KINGS COUNTY NUTRITION ACTION PLAN MEETING NOTES

Tuesday, August 9, 2016 • 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm • Public Health, Winkler Room

- o Welcome – Darcy Pickens
- o Review of Program Questionnaire
    - o As there are no grants for this workgroup, we will utilize the resources that we have and begin working on that at next month's meeting.
- o Cal Fresh Outreach Program and Food Distributors
    - o Community Food Bank serves over 280,000 people each month in Fresno, Madera, Kings, Kern, and Tulare Counties through a variety of programs.
    - o Community Food Bank provides food to 200+ partner agencies including churches, community centers, and schools so they can feed the hungry in their neighborhood.
    - o There are currently 10 partner agencies in Kings County.
    - o The CalFresh Outreach Program assists low-income families and individuals in applying for additional food assistance.
    - o The Neighborhood Market Program is a farmers' market-style distribution which delivers fresh produce to destitute areas of Fresno, Madera, Kings, and Tulare Counties.
    - o The Mobile Pantry is a Farmers' market-style distribution, operated from a self-contained vehicle that can reach rural locations with ease.
- o Annual Diabesity Symposium
    - o The First Annual Diabesity Symposium will be held on October 4, 2016 from 9:30 am - 3:00 pm.
    - o Goal: To decrease diabetes and obesity in Kings County and create a healthy community through prevention, education and disease management.
    - o Vision: To unite community stakeholders to maximize impact in addressing challenges, encouraging commitment to change and broadening awareness of resources for healthy living.
- o CNAP Ideas and Discussion
    - o Discussion ensued about pursuing Pepsi to assist with the promotion of their water and healthier snacks in coordination with the Healthy Retail Program. It is allowable for individuals at this table to make contact with them without endorsing them. Rebecca will make the contact.
- o The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at 1:30pm at the Public Health Department