 3

Data Collection Period(s):

# Begin/End Periods - Wave 1: 01/22-06/22 to 07/22-12/22

Begin/End Periods - Wave 2: 01/24-06/24 to 07/24-12/24

# Begin/End Periods - Wave 3: 01/26-06/26 to 07/26-12/26 **Data Collection Training: Yes**

# Copyright: No

### Program Deliverable Percentage: 2.50 %

### Submit

**Tracking Measures:** 

Measure End Commercial Tobacco Campaign Observation Instrument and

Protocol

End Commercial Tobacco Campaign Observation Summary

Report

Training Materials

Yes Yes

Yes

### Responsible Parties:

### Responsible Party Budget Type

Coalition Coordinator

Budgeted

External Evaluator

Budgeted

**Project Director** 

Budgeted

### Activity 1-E-5

# **Final Evaluation Report**

Data Analysis Plan: The Final Evaluation Report (FER) will summarize findings from the observation survey, public intercept surveys, key informant interview, and the media activity record. Local observation surveys, conducted in coordination with CTCP and statewide data collection efforts, will be analyzed using percentages and frequency counts. Findings will be used to determine the effectiveness of End Commercial Tobacco Campaign strategies and inform future campaign efforts. Public intercept surveys will be analyzed using frequencies and percentages to document support/opposition to local policy strategies for the End Commercial Tobacco Campaign. Data will also be used to draw conclusions about community readiness and awareness around End Commercial Tobacco Campaign strategies. Content analysis of key informant interview notes will be used to identify common themes and draw conclusions about the level of decision maker support for End Commercial Tobacco Campaign policy strategies. The media activity record will be analyzed via a content analysis of media products including but not limited to news releases, briefs, press conferences, pitch letters, stories, editorials, letters, etc. to measure the importance/public attention placed on the issue of selected objectives and the need to inform intervention strategies, campaign, and help guide local advocacy efforts. Per LLA Extension Program Letter 24-01, submit a Brief

	Evaluation Report during the 1/1/25 6/30/25 reporting period and a Final Evaluation Report on June 30, 2027.
Methods to Disseminate Findings:	Fact Sheets Presentations Website
Other Dissemination Methods:	
Study Limitations or Challenges:	The comfort level of individuals conducting electronic data collection efforts is an anticipated challenge to this overall study. There could be challenges with data collectors having enough familiarity and comfort with using the handheld devices and completing electronic observation and public opinion surveys correctly. In addition, equipment/technology failure or complications may limit successful data collection. Scheduling key informant interviews with local decisions makers could also be a challenge because of communication issues and timing. Lastly, youth scheduling can be challenging for public intercept surveys, particularly during vacations periods or near the start/end of school. As a result, planning ahead, offering multiple scheduling options and using a variety of communication channels will be key for success.
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	3.00 %
Activity Start Date Period:	01/25-06/25
<b>Activity Completion Date Period:</b>	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Brief Evaluation Report Yes  Final Evaluation Report Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted

# **Narrative Summary**

Community Assessment This project will primarily address the following priority population(s) of focus: Analysis: low socioeconomic status (SES) and rural populations, including youth. Low SES portions of the population are not only more likely to use tobacco, they are also more likely to live in multi-unit housing (MUH) complexes and potentially be exposed to secondhand smoke. Rural communities like Nevada County are also more likely to use tobacco, while youth are the primary target for flavored tobacco products. This project will primarily work in the following geographical community: Nevada City, with a population around 3,000, is the smallest and least populated jurisdiction in the county. Nevada City has a total of 301 multi-family units and 7 tobacco retailers.

> After conducting the CX Needs Assessment, tobacco program staff selected Pathfinder B1 pathway for the End Commercial Tobacco Campaign objective. During the CX process, participants, including coalition members and Tobacco Use Prevention Program (TUPP) staff, felt that while an MUH policy would be more impactful in Grass Valley, a flavor policy is much more likely to be adopted in Nevada City, which was the first jurisdiction in Nevada County to adopt a Tobacco Retail Licensing (TRL) policy and subsequent minimum packaging amendment. During the previous grant cycle, the TUPP focused on amending the TRL in Grass Valley to include a minimum packaging restriction. Efforts were unsuccessful and staff believe that a flavor ban would not be supported by the majority of Grass Valley decision makers. During the CX process, participants noted that vaping is a significant concern in the community and a flavor ban could be a way to limit youth access to

these products. Recent minimum packaging efforts in Nevada City focused on flavored cigarillos and their appeal to youth. This approach was successful because it resonated with local policy makers who are concerned about youth tobacco use. There is also local data demonstrating a need and support for this type of policy. Recent Healthy Stores for Healthy Communities observation survey and public opinion poll data shows that 83% of tobacco retailers in Nevada County sold flavored non-cigarette tobacco and 69% of community members support a ban on flavored tobacco products. Youth and adult coalition members are also motivated to address this issue. Because flavored products target youth, their voices are the most powerful when it comes to educating policy makers about the issue. Overall, flavored tobacco products are a relevant issue in the community because of the sharp rise in vaping use, particularly among youth. The TUPP is in a strong position to address the issue because of past experience with successful adoption of two TRL policies and a minimum packaging amendment to the TRL in Nevada City.

MUH was selected as the other End Commercial Tobacco Campaign indicator because of past experience around this issue, data demonstrating a local problem and support by residents and apartments managers for smokefree policies. Survey data from three apartment complexes shows that at least 50% of residents have experienced drifting secondhand smoke and the majority of residents support smoke-free policies. Previous work focused on voluntary smoke-free apartment policies in Grass Valley. While the program was successful overall, 3 complexes adopted smoke-free policies, coalition members and staff feel that working on legislated policies at the city level will have a more significant impact in the community. During the CX process, coalition and community members expressed an interest in working on this issue and felt that there could be strong support in Nevada City. TUPP staff is knowledgeable about smoke-free MUH and efforts have already been made to raise awareness among apartment managers, residents and the general public.

Major Intervention Activities: Intervention activities will focus on training and engaging coalition members around the issues of smoke-free MUH and flavored tobacco products, raising public awareness and building community and local policy maker support. These activities will increase coalition capacity to address these issues, create momentum in the community and identify potential champions for the proposed policies. TUPP Staff will initially work to train youth and adult coalition members about the issues, tactics and dangers of flavored tobacco products, as well as, the health effects of, second and thirdhand smoke in MUH. This knowledge and understanding will equip coalition members to educate the broader community and policy makers about theses issues. Coalition members will also become educated and versed in End Commercial Tobacco Campaign strategies. A strategic planning session will be conducted utilizing a Midwest Academy Chart in mapping out how to move policy work forward. This will allow the group to identify internal and external assets and ways in which capacity can be built to address the issues. Staff and coalition members will attend community events to raise community awareness and work collaboratively with key partners to build additional support. Staff will train coalition members to meet with City Council members, local law enforcement and other key decision makers in the targeted jurisdiction to discuss and educate about the benefits of creating smoke-free MUH and banning flavored tobacco sales in Nevada City. Staff will work with Coalition members to create media campaigns that will be aired on local radio stations, social media and other targeted media outlets as defined by a communication plan. Media activities will increase community awareness and support around the issues of smoke-free MUH and flavored tobacco products. Educational presentations to local organizations focused on adolescent health and youth development will help build partnerships with key stakeholder groups, which according to the theory will increase the

likelihood of success. Representatives from these organizations will be asked to participate in the coalition and demonstrate their support for smoke-free MUH and flavor policies. To further increase community and policy maker awareness, TUPP staff will print and provide education materials in formats appropriate to the geographic area's population, including translation into Spanish when appropriate, accessible reading levels, etc. Staff will provide technical assistance (TA) to assist with crafting policy language and providing educational resources for adoption and implementation of the flavored tobacco ban and smoke-free MUH policies in Nevada City.

