



Communities In Action

Richland County Quality of Life Strategic Plan

Bi-Annual Up-date - July 2018

Communities In Action (CIA) steering committee and associated action groups have impacted several community issues in the last 3 years. This Bi-annual report is the final report on the current strategic plan. CIA is in the process of completing a community health assessment (CHA) and a community health improvement plan(CHIP) referred to as the Richland County "Quality of Life" Strategic Plan for 2019 – 2021. This document is a summary of what was accomplished and is color coded to indicate the level of completion. Red means that the work was either not started or the approach was changed, yellow means that a project has been started but the measure has not been met, and green means that a project is complete or well on its way to completion. The only areas included in this summaries are areas that were addressed in some manner.

Please stay tuned for information on creating our new strategic plan (CHIP). We will be reviewing community assessment data and convene meetings to identify community issues we wish to address in the next three years. Community participation is essential and we welcome any in-put. You may contact Kali Godfrey at the health department at 433-2207 if you would like to actively participate in the process!

Summary of strategy Status

Health Behaviors

<i>Diet and Exercise (#1)</i>	Yellow	Green	
<i>Tobacco Use(#2)</i>	Green	Green	
<i>Alcohol and Drug Use (#3)</i>	Yellow	Green	
<i>Responsible Sexual Behavior (#4)</i>	Red	Red	
<i>Unintentional Injuries (#5)</i>	Yellow	Green	Red

Clinical Care

<i>Quality of Care (#6)</i>	Green
<i>Access to Care (#7)</i>	Green

Social and Economic Factors

<i>Education, Employment, and Income</i> (#8)	Yellow	Green
<i>Family and Social Supports</i> (#9)	Yellow	Green
<i>Community Safety</i> (#10)	Red	
<i>Community Engagement</i> (#11)	Yellow	Green

Physical Environment

<i>Environmental Quality</i> (#12)	Yellow
<i>Built Environment and Housing</i> (#13)	Yellow

Infrastructure

<i>Transportation</i> (#14)	Yellow
<i>Local Government and Public Health</i> (#15)	Yellow

Richland County will meet identified community needs by addressing the following issues.....

1) Addressing Health Behaviors related to Diet and Exercise

Strategy	Measure	Progress
A. Build a community center. Active Richland County	-Completion of a feasibility study and building plan -\$1 million dollars raised by 2019.	-Feasibility draft complete +4(ARC September 21, 2016) -2017 through 2018 No Activity for community center
B. Increase opportunities for people to be active in the county downtown areas. Active Richland County	-5 activities (way finding, downtown enhancement) to increase activity in the downtown areas by 2019 -2 additional sidewalks, walking paths, and/or bike paths	-Art Walk June 9-July 9, 2016 ongoing for summer 2017 (ARC) , ongoing for the summer 2018 (ARC) -Trail and Hike Subcommittee Created(ARC April 2017)

Strategy	Measure	Progress
<p>C. Address Higher cost of healthy eating 1-Work with local vendors to measure, adjust and market healthy alternative price points. 2-Partner with community groups to educate and market information. Nutrition Coalition</p>	<p>- 6 marketing efforts of healthy alternative price points at local establishments -6 educational meetings with community groups</p>	<p>2016 Healthy Snack Drive for B&G Club-March RCNC signage in local grocery stores-March 2017 Quarterly Food Demonstration at Reynolds Healthy Snack Drive for B&G Club-March 2018 Healthy Snack Drive for B&G Club-March</p>
<p>D. Teach healthy meal shopping and preparation. 1. Social cooking exhibits/classes 2. Presentations & talks with local groups 3. Focus on personal contribution & accountability 4. Share/educate the community through newspaper articles Nutrition Coalition; Lifelong Learning</p>	<p>-4 presentations per year (Quarterly) -100 person Attendance at social events & learning opportunities -12 articles/year</p>	<p>2016 Monthly articles in newspapers Active on Social Media, Facebook (50) & Pinterest (60) MOPS Nutrition Talk (27)-January Promo info at Lodge & Cancer Coalition Fundraisers (200)-April “Taste the World” Cooking Demo (20)-May 2017 Monthly articles in newspapers Active on Social Media, Facebook (72) & Pinterest (66) Low sugar info booth at Kid’s Carnival (75)-July Pinterest recipe cooking class with food service director (12)-May <i>Strategic initiatives:</i> Hometown Humanities, Healthy By Design (Billings) and Americorps member 2018 Monthly articles in newspapers Continued presence on FB & Pinterest RCNC partner with B&G club for 3 month long “Supermarket Sweep” activity teaching elementary aged students about MyPlate, nutrition labels, and healthy food creation (10)</p>
<p>E. Identify ways to market healthy options in local restaurants, stores & schools. Nutrition Coalition</p>	<p>-6 of Local restaurant menu options, grocery store selection and school lunch programs with healthy options</p>	<p>2016 Celebrate Nutrition Month March 2017 Current discussion with Reynolds on meal prep delivery & fresh to go options.-Ongoing Celebrate Nutrition Month March Quarterly meetings with restaurant & establishment owners/managers</p>

