



Physical Activity Coalition of Manitoba

**General Membership Meeting
Victoria Inn Hotel & Conference Centre, Winnipeg
Minutes of February 26, 2015**

Attendees:

Jaymi Derrett, Manitoba CYO, Recreation & Regional Services Branch
Nicole Dunn, Health, Leisure & Human Performance Research Institute
Jim Evanchuk, ALCOA-MB
Ann Marie Hayek, Manitoba Health, Healthy Living & Seniors
Kristine Hayward, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority
Angela Hildebrand, YMCA-YWCA of Winnipeg
Cory Jackson, PACM
Stephanie Jeffrey, Manitoba Fitness Council
Michelle Meade, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority
Casie Nishi, Wellness Institute
Doris Mae Oulton, Alliance for the Prevention of Chronic Disease
Amanda Nash, Heart & Stroke Foundation
Sarah Prowse, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority
Lea Grzenda, Green Action Centre
Mel Marginet, Green Action Centre
Ken Grove, Manitoba Physiotherapy Association
Paul Paquin, Manitoba Education and Advanced Learning
Bohdanna Kinasevych, Health in Common

Cory Jackson, PACM Coordinator, welcomed Coalition members and supporters to the meeting and reviewed the agenda.

TASK GROUP REPORTS/UPDATES:

Connecting People to Physical Activity Opportunities Task Group

Michelle Meade and Stephanie Jeffrey (Co-Chairs) reported that the Task Group has met at least three times to review and update the Terms of Reference, conducted a visioning exercise and identified opportunities that will have the greatest reach and impact for organizations involved. This group is currently exploring the opportunity to support the development of a database that individuals can access (as work in this area has already started) to find appropriate and accessible physical activity programs in the community. Contact Manitoba already has the database infrastructure and could be the ideal partner to help move this proposed action forward.

Collaboration and Partnership Task Group

Doris Mae Oulton and Jim Evanchuk (Co-Chairs) reported that the Task Group has met to review and update the Terms of Reference and Work Plan. This group proposed actions include: researching best and promising practices related to innovative partnerships and establish networks to undertake advocacy activity to promote access and opportunities for healthy living with an emphasis on physical activity. They are also proposing to develop a 'Manitoba