Theory of Change: Initial work around this objective will focus on strategizing and raising awareness among youth and adult coalition members about the End Commercial Tobacco Campaign (ECTC), second/thirdhand smoke, smokefree MUH and flavored tobacco products. This will help build internal capacity to address the issue and prepare coalition members to educate and mobilize the larger community and local decision makers to take action around these issues. Simultaneously, media efforts will begin to shift community awareness, understanding and perspectives around smoke-free MUH and flavors. Developing partnerships with key stakeholders will help to build additional support and momentum in the community around the ECTC strategies, increasing the likelihood that local decision makers will see a demand for smoke-free MUH and flavor polices and take action around these issues. Coalition members will be trained to present to local policy makers about the ECTC strategies and key stakeholders will be asked to demonstrate their support for smoke-free MUH and flavor policies. Process data collection activities, such as key informant interviews and public opinion polls conducted in the first year of the plan, will help the program gauge the level of understanding and support among community member and policy makers around local ECTC strategies. These insights will shape and inform program efforts, including community/decision maker education and outreach, media strategies, stakeholder engagement and presentations to local decision makers. Overall, intervention and evaluation activities will work to raise awareness and build capacity to address ECTC strategies, as well as prepare and empower coalition members and key stakeholders to advocate for the adoption of local smoke-free MUH and flavor policies. Technical assistance provided by staff will ensure that local policy makers and other city staff feel supported throughout the policy adoption and implementation process.

Evaluation Summary Narrative: The plan type is legislated policy adoption and implementation and the evaluation design is non-experimental. The Nevada County Tobacco Prevention Program will work on two End Commercial Tobacco Campaign (ECTC) policies in Nevada City, amending the exiting TRL to include a ban on flavored tobacco products and a policy eliminating smoking in MUH complexes with two or more units. The evaluation plan includes process and outcome evaluation activities specific to the indicators, which will help determine the level of awareness and support among community members and local policy makers and gauge the project's efforts towards meeting the proposed objective. Data from process evaluation activities will be used to inform and guide program planning and implementation.

> An electronic public opinion poll, developed in consultation with the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center (TCEC), will be administered to a convenience sample of 200-250 community members using a handheld device or online survey during year 1. Frequencies and percentages will be calculated to determine the level of public awareness around smoke-free MUH and flavored tobacco products and support for a flavor ban and smoke-free MUH policy in Nevada City. Staff will also conduct Key Informant Interviews with 6-8 local policy makers in year 1; questions will be used to gauge the level of awareness and support/opposition to ECTC policy strategies in Nevada City.

Staff will use the KII and survey to tailor education activities, specifically education materials development and policy maker presentations.

Staff will also conduct two waves (Spring 2022/Spring 2024) of observation surveys, in coordination with the statewide End Commercial Tobacco Campaign, which will provide local data on smoking behaviors, tobacco litter and tobacco products and advertising in tobacco retailers in Nevada City. The data will be used to inform future ECTC work. A second observation survey will be conducted to document changes in the retail environment and MUH resulting from policy implementation. Throughout the grant period, staff will also maintain a media activity record and policy record form. The media activity record tool, developed by TCEC, will be used to inform staff and coalition members about opportunities to engage the community and understand how tobacco control is being portrayed in local media. A single media activity record form will be used for all objectives. The policy record form will be used to document and inform staff about policy maker support/opposition, key issues raised by policy makers and staff, and other insights from public policy meetings about smoke-free MUH and/or a flavor ban.

A Final Evaluation Report will be written at the end of the grant period. The report will summarize the process data collected and key activities conducted during the grant period, effectiveness of strategies used, and recommendations for developing future project interventions. The report will be written following the "Tell Your Story" guidelines developed by TCEC and submitted to the California Tobacco Control Program. The Final Evaluation report and other process data summary reports will be disseminated to coalition members and public health leadership via email, fact sheets and presentations.

# **Objective 2**

# **Objective Overview**

Objective: By June 30, 2027, At least 6 Nevada County youth, ages 11-18, will be recruited, trained and engaged by the Nevada County Tobacco Use Prevention (TUPP) program staff to enable them to effectively educate the community about tobacco control issues. Trained youth volunteers will increase their tobacco control advocacy skills and knowledge by at least 70%, as evidenced by a pre- and post-test, and will participate in a minimum of 2-4 tobacco control activities annually.

Objective ID: 2

Primary Asset: (2.4) Youth Engagement in Tobacco Control: The degree our program has participatory collaborative partnerships with diverse youth and youthserving organizations, and engages them to support tobacco control-related activities that focus on policy, systems, and environmental changes.

Is this a primary objective? No

Evaluation Plan Type: Other with Measurable Outcome

Target Audience: Audience Group

12-17 years

## **General Population Groups**

- · American Indian/Native American
- Hispanic/Latino
- Multi-ethnic
- · White, Non-Hispanic

Intervention Jurisdiction(s):

- Grass Valley
- Nevada City

- Truckee town
- Unincorporated, Nevada

# Intervention Topic(s)

- Coalition Satisfaction Survey
- Data Collection Training
- Focus Groups
- Leadership Training
- Photovoice
- Priority Population Organizations Collaboration
- Schools collaboration (K-12)
- Volunteer Recruitment

# **Intervention Activity Plan**

Annually, conduct 2-4 outreach activities for youth/young adults, such as presentations, participation at community or school-hosted events, etc., to recruit 5-15 peers at middle schools and alternative high schools about youth coalition activities and efforts. Youth will set up tables to promote the coalition at back to school nights, club-introductory days/weeks, or other recruitment events during or after school.
Coordination/Collaboration Activities
No
1.50 %
01/22-06/22
01/27-06/27
MeasureSubmitLog - PresentationsYesPresentation MaterialsYes
Responsible Party Budget Type Coalition Coordinator Budgeted Intern Budgeted Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted
Annually, 4-10 youth and adult partners will participate in Youth Quest at the State Capitol to educate policymakers about key tobacco control issues. Youth coalition members will present localized fact sheet during the meeting.
Policy Activities
No
1.50 %
01/22-06/22
01/27-06/27
Measure Submit
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Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted
	Project Director Budgeted
	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted
Activity 2-1-3	
Activity:	Weekly, TUPP Staff will log onto Partners to identify upcoming trainings, new information and advocacy campaign tools. Monthly, staff will contribute a minimum of one post to InfoHub to share information or pose or respont to a question. Annually, staff will write a minimum of one Spotlight On including significant steps taken, milestones achieved, and barriers encountered at the completion of the campaign.
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities
Copyright:	No
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.00 %
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit
	Partners Six Month InfoHub Report Yes
	Partners Six Month Login Report Yes
	Spotlight On Submission(s) Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Budgeted
	Project Director Budgeted
Activity 2-4-4	
Activity:	participants to motivate and/or reinforce positive behavior, participation, and/or involvement in tobacco control activities and require action on the part of the recipient to receive the incentive. The cost of incentives may nexceed \$50 in value, per person, per year and shall not include merchandise cards that can be used to purchase tobacco, alcohol, and/o cannabis products. The project is responsible for the possession, security [e.g. will keep under lock and key], and accountability of the merchandise cards. The project will prepare a log sheet that will track and identify each the merchandise cards, value, merchandise card transfer date, and recipient. At the conclusion of the agreement, surplus incentives must be returned to CTCP.
	Annual Control of Cont
Intervention Category:	Incentives
Intervention Category: Copyright:	
	No
Copyright:	No 0.00 %
Copyright: Program Deliverable Percentage:	No 0.00 % 01/22-06/22
Copyright: Program Deliverable Percentage: Start Date Period:	No 0.00 % 01/22-06/22
Copyright: Program Deliverable Percentage: Start Date Period: Completion Date Period: Tracking Measures:	No 0.00 % 01/22-06/22 01/27-06/27  Measure Submit Log - Incentives On File
Copyright: Program Deliverable Percentage: Start Date Period: Completion Date Period:	No 0.00 % 01/22-06/22 01/27-06/27 Measure Submit