2) Addressing Health Behaviors related to Tobacco Use

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
<p>A. Promote tobacco prevention and QuitLine across community and in worksites. Cancer Coalition; Best Beginnings Coalition</p>	<p>-9 worksites promoting tobacco prevention and QuitLine -95 Calls to the QuitLine 2016-2019</p>	<p>2016 Richland County Health Department - Promotes tobacco prevention and the Quitline throughout the year. Richland County Smoking Policy was updated to include electronic cigarettes and all vaping devices, no matter the content. Small media campaigns on tobacco cessation. Reynolds Market in Sidney - Quit Line incentive program. Small media campaigns on tobacco cessation.</p> <p>2017 Richland County Health Department - Continues to promote tobacco prevention and the QuitLine. 2 RCHD employees that used the QuitLine and are currently tobacco free. Reynolds Market in Sidney - Smoking and tobacco policy is currently being updated. Worksite will add a 15 foot setback to their current Smoking and Tobacco policy. Small media campaigns on tobacco cessation. Glendive Medical Center - Tobacco Free Campus.</p> <p>FY 2016 45 QuitLine calls from Richland County</p> <p>FY 2017 53 QuitLine calls from Richland County</p> <p>FY 18 6 as of October 2017 Current total = 104</p>
<p>B. Support youth organizations and similar programs in Richland County Schools. Partnership for Promise</p>	<p>-9 outreach campaigns to support the youth organizations/events</p>	<p>2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Red Ribbon Week ● Kick Butts Day (March) ● Through with Chew ● Library Youth Tobacco Education ● 4-H Winter Carnival <p>2017</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Red Ribbon Week ● Kick Butts Day ● Through with Chew

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4-H Point of Sale Scavenger Hunt • 4th & 5th Grade Tobacco Prevention • “1200” Assembly • SHS FCCLA “Point of Sale • Compliance Checks SMART Moves with BGC. Active Parenting Teens. • Red Ribbon Week media about youth efforts in schools <p>2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Drug & Alcohol Week Facts (Morning Announcements SMS) • AmeriCorps Point of Sale Scavenger Hunt • 4-H Through with Chew Point of Sale • Kick Butts Day
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3) Addressing Health Behaviors related to Alcohol and Drug Use

Strategy	Measure	Progress
A. Reduce the number of alcohol-related crashes, death, and injuries through community education. Injury Prevention; DUI Task Force	-3 annual community events hosted through partner collaboration regarding substance abuse	3 Token projects are held each year. Holiday Token Project, Farview Festival, RCF&R,. Also ,2017 Safety Day, 44 people drove the DUI golf cart obstacle course and 45 played table games
B. Continue to support efforts to decrease DUI’s by supporting education for law enforcement and programs that encourage designated drivers or alternative transportation Injury Prevention; DUI Task Force	-1500 tokens distributed and 250 tokens used in 3 years (2016-2019) - Number of utilization of alternative and public transportation.	-As of 12.13.17, 2090 Tokens have been distributed in 6 events, from January 2016 with 417 riders -Richland County Transportation, Sidney Shuttle