Activity 2-1-5		
Activity:	Facilitate 6-12 youth/young adult-led coalition meetings each year and an additional 3-6 youth and adult coalition collaborative sub-committee meetings to support and maintain a coalition each school year, and assist with leading activities in the projects scope of work.	
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Log - Meetings Yes  Meeting Materials Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Coalition Coordinator Intern Budgeted Budgeted Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted	
Activity 2-11-6		
Activity:	Conduct 5-8 trainings for approximately 4-10 coalition members and collaborative partners to increase their knowledge on skills needed to carry out campaign tasks and tactics. Training topics may include, but are not limited to: community organizing, letter writing, meeting facilitation, peer-topeer training, public speaking and presentations, social media use, media advocacy, and spokesperson(s)/media interactions.	
Intervention Category:	Training/Technical Assistance Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
	Log - Trainings Yes Training Materials Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Coalition Coordinator Intern Budgeted Project Director Budgeted Youth Coalition Budgeted Non-Budgeted	
Activity 2-3-7		
	In consultation with statewide grantees and coalition members, develop 3-new or update existing coalition materials, such as: recruitment postcards, membership sign-up form, coalition position statements, fact sheets that highlight existing members and activities, etc., or adapt existing materials	

highlight existing members and activities, etc., or adapt existing materials into Spanish, that will be disseminated to the Spanish-speaking community.

Chosen audiences will include rural middle and high school students,
Spanish speakers, LGBTQ+, and low income youth. Consumer testing of
materials is required and described in the Evaluation Plan. Once completed,

the program will share materials with appropriate audiences to increase

	exposure and usage of the materials. Staff will submit new or adapted material(s) to the Tobacco Education Clearinghouse of California (TECC) Material Submission page (MatTrack) upon completion.	
Intervention Category:	Educational Materials Development	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
	Materials Developed Yes	
	MatTrack Submission Verification Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	Consultant-Design Action Collective Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted	
Activity 2-1-9	1	
Activity 2-1-8	Participate in activities for the statewide evaluation of funded priority	
,	population initiatives as needed. The evaluation may assess the strength of projects scope of work, changes in readiness for communities to address tobacco policy and system changes, capacity of funded agencies to build diverse partnerships and maintain them, etc. Participation may include completing surveys, interviews, sharing data, etc., as needed.	
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Start Date Period:	07/24-12/24	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Log - Participation Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
Evaluation Activity Plan		
Activity 2-E-1	Education/Participant Survey	
Evaluation Activity:	To inform staff and coalition members about how to improve coalition functioning, satisfaction, and diversity, the online TCEC coalition survey will be utilized. The survey link will be sent to all coalition members annually. Data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and content analysis and results will be shared with coalition members and community outreach staff to strategize how to fill the gaps in training, opportunities, skill building, meetings, functioning, technical assistance, diversity, and representation. In addition, results from all waves will be compared to determine if/how the coalition has changed over time.	
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process	
Waves of Data Collection:		

Data Collection Period(s):		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/22-06/22	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 2:	: 07/22-12/22 to 01/23-06/23	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 3:	01/24-06/24 to 07/24-12/24	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 4:	01/25-06/25 to 07/25-12/25	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 5:	01/26-06/26 to 07/26-12/26	
Data Collection Training:	No	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
	Coalition Survey Instrument Yes	
	Coalition Survey Summary Report Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	External Evaluator Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
Activity 2-E-5	Education/Participant Survey  To inform staff about how to improve future trainings and coalition activities	
	survey developed in consultation with TCEC, a census of 5-10 participant at each event will be surveyed to understand training feedback, anticipate training/education needs, changes in knowledge and skills and intent to engage in tobacco prevention activities (or satisfaction with services, participation levels, additional needs, and/or data collector readiness). Da will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and content analysis and resu will be shared with participants, trainers, and staff to improve future training and determine other training, education, or service needs.	
Purpose of Data Collection:		
Waves of Data Collection:	1	
Data Collection Period(s):		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/27-06/27	
Data Collection Training:	No	
Copyright:	No	
	2.00 %	
Program Deliverable Percentage:		
Program Deliverable Percentage:  Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
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	Measure Submit  Training Survey Instrument Yes  Training Survey Summary Report Yes	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Training Survey Instrument Yes  Training Survey Summary Report Yes  Responsible Party Budget Type	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Training Survey Instrument Yes  Training Survey Summary Report Yes  Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted	
Tracking Measures: Responsible Parties:	Measure Submit  Training Survey Instrument Yes  Training Survey Summary Report Yes  Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted	
Tracking Measures:  Responsible Parties:  Activity 2-E-6	Measure Submit  Training Survey Instrument Yes  Training Survey Summary Report Yes  Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted	

Program Deliverable Percentage: Tracking Measures:	2.00 %  Measure Submit  Member Participation Record Form Yes	
Copyright:		
Data Collection Training:		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:		
Data Collection Period(s):		
Waves of Data Collection:	1	
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process	
Evaluation Activity:	TUPP staff will develop a youth engagement tracking tool, referred to as the Member Participation Record (MPR). This instrument will be used to track and summarize diversity of partnerships and key partnership engagement in campaign activities, outreach efforts, meetings, and trainings. The MPR will identify the opportunities coalition members will have to participate in SOW Activities: (1-E-4, 1-11-4, 1-7-11, 1-2-6, 1-2-2),(2-1-5, 2-7-2, 2-3-7, 2-1-1, 2-11-6, 2-E-6, 2-E-7, 2-E-4),(3-E-2, 3-7-7),(C-8-3, C-7-1). The MPR will be updated regularly and will consist of the following fields for recording organization/individual member participation including, but not limited to: event name, date, location, partner organization name(s), and description of activity(ies) and/or event(s), including a brief description of how members were participating (e.g. wrote an article for newsletter, conducted a presentation, participating in social media planning, etc.).	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Coalition Coordinator External Evaluator Project Director Youth Coalition Budgeted Budgeted Budgeted Budgeted Won-Budgeted	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  Focus Group Questions Yes  Focus Group Summary Report Yes	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Copyright:	No	
Data Collection Training:	No	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 5:	01/26-06/26 to 07/26-12/26	
Begin/End Periods - Wave 4:		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 3:		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:		
Data Collection Period(s):  Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/22-06/22	
Waves of Data Collection:	5	
Purpose of Data Collection:		
	The focus group will provide in-depth qualitative data, which will help staff identify engagement strategies that are effective and those that may need to be modified. Content analysis of the focus group notes will be used to identify common themes, draw conclusion about coalition participation and make recommendations for future work.	