Strategy	Measure	Progress
<p>C. Decrease the rate of drug and alcohol use in Eastern MT by implementing SAMHSA strategies. Partnership for Promise</p>	<p>-5 more partners are engaged in prevention efforts through Partnership for Promise -A prevention plan is created by Partnership for Promise</p>	<p>P4P (5/23/17): Partners engaged include: Checkers, Hi Line Home Program, Law Enforcement, MSU Extension Office, Mondak Heritage Center, Parent. -IP/DUITF working on implementing an SBIRT like program to catch addiction early. We also promote the use of drug drop boxes and distributed disposal bags. Also along with P4P and red ribbon week. A mobile incinerator is being purchased. P4P (10/01/17): Coalition created sub-committee for prevention planning to develop in Jan 18. Communications with school admins about upcoming MPNA survey in spring. Media campaign, public, social and at the schools, targeting adults to talk to kids and lock up alcohol at home TIU, LIU.</p>

5) Addressing Health Behaviors related to Unintentional Injury

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Increase seat belt use by instituting the Saved by the Belt program, events (Respect the Cage) and educational opportunities to youth and the general public.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 200 people in attendance at educational events - 100 people engaged through Saved by the Belt program 	<p>Saved by the Belt program has been discontinued.</p> <p>1/25/2017 Ag Safety Day in Lambert school (113 students) 6/17/17 - Safety Day in Sidney (89 people)</p>
B. Raise awareness about creating a home that is safe and decreases the potential for falls. Senior Health Coalition/RHN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -3 awareness campaigns -150 materials distributed 	
C. Decrease distracted driving by influencing city ordinances, public education and demonstrations of the impact of distracted driving Injury Prev./DUI Task Force	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -2 city ordinances enacted -3 public education sessions -6 demonstrations on the impact of distracted driving 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Safety Day in Sidney (89 people) 2) Ag Safety Days (113 people)
D. Partner across agencies to host community Car Seat Check events. Lifelong Learning/ injury Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -10 of car seat checks held 2016-2019 -75 Car seats checked/installed by a certified car seat technician 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -5 car seat events held FY 16 = 1 FY 17 = 4 FY 18 =0 -Car seats checked/installed FY 2016-2017=66 FY 2017-2018 as of March 31,2018 =43

6) Addressing Clinical Care related to Quality of Care in Chronic Disease

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Increase breast and cervical screenings by providing free screenings to Target Population. Cancer Coalition	-Provide 100 b/c screenings through state paid grants	<p>FY 2015-2016 (only counted 3rd and 4th quarter of FY) 25 women received breast and cervical screenings through the Montana Cancer Control Program.</p> <p>FY 2016-2017 33 women received breast and cervical screenings through the Montana Cancer Control Program.</p> <p>FY 2017-2018 To increase breast and cervical screening referrals from the provider offices, each provider office that is enrolled in the Montana Cancer Control Program received Breast Cancer Awareness ribbon cookies and information about the importance of routine breast and cervical cancer screenings. As of 5/2/18, 25 women have received breast and cervical screenings through the Montana Cancer Control Program.</p>
B. Increase awareness of mammogram importance by coordinating with Sidney Health Center to promote "Mammo-days". Cancer Coalition	-3 Events related to Mammo-Days	<p>2016 -Sidney Health Center increased awareness by promoting the mammography services in the local newspapers during Breast Cancer Awareness Month (October). Sidney Health Center provided information about breast health and the importance of routine mammograms. Sidney Health Center did a total of 125 mammograms during October. This is a yearly event.</p> <p>2017 -Sidney Health Center did their yearly Breast Cancer Awareness even in October. They did a total of 131 mammograms in October.</p> <p>Plans for 2018 -Sidney Health Center will continue to promote their mammography services in the local newspaper during Breast Cancer Awareness Month but they are also wanting to focus on other types of cancers that affect Richland County, such as lung and prostate cancer. - Sidney Health Center and the Richland County Health Department are hoping to team up and offer a free mammogram to women in Richland County during Breast Cancer Awareness Month (October 2018).</p>

<p>C. Increase FOBT Screenings by providing Free FOBT Kits to Target Population. Cancer Coalition</p>	<p>-80 FOBT Kits handed out in partnership with Esprit Health Clinic</p>	<p>**The Cancer Coalition did not partner with Esprit Health Clinic when distributing FIT/FOBT Kits to qualifying patients.</p> <p>2016 -20 FIT Kits were distributed at the Richland County Health Department Mass Flu Shot Clinic on 10/6/2016. Of those 20 FIT Kits, 12 were returned for testing. 0 came back positive.</p> <p>2017 -In coordination with 5 providers offices at Sidney Health Center, 15 FIT Kits were handed out between 2/20/17-4/20/17. Of those 15 FIT Kits, 5 were returned for testing. 0 came back positive. -25 FIT Kits were distributed at the Richland County Health Department Mass Flu Shot Clinic on 10/5/2017. In order to increase the returns of FIT Kits, 2 follow up calls were made to each participant that received a FIT Kit along with a letter explaining their results and what do to going forward. Of those 25 FIT Kits, 16 were returned for testing and 3 came back positive.</p> <p>2018 -In coordination with Sidney Health Center Cancer Care, 17 FIT Kits were distributed on March 16, 2018. Of those 17 FIT Kits, 15 were returned for testing, 4 came back positive.</p>
<p>D. Increase Colorectal Cancer Awareness through media and social media and the Colonoscopy Buddies Program at Sidney Health Center. Cancer Coalition</p>	<p>-4 of the 12 newspaper articles per year will be about colon health/cancer prevention</p>	<p>2017 -Article 'Colorectal Awareness Cancer Month recognized' was in the Roundup and Sidney Herald (March 7, 2017) -Article 'Colon cancer screening kits available' was in the Roundup and Sidney Herald (October 3, 2017)</p> <p>2018 - Article Men's Health Screening To Take Place In March' was in the Roundup (March 7, 2018) and Facebook (March 5, 2018).</p>

7) Addressing Clinical Care issues related to Access to Care

Strategy	Measure/Evaluation	Progress with Dates
<p>A. Create a resilient county by completing a table-top exercise that assesses the current process of addressing mental/behavioral/stress crisis/issues and identify gaps.</p> <p>Mental Health LAC</p>	<p>Successful integration of behavioral health into primary care.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A gap analysis 2. A plan to address emotional issues created by life transitions 	<p>The "Connection Resources for Emotional Wellness" is a table top and it is tentatively planned for September 28, 2017. Facilitators have been identified and we are in the process of preparing a grant proposal for funding. (LAC, 3/2/17). Submitted a grant to MHCF for \$25,000.(7/11/17) We received funding (7/25/17) SHC worked with the National Council on Behavioral Health: a community partner meeting was held and SHC now screens a certain population of patients on a regular basis (LAC, 3/2/17) The tabletop exercise was completed October 26,2017. There were 3 - 4 priorities identified:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordinated trainings with focus on: MHFA; QPR;ACEs;SBIRT • Create an Emotional Wellness Campaign/resilient community • Create a system of "No Wrong" door to respond to emotional wellness issues • Use peers/volunteers to assist with emotional wellness support. <p>A strategic planning session is planned for April 2018. A gap analysis was completed using the Surgeon General's strategy for emotional and mental health. Resource manual was updated and a resource card was developed to distribute in April 2018.A toolbox for this process will be completed by June 2018.(LAC 3/31/18)</p>
<p>B. Maintain a relationship with area healthcare providers. Mental Health LAC</p>	<p>A complete chronic disease plan developed by Richland Health Network.</p>	<p>An assessment was completed and a new Chronic Disease Action Group will be formed in FY 17/18 (LAC, 3/2/17) Chronic Disease coalition not yet developed but looking at a "Age-friendly Cities and Counties" as a project to guide the new coalition.(7/11/17) A Chronic Disease Prevention action group planning meeting is set for 4/9/18 (LAC 3/31/18)</p>
<p>C. Improve access to healthcare programs through a community directory and health fairs. Mental</p>	<p>-Implementation of a current and continuously updated community</p>	<p>A resource guide was up-dated. The resources identified at the CREW project will be gathered in used to up-date the resource</p>