	Member Participation Record Instrument/Pro	otocol Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	External Evaluator Budgeted	
	Intern Budgeted	
Activity 2-E-4	Other	
Evaluation Activity:	Cother  To prioritize the voices of youth who are low SES, rural, Hispanic and LGBTQ youth, the program will conduct a Photovoice project that informs policymakers, program staff, coalition members, store/multi-unit housing owners and the general public about tobacco-related topics that impact those groups, such as emerging tobacco products, effects of secondhand and thirdhand smoke and other tobacco-related issues in the community. A comprehensive plan outlining the purpose, focus and content of each session will be developed in consultation with TCEC. Content will include trust-building and group dynamics exercises, critical thinking skill building, providing constructive criticism, taking and assessing quality photos, storytelling/captioning, event planning, public speaking, advocacy. Each 30-60 minute session will be led by a skilled facilitator, such as the Project Director or Coalition Coordinator. A purposive sample of 3-6 youth participants from the Nevada City community will be recruited to attend 4-6 meetings over a period of 8-12 weeks for goal setting, training, group interpretation of pictures and findings, development of the Photovoice exhibit, and facilitated discussion of next steps. A photo exhibit will be presented to community members and policymakers to demonstrate the problem and impact of tobacco-related topics, such as emerging tobacco products, effects of second/thirdhand smoke and other tobacco related issues in the community through a visual community lens. With photographer permission, photos may be incorporated into additional presentations, fact sheets, summary reports, or media releases. Lessons learned will be used to measure change over time, support or inform next steps and build capacity for future projects. Evaluation measures will be built into each session and will include a pre/post survey, group discussion, or interview with all participants to measure motivations for participating, skill sets before and after involvement, value derived from taking part, and feedback for i	
Purpose of Data Collection:		
Waves of Data Collection:	1	
Data Collection Period(s):		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	And whitehold the second to the second the second to the second to	
Data Collection Training:		
Copyright:		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.50 %	
Tracking Measures:	Measure	Submit
	Photovoice Curriculum Plan	Yes
	Photovoice Summary Report	Yes
	Photovoice Training Assessment Instrument	
	Training Materials	Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted Intern Budgeted Project Director Budgeted	

	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted	
Activity 2-E-7	Other	
Evaluation Activity:	Conduct consumer testing to assess the appropriateness and appeal of the content, logic, wording, design and/or takeaway message of materials developed for the updated youth coalition orientation packet. Utilize an existing set of focus group test questions developed in the previous grant cycle. Modify and adapt existing questions as needed. Conduct a minimum of 2 focus groups with 3-5 existing youth coalition members and document participant reactions to the material/ instrument. Analyze and summarize participant responses for common themes in order to make recommendations for material/instrument revisions. Share results with project personnel and use to improve materials/instruments; final summary report must be submitted to MatTrack on TECCs website with material submissions.	
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process	
Waves of Data Collection:	1	
Data Collection Period(s):		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/27-06/27	
Data Collection Training:	No	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Tracking Measures:	Measure	Submit
	Consumer Testing Instrument	Yes
	Consumer Testing Summary Report	Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party	Budget Type
	Coalition Coordinator	Budgeted
	Consultant-Design Action Collective	Budgeted
	External Evaluator	Budgeted
	Intern	Budgeted
Activity 2-E-2	Final Evaluation Report	
	: The Brief Evaluation Report (BER) will summarize findings from the youth coalition survey, focus groups, youth engagement tracking log and photo	

coalition survey, focus groups, youth engagement tracking log and photo voice project. Annual coalition satisfaction surveys will be analyzed using percentages and frequency counts. Findings will be used to identify gaps and improve coalition meetings/trainings, skill building opportunities, functioning, technical assistance, diversity, and representation. Content analysis of annual focus group notes will be used to identify common themes, draw conclusion about coalition participation and make recommendations for future work. The focus groups will provide in-depth qualitative data, which will help staff identify engagement strategies that are effective and those that may need to be modified. The comprehensive youth coalition tracking log will be analyzed using contents analysis and frequency counts to identify possible reasons for more or less youth involvement and make adjustments to the program in order to increase and sustain youth interest in tobacco advocacy efforts. Evaluation measures will be built into each session of the Photovoice project and will include a pre/post survey, group discussion, or interview with all participants to measure motivations for participating, skill sets before and after involvement, value derived from taking part, and feedback for improvement of the Photovoice project. Content analysis of qualitative data and descriptive statistics will be used to measure change over time, support and inform next steps and build capacity for future projects.

Methods to Disseminate Findings:		
Other Dissemination Methods:		
Study Limitations or Challenges:	Study Limitations or challenges included potential scheduling conflicts and low youth participation in evaluation activities. Finding a meeting time that works for a majority of youth coalition members could be challenging, especially as schools are returning to in-person learning following COVID-19 restrictions. Annual satisfaction surveys may not be completed by enough youth coalition members and focus group attendance could be low. Providing ample time to complete the survey and informing youth coalition members about the survey ahead of time will ensure a higher completion rate. Scheduling focus groups during normal meeting times has increased focus group participation in previous work plans. The Photovoice project involves multiple meetings to prepare and plan for the project. Challenges with scheduling and attendance could arise here as well.	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.50 %	
<b>Activity Start Date Period:</b>	01/27-06/27	
<b>Activity Completion Date Period:</b>	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Brief Evaluation Report Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	External Evaluator Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	

## **Narrative Summary**

Community Assessment This project will primarily address the following priority population(s) of focus: Analysis: low SES, rural, Hispanic and LGBTQ+ youth. Low socioeconomic status (SES) and rural populations tend to have higher rates of tobacco use and Hispanic and LGBTQ+ youth are often underrepresented in the community. Engaging these populations in tobacco prevention ensures that program efforts are focused where they are most needed and that the coalition reflects the diversity of the student population in Nevada County. This project will primarily work in the following geographical community: Grass Valley and Nevada City. Nevada City has a population around 3,000, making it the smallest and least populated of the three incorporated areas in the county. Grass Valley has a population close to 13,000, making it the second largest jurisdiction in Nevada County. The median family income for Nevada County is \$66,096. While 9% of the overall population lives in poverty, 15% of children live below the federal poverty threshold. Nearly 20% live in lowincome working families. Five percent of students are homeless.

> Youth engagement has been a significant aspect of tobacco prevention efforts in Nevada County for close to 15 years; TUPP staff has extensive experience in youth development and advocacy work and has consistently demonstrated an ability to recruit and engage middle school and high school age youth in local tobacco prevention activities. Also, much of the program's past policy successes can be attributed to youth efforts to educate local decision makers and advocate for policies to reduce youth access to tobacco products. Historically, Nevada County decision makers are highly receptive to youth, whose voices are the most relevant when it comes to tobacco policy efforts, particularly flavors, as they are the primary target for these products.

Local youth have been involved in a wide range of tobacco prevention projects, including tobacco litter, smoking in films, TRL, smoke-free parks, minimum packaging and MUH. Maintaining the youth coalition is a top priority for the community and an active youth coalition will be a significant asset as the program strategizes and mobilizes around the upcoming End Commercial Tobacco Campaign. According to the CDC (2010), "Because they are targets, young people must be engaged in tobacco control efforts. Youth are powerful allies in the fight against pro-tobacco influences, key partners in denormalizing tobacco use, and important levers in determining the future of tobacco control policy."

After conducting the CX Needs Assessment and in-depth discussion among program staff, the decision was made to focus on sustaining and expanding youth engagement efforts in Nevada City and Grass Valley. TUPP currently maintains a highly engaged middle school youth coalition at Lyman Gilmore Middle School in Grass Valley. Over the past year, even with COVID-19 restrictions, staff continued to engage youth coalition members via weekly Zoom meetings. Staff intend to build on the strength of this program and focus on additional capacity building at other schools, as appropriate.

Major Intervention Activities: Intervention activities will focus on expansion and recruitment of a diverse youth coalition, engaging youth coalition members in a minimum of 2-4 tobacco control activities annually and training coalition members to increase their advocacy skills and knowledge by at least 70%. Coalition members will support the End Commercial Tobacco Campaign objective in Nevada City and the MUH objective in Grass Valley, specifically conducting education and advocacy activities around flavored tobacco products, secondhand smoke and smoke-free MUH. They will also assist with evaluation activities, including public opinion polls, key informant interviews and observation surveys. The coalition will aim to increase representation from the Latino/Hispanic, low SES and LGBTQ+ communities by partnering with organizations that are serving these groups. In addition, staff will coordinate with schools and community groups to recruit middle school and high school aged members. Recruitment materials, including flyers, brochures and orientation packets, will be developed and disseminated to potential and new youth coalition members. Coalition member trainings will focus on building advocacy, public speaking and data collection skills. Trainings will also increasing knowledge around tobacco related issues, such as flavored tobacco products, tobacco industry tactics, second hand smoke and MUH. Specific trainings topics may include spokesperson and media relations, data collection, photo voice planning and design, and/or PSA and op-ed writing. Staff will also provide opportunities for coalition members to attend regional and statewide trainings and workshops.

Theory of Change: A Community Organizing Theory of Change is being used in the development and implementation of this objective. Youth, the population most targeted by the tobacco industry, will be empowered to take action in their communities by advocating for tobacco policies and social norms changes that reduce youth tobacco use and minimize youth access to tobacco products. Staff will provide youth with education and resources that will enable them to identify and mobilize around tobacco related issues in their schools and communities. Trainings will provide youth with the skills they need to take action, plan tobacco education activities, and build peer and public support for coalition efforts. Staff will also leverage resources by partnering with TUPE and other youth centered groups in the community to engage middle school and high school students in tobacco advocacy activities. Expanding and maintaining an active youth coalition will be a significant asset as the program strategizes and mobilizes around the upcoming End Commercial Tobacco Campaign indicators and other tobacco prevention and policy efforts in the community.

Evaluation Summary Narrative: The plan type is other without measurable outcome. The Tobacco Use Prevention Program will recruit and engage 6-12 youth in local tobacco prevention and advocacy work in Nevada County. The coalition coordinator will engage youth coalition members in 2-4 tobacco control activities annually and train youth coalition members to increase their knowledge and advocacy skill by at least 70%. The evaluation plan includes only process evaluation activities, which will be used to modify and improve coalition meetings, projects and recruitment strategies. Major evaluation activities include an annual coalition satisfaction survey, annual focus groups, pre and post training knowledge questionnaires, a comprehensive member participation record and a Photovoice project.

> An annual electronic coalition satisfaction survey will be administered to all youth coalition members. The survey will help program staff and coalition members to improve coalition functioning, satisfaction, and diversity. Survey data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and content analysis and results will be shared with coalition members and the coalition coordinator to fill the gaps in training, skill building, coalition meetings/functioning, diversity and representation. In addition, results from all years will be compared to determine if/how the coalition changes over time.

Annual focus groups will be conducted with 4-6 youth coalition members. The focus group will provide in-depth qualitative data, which will help staff identify engagement and recruitment strategies that are effective and those that may need to be modified. Content analysis of the focus group notes will be used to identify common themes, draw conclusions about coalition participation and make recommendations for future work. Focus group questions will cover a variety of topics, including quality of youth meetings/trainings, reasons for involvement, and skills/experiences gained. Staff will use an existing set of focus group questions developed in a previous grant period: questions will be modified as needed.

A Member Participation Record (MPR) will be maintained by program staff throughout the grant period and will track youth involvement over the year to establish turn-over and retention rates. The log will also track youth activities and trainings, with details on the types of activities and training topics. Through content analysis of the tracking log, staff will identify possible reasons for more or less youth involvement and make adjustments to the program to increase and sustain youth interest in tobacco prevention.

Pre and post-training surveys will be administered to 5-10 youth coalition participants to measure change in knowledge and tobacco prevention advocacy skills. One 8-12 week long Photovoice project will also be conducted with 3-5 youth coalition members.

A Brief Evaluation Report (BER) will be written at the end of the grant period. The report will summarize the process data collected and key activities conducted during the grant period, effectiveness of strategies used, and recommendations for developing future project interventions. The report will be written following guidelines developed by TCEC and submitted to the California Tobacco Control Program. The BER and other process data summary reports will be disseminated to coalition members and public health leadership via email, fact sheets and presentations.

# **Objective 3**

# **Objective Overview**

Objective: By June 30, 2027, The Grass Valley jurisdiction in Nevada County will adopt a policy that eliminates smoking (including burning or heating of tobacco

and other plant products, natural or synthetic) within multi-unit housing of two or more units (market-rate, public, and subsidized), including 25 feet from all doors, windows, patios, and balconies, and emphasizes a graduated enforcement process.

Objective ID: 3

Primary Priority Area: (2) Reduce Exposure to Secondhand Smoke, Tobacco Smoke Residue,

Tobacco Waste, and Other Tobacco Products

Is this a primary objective? No

Evaluation Plan Type: Legislated Policy Adoption Only

Target Audience: Audience Group

• Parents with Children <18

• People with Behavioral/Mental Health Issues

• People Experiencing Low Socioeconomic Status

Rural Populations

## **General Population Groups**

Hispanic/Latino

Multi-ethnic

White, Non-Hispanic

Intervention Jurisdiction(s):

Grass Valley

# Indicator(s)

### **Primary**

2.2.13 **Smokefree Multi-Unit Housing**: The number of jurisdictions with a policy prohibiting smoking in the individual units of multi-unit housing including balconies and patios. (CORE)

# Intervention Topic(s)

- Housing Organization Collaboration
- Key Informant Interviews
- Policy/System Change Training
- Priority Population Organizations Collaboration
- Public Intercept Surveys
- Volunteer Recruitment

# **Intervention Activity Plan**

Activity 3-2-1		
Activity:	Conduct 5-8 presentations to 5-15 participants. Presentations will be made to community groups identified in the Midwest Academy Strategy Chart (MASC) planning process as potential supporters for the objective. Provide a sample and request policy endorsement/letter of support from community group(s) at each presentation.	
Intervention Category:	Community Education Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure	Submit
	Copy of Endorsements/Letters of Support	On File
	Log - Presentations	Yes

	Presentation Materials Yes	
	Sample Letter of Support or Endorsement Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
Activity 3-7-2		
	Conduct at least one strategic planning session(s) for each jurisdiction the project is considering policy within, with community partners and stakeholders for 3-6 hours, to complete the Midwest Academy Strategy Chart [MASC] which will identify short, intermediate, and long term goals, organizational considerations, constituents, allies, opponents, decision makers, and tactics to create a plan for smoke-free MUH in Grass Valley. Consult with appropriate statewide partners and review existing trainings to prepare for and facilitate the strategic planning session(s). Update and submit each jurisdictions MASC regularly throughout each policy campaign to adapt to new information as it is revealed.	
Intervention Category:		
Copyright:		
Program Deliverable Percentage:		
Start Date Period:		
Completion Date Period:		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
· ·	MASC Yes	
D	Meeting Materials Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	External Evaluator Budgeted	
	Intern Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
Activity 3-7-4		
Activity:	Develop a priority matrix of policy opportunities for incorporating tobacco considerations in changes in state law, in General Plans/Zoning and Permitting Regulations/Community Health Framework/Economic Development Plans, etc. Develop a summary of priorities and share report findings with coalition members and update annually. Work to identify opportunities for incorporating MUH policy and planning priorities language into local general plans.	
	considerations in changes in state law, in General Plans/Zoning and Permitting Regulations/Community Health Framework/Economic Development Plans, etc. Develop a summary of priorities and share report findings with coalition members and update annually. Work to identify opportunities for incorporating MUH policy and planning priorities language	
Intervention Category:	considerations in changes in state law, in General Plans/Zoning and Permitting Regulations/Community Health Framework/Economic Development Plans, etc. Develop a summary of priorities and share report findings with coalition members and update annually. Work to identify opportunities for incorporating MUH policy and planning priorities language into local general plans.	
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	Intern Budg	geted	
	Project Director Budg	geted	
Activity 3-11-5			
Activity:	Provide a minimum of 8-12 hours of technical assistance (TA) on issues related to policy education, adoption, implementation and sustainability to community partners, decision makers, those who will be tasked with enforcement, etc. TA will be provided using in-person, by phone/virtual meeting, email, etc.		
Intervention Category:	Training/Technical Assistance Ac	ctivities	
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1.50 %		
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22		
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Subn		
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Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Adult Coalition Members Health Education Coordinator/Me Project Director	١	Budget Type Non-Budgeted Budgeted Budgeted
Activity 3-1-6	TUPP Staff will participate in 2 mg	onthly meetings	. Gold Country Regional fo
Addition.	rural counties and LLA for Smoke-free Housing and Communities of Practice workgroup to increase learning about the planning process, access colleagues and statewide technical assistance support for engaging in planning work to obtain examples of ongoing work and language to use to support the projects efforts.		
Intervention Category:	Coordination/Collaboration Activit	ties	
Copyright:			
Program Deliverable Percentage:	0.50 %		
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22		
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit		
	Log - Meetings Yes		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party	y E	Budget Type
	Health Education Coordinator/Me		Budgeted
	Intern		Budgeted
	Project Director		Budgeted
Activity 3-7-7			
	Facilitate participation of 4-10 coapresent at meetings of decision mweigh in on policy (e.g. city attorn informally educate them about on adoption, including conversations enforcement. Provide educational	nakers, their sta neys) in each jur n tobacco policie s about equity in	ff, and other officials who isdiction to formally or is, best practices in policy penalties, policy, and

	present in public forums (e.g. city council, board of supervisor meetings) if invited to do so formally, in-writing, by decision makers offices.	
Intervention Category:	Policy Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %	
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
	Log - Presentations Yes	
	Presentation Materials Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
	Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted	
Activity 3-2-8		
Activity:	: Conduct 2-4 community education events (e.g. forums, town halls, presentations) to 5-15 participants. Presentations will be made to community groups identified in the Midwest Academy Strategy Chart (MASC) planning process (e.g. apartment residents and managers, housing authority, law enforcement, schools and local non-profits that assist priority populations) as potential supporters for the objective. Provide a sample of and request a policy endorsement/letter of support from community group(s) at each presentation.	
Intervention Category:	Community Education Activities	
Copyright:	No	
Program Deliverable Percentage:		
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
	Event Photos Yes	
	Log - Events Yes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
-	Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted	
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	

Activity: In consultation with statewide grantees and local partners, develop 1-2 new Multi Unit Housing second-hand and third-hand brochures or adapt existing materials to translate existing material into Spanish and/or to format an urban-themed material for a rural population that will be disseminated at events, health fairs, forums and presentations. Chosen audiences will include, apartment residents and managers, priority populations such as low SES, rural, Hispanic or veterans. Consumer testing of materials is required and described in the Evaluation Plan. Once completed, market materials to appropriate audiences to facilitate distribution. Submit new or adapted material(s) to the Tobacco Education Clearinghouse of California (TECC) Material Submission page (MatTrack) upon completion.

	Educational Materials Development	
	Educational Materials Development	
Copyright:		
Program Deliverable Percentage:		
Start Date Period:	01/22-06/22	
Completion Date Period:	01/25-06/25	
Tracking Measures:	MeasureSubmitMaterials DevelopedYesMatTrack Submission VerificationYes	
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
	Health Education Coordinator/Media Specialist Budgeted	
	Project Director Budgeted	
Activity 3-4-10		
Activity.	Incentive materials (e.g. merchandise cards) are provided to program participants to motivate and/or reinforce positive behavior, participation, and/or involvement in tobacco control activities and require action on the part of the recipient to receive the incentive. The cost of incentives may not exceed \$50 in value, per person, per year and shall not include merchandise cards that can be used to purchase tobacco, alcohol, and/or cannabis products. The project is responsible for the possession, security [e.g. will keep under lock and key], and accountability of the merchandise cards. The project will prepare a log sheet that will track and identify each of the merchandise cards, value, merchandise card transfer date, and recipient. At the conclusion of the agreement, surplus incentives must be returned to CTCP.	
Intervention Category:	Incentives	
Copyright:	1	
Program Deliverable Percentage:		
Start Date Period:		
Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27	
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit	
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Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type	
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Activity 3-11-11		
Activity:	Conduct 5-7 trainings for approximately 4-12 coalition members and collaborative partners to increase their knowledge on tobacco-related issues in the community. Training topics may include, but are not limited to: talking points related to the objective, including current and emerging tobacco related issues, health disparities, environmental justice, second-hand/third-hand smoke, electronic smoking devices, tobacco industry tactics, etc.	
Intervention Category:	Training/Technical Assistance Activities	
Copyright:		
Program Deliverable Percentage:		
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Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit
	Log - Trainings Yes
	Training Materials Yes
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type
*	Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted
	Coalition Coordinator Budgeted
	Project Director Budgeted

# **Evaluation Activity Plan**

Activity 3-E-3	Education/Participant Survey		
Evaluation Activity:	To inform TUPP staff and trainers about how to improve future trainings a post-training assessment will be administered to participants of (insert activity number). Using a pen and paper (or online) survey developed in consultation with TCEC, a census of 3-5 participants at each event will be surveyed to understand training feedback, anticipated needs, changes in knowledge, comfort, confidence, preparation, and intent to engage in tobacco prevention activities (or satisfaction with services, participation levels, additional needs, and/or data collector readiness). Data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and content analysis and results will be shared with participants, trainers, and staff to improve future trainings and determine other training, education, or service needs.		
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process		
Waves of Data Collection:	1		
Data Collection Period(s):			
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/27-06/27		
Data Collection Training:	Yes		
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %		
Tracking Measures:	MeasureSubmitTraining Survey InstrumentYesTraining Survey Summary ReportYes		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted		
Activity 3-E-6	Focus Group		
Evaluation Activity:	Conduct consumer testing to assess the appropriateness and appeal of the		

content, logic, wording, design and/or takeaway message of education materials for target audience, including community members, policy makers and MUH residents. Use or adapt existing consumer testing instrument developed by the external evaluator in the previous grant cycle. Conduct a minimum of 1 focus group with 4-6 participants and document participant reactions to the material/ instrument. Analyze and summarize participant responses for common themes in order to make recommendations for material/instrument revisions. Share results with project personnel and use to improve materials/instruments; final summary report must be submitted to

MatTrack on TECCs website with material submissions.
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Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/27-06/27		
Data Collection Training:	No		
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.00 %		
Tracking Measures:	Measure	Subr	nit
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Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budg	get Type	
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Activity 3-E-4	Key Informant Interview	V	
	community and the decision makers (and/or their staff if unavailable) who have the power to enact policies, conduct interviews with key informants who can provide insights into their community and their own priorities. Develop or adapt key informant interview questions in consultation with the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center (TCEC), pilot test the question set, and revise as needed for field use. Conduct 6-8 telephone and/or in-person interviews with Grass Valley leaders (City staff, police chief, etc.) to determine effective approaches/tactics, identify points of view, anticipate facilitators and barriers to adopting a smoke-free MUH policy. Each interview will be approximately 30 minutes in length. Wave 2:Conduct 4-6 telephone and/or in-person interviews with Grass Valley M.U.H. Apartment owners or managers to determine effective approaches/tactics, identify points of view, anticipate facilitators and barriers to adopting a smoke-free MUH policy. Each interview will be approximately 30 minutes in length. Qualitative analysis of interview results will be used to summarize and report interview findings. Findings will be shared with data sources, city council members, coalition member sand tobacco program staff and used to inform future program efforts around education and policy adoption.		
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process		
Waves of Data Collection:			
Data Collection Period(s):			
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 07/22-12/22		
Begin/End Periods - Wave 2:			
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Program Deliverable Percentage:			
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Activity 3-E-1	Policy Record		
Evaluation Activity:	To inform TUPP staff about policy maker support/opposition, key issues raised by policy makers and staff, and other insights from public policy meetings about smoke-free MUH. Complete a comprehensive policy record review for each target jurisdiction. Policy record reviews should begin within the first six months during the period the project is engaged in the jurisdiction, updated regularly and submitted with each progress report through policy adoption. Signed policies will be submitted in the progress report after a final vote has occurred.		
Purpose of Data Collection:	Process		
Waves of Data Collection:	1		
Data Collection Period(s):			
Begin/End Periods - Wave 1:	01/22-06/22 to 01/27-06/27		
Data Collection Training:	No		
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	1		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit		
	Decision Maker Background Summary Yes Document Review Summary Yes Signed Policy Yes		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted External Evaluator Budgeted Project Director Budgeted		
Activity 3-E-2	Public Opinion Survey		
Evaluation Activity:	To improve TUPP staff understanding of community knowledge, attitudes, and perceptions regarding smoke-free MUH and second-hand smoke, a public intercept survey will be conducted with 200-250 Grass Valley community members. A convenience sample of the general public will be surveyed at various community locations, including multi-unit housing complexes, health fairs, food bank and libraries using a mobile device. The survey may also be distributed electronically through various county and community email list or social media platforms. The survey and protocol will be developed in consultation with the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center. This pre-survey will be conducted in 1 wave before policy adoption. Surveys will be conducted by TUPP staff and coalition members who will be trained and assessed for readiness, during a data collection training, to administer instrument protocols. Data will be analyzed using descriptive statistics and inferential statistics to document support/opposition to policy strategies, knowledge, awareness, beliefs, and demographic information provided by survey participants. Results will be shared with TUPP staff, data sources, and other stakeholders to inform next steps and improve interventions. Data collection training will be provided to 3-5 data collectors, who will be surveyed before and after the training to assess their preparedness.		
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Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.50 %		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit  PIS Instrument and Protocol Yes  PIS Summary Report Yes  Training Materials Yes		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  Adult Coalition Members Non-Budgeted  External Evaluator Budgeted  Intern Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted  Youth Coalition Non-Budgeted		
Activity 3-E-5	Final Evaluation Report		
Data Analysis Plan:	The Brief Evaluation Report (BER) will summarize findings from the public opinion poll, key informant interviews, and the media activity record. Public intercept surveys will be analyzed using frequencies and percentages to determine the level of public awareness around smoke-free MUH and support for a smoke-free MUH policy in Grass Valley. Content analysis of key informant interview notes will be used to identify common themes and draw conclusions about effective approaches/tactics, identify points of view and anticipate facilitators/barriers to adopting a smoke-free MUH policy. The media activity record will be analyzed via a content analysis of media products including but not limited to news releases, briefs, press conferences, pitch letters, stories, editorials, letters, etc. to measure the importance/public attention placed on the issue of selected objectives and the need to inform intervention strategies, campaign, and help guide local advocacy efforts.		
Methods to Disseminate Findings:	Fact Sheets Presentations Website		
Other Dissemination Methods:			
Study Limitations or Challenges:	The comfort level of individuals conducting electronic data collection efforts is an anticipated challenge to this overall study. There could be challenges with data collectors having enough familiarity and comfort with using the handheld devices and completing public opinion surveys correctly. In addition, equipment/technology failure or complications may limit successful data collection. Scheduling key informant interviews with local policy makers could also be a challenge because of communication issues and timing. Lastly, youth scheduling can be challenging for public intercept surveys, particularly during vacations periods or near the start/end of school. As a result, planning ahead, offering multiple scheduling options and using a variety of communication channels will be key for success.		
Copyright:	No		
Program Deliverable Percentage:	2.50 %		
Activity Start Date Period:	4		
Activity Completion Date Period:	01/27-06/27		
Tracking Measures:	Measure Submit Brief Evaluation Report Yes		
Responsible Parties:	Responsible Party Budget Type  External Evaluator Budgeted  Project Director Budgeted		

# **Narrative Summary**

Community Assessment This project will primarily address the following priority population(s) of focus: Analysis: Hispanic, low SES and rural populations. Low SES portions of the population tend to have higher rates of tobacco use and along with Hispanics, are also more likely to live in MUH complexes and potentially be exposed to secondhand smoke. Rural communities like Nevada County are also more likely to use tobacco products. This project will primarily work in the following geographical community: Grass Valley, with a population around 13,000, is the second most populated jurisdiction in the county. Grass Valley has a total of 2,447 multi-family units.

> The Nevada County Tobacco Prevention Program decided to work on smoke-free MUH in Grass Valley for a variety of reasons. Initially, staff anticipated working in Grass Valley for the End Commercial Tobacco objective; however, after in depth discussions with coalition members and public health department leaders about the current political climate in Grass Valley and recent policy adoption challenges, staff concluded that a flavor ban is far more likely to succeed in Nevada City. After exploring other options for the objective and discussions with CTCP, the Nevada County Tobacco Prevention Program returned to the idea of working on smoke-free MUH in Grass Valley in addition to Nevada City. Coalition members felt that there is a desire in the community to address smoke-free MUH in Grass Valley and that city leaders could be motivated to address the issue. Local data also demonstrates the need and support for a smoke-free MUH policy in Grass Valley. Survey data from three apartment complexes shows that at least 50% of residents have experienced drifting secondhand smoke at their apartment complex and the majority of residents support smoke-free policies.

> Also, in two previous work plans (2013/2014 and 2014/2017) the tobacco prevention program worked with individual apartment complexes to adopt voluntary smoke-free polices. There was strong interest in smoke-free policies among apartment owners/managers, as well as apartment residents. While the program was successful, 3 complexes adopted smokefree policies, coalition members and program staff felt that working on legislated policies at the city level is the logical next step because it will have a broader and more lasting impact in the community. The Tobacco Prevention Program shifted gears for the 2017-2021 work plan with the intention of returning to work around smoke-free MUH in the future.

> Because of previous work on this indicator, staff is highly knowledgeable about second-hand/third-hand smoke and smoke-free MUH policies. Additionally, efforts have already been made to raise awareness among apartment managers, apartment residents and the general public. In the 2017-2021 work plan, the Tobacco Prevention Program continued to receive calls from local apartment residents concerned about second hand smoke exposure and expressing their desire for smoke-free policies. Staff and coalition members recently worked with the Grass Valley Planning Commission and the developer of Dorsey Drive Marketplace, a multi-use MUH complex/marketplace being built in Grass Valley, to adopt a 100% smoke-free policy. TUPP staff anticipates that upcoming MUH developments in Grass Valley will be an opportunity for coalition members to introduce a legislated smoke-free MUH policy to Planning Commissioners and City Officials.

Major Intervention Activities: Intervention activities will focus on training and engaging coalition members around the issue of smoke-free MUH, raising public awareness and building community and local policy maker support. These activities will increase coalition capacity to address these issues, create momentum in the community and identify potential allies and champions for the proposed

policy. Strategic planning sessions will be conducted with youth and adult coalition members and the Midwest Academy Chart will be utilized in mapping out how to move policy work forward. This process will help TUPP to identify internal and external assets and ways in which capacity can be built to address the issue. TUPP staff and coalition members will conduct presentations with community organizations and MUH tenant groups and attend community events to raise awareness about the issue and work collaboratively with key partners for additional support. Representatives from community organizations, MUH residents and MUH owners/managers will be invited to participate in the coalition and demonstrate their support for a smoke-free MUH policy. TUPP will train coalition members to meet with City Council members and other key decision makers in the target jurisdiction to educate them about the benefits of smokefree MUH and identify champions for policy. Paid media will focus on raising broad community awareness about the issue of second-hand smoke in MUH and the benefits of smoke-free MUH policies. To further increase community and policy maker awareness, TUPP will develop print and electronic MUH educational materials that will be shared on the TUPP website and during community events, presentations and meetings with policy makers. TUPP staff will print and provide education materials in formats appropriate to the geographic area's population, including translation into Spanish when appropriate, accessible reading levels, etc. Additionally, staff will support policy makers by providing technical assistance (TA) to assist with drafting policy language and providing educational resources for adoption of a smoke-free MUH policy in Grass Valley.

Theory of Change: Initial work around this objective with focus on strategizing and raising awareness among coalition members about the smoke-free MUH, second/third-hand smoke and policy efforts to address the issue. This will build internal capacity and prepare coalition members to educate and mobilize the community and local policy makers to take action around the issues. Presentations to community organizations by coalition members and program staff will increase awareness around the issue, build support for smoke-free MUH policy efforts and help to identify potential community partners. Building partnerships with community partners will increase support and momentum in the community around smoke-free MUH, increasing the likelihood that local policy makers will see a demand for a smoke-free MUH policy and take action around the issue. Simultaneously, media efforts will begin to shift community awareness around smoke-free MUH. Coalition members will be trained to present to local policy makers about the benefits of smoke-free MUH policies and community partners will be asked to demonstrate their support for a smoke-free MUH policy. Process data collection activities, such as key informant interviews and public opinion polls conducted in the first year of the plan, will help the program gauge the level of understanding and support among community member and policy makers around smoke-free MUH. Insights gleaned from these activities will shape and inform program efforts, including community/decision maker education, media strategies, partner engagement and presentations to local decision makers. Overall, intervention and evaluation activities will work to raise awareness and build capacity to address smoke-free MUH, as well as prepare and empower coalition members and community partners to advocate for the adoption of a smoke-free MUH policy. Technical assistance provided by staff will ensure that local policy makers and other city staff feel supported throughout the policy adoption process.

Evaluation Summary Narrative: The plan type is legislated policy-adoption only. The Nevada County Tobacco Prevention Program will work in Grass Valley to adopt a policy eliminating smoking in MUH complexes with two or more units. The evaluation plan includes only process evaluation activities specific to the objective, which will help determine the level of awareness and support among community members and local policy makers and gauge the project's efforts towards

meeting the proposed objective. Data from process evaluation activities will be used to inform and guide program planning and implementation.

An electronic public opinion poll, developed in consultation with the Tobacco Control Evaluation Center (TCEC), will be administered to a convenience sample of 200-250 community members using a handheld device or online survey during year 1 of the workplan. Frequencies and percentages will be calculated to determine the level of public awareness around smoke-free MUH and support for a smoke-free MUH policy in Grass Valley. TUPP staff will also conduct Key Informant Interviews with 6-8 local policy makers in year 1 of the workplan; questions will be used to determine effective approaches/tactics, identify points of view, anticipate facilitators and barriers to adopting a smoke-free MUH policy. Staff will use the KII and survey results to inform and guide program planning and implementation, specifically community education activities and the development of talking points aimed at policy makers.

Throughout the grant period, staff will also maintain a media activity record and policy record form. The media activity record tool, developed by TCEC, will be used to inform staff and coalition members about opportunities to engage the community and understand how tobacco control is being portrayed in local media. The policy record form will be used to document and inform TUPP staff about policy maker support/opposition, key issues raised by policy makers and staff, and other insights from public policy meetings about smoke-free MUH.

A Brief Evaluation Report will be written at the end of the grant period. The report will summarize the process data collected and key activities conducted during the grant period, effectiveness of strategies used, and recommendations for developing future project interventions. The report will be written following guidelines developed by TCEC and submitted to the California Tobacco Control Program. The Brief Evaluation report and other process data summary reports will be disseminated to coalition members and public health leadership via email, fact sheets and presentations.