Health LAC; Lifelong Learning	directory of healthcare resources. -3 Health Fairs held 2016-2019	manual further. (LAC, 3/2/17) Manual has been up-dated(7/11/17) A resource manual was updated and disseminated 3/15/18. A mental health resource card was created and will be disseminated by 4/30/18. 1 health fair was held specifically for men at the cancer center and 30 men attended. All were tested for colon, rectal and prostate cancer. (Chronic Disease Action Group 3/31/18). 1 health fair offered in 2016 with SHC, RCHD and other partners present and held at the extension office.
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8) Addressing Social and Economic Factors related to Education, Employment and Income

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Expand early childhood education in Richland County by supporting preschools and parents of young children. Best Beginnings Coalition ; Lifelong Learning	-15 preschools and licensed daycares in Richland County. -36 early literacy “checkouts” by childcare/preschool providers at the Richland County Library -Measure of Shoutbomb use. (Library)	8 Preschools including Boys&Girls Club 9 Licensed day cares Best Beginnings/P4P (5/23/17): Provided 6 early education backpacks to Richland Co. Library. 494 to date Backpack literacy checkouts at the Richland County Library to Daycares and Parents (5/23/17) Texting service to remind patrons to return or renew books . Utilized about 10% of Patroins
B. Continue to support and expand county wide annual Developmental Screenings for children birth to age 5. Best Beginnings Coalition	-The number of children screened annually increased by 15% over a three year period.	FY 2016 279 total children screened FY 2017 107 total children screened Part as Teachers (PAT) also include preschool screenings

9) Addressing Social and Economic Issues related to Family and Social Support

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
<p>A. Educate community on Mental Health issues and ways to address mental health problems. Partnership for Promise; Mental Health LAC</p>	<p>- 3 Mental Health First Aid Trainings, 3 Adverse Childhood Experiences Trainings, 9 QPR Trainings held</p>	<p>There were 2 MHFA classes held; one ACES training. We are training 3 QPR trainers; extension trained 1 YAM trainer and Best Beginnings and partners are training 10 ACEs trainers. (LAC, 3/2/17) P4P/Best Beginnings (5/23/17): Hosted an Informed Trauma and Adverse Childhood Experiences training in April 2017. How many were trained? P4P/Best Beginnings (12/07/17) In 2016, 37 people were trained for ACES, 2017, 18 trained in Trauma Informed Training. The SHINE group was established and ran two successful events. This group is also working on developing suicide support groups. SHINE would like to work with the schools more in the future. (LAC, 3/2/17) This should be under LAC; they continue to be on the agenda but no up-dates however there is a group putting on an "Out of the Darkness" walk in September. (4/2018) 1 MHFA training provided; regular QPR classes (1 per month) being provided by County Extension, 1 ACEs presenter meeting held (7-30-18)</p>
<p>C. Continue to support the creation of a Crisis Center in eastern Montana Mental Health LAC</p>	<p>-An identified location. -\$100,000 raised to assist with a Mental Health Crisis Center.</p>	<p>3 LAC members participated in an eastern Montana regional meeting and 2 members will attend a Substance Use Listening session in Billings(7/11/17) LAC is supporting regional work. Starting with a partners meeting in Glendive on January 30th. This will be a regional plan to address crisis and jail diversion - 1 grant and HB33 funds were secured for this process. GMC is also planning to open 3 crisis beds. Our funding goal was met. (LAC, 3/2/17)</p>

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
D. Promote current support groups and create new ones as needed. Mental Health LAC; Faith Based Organizations	-4 support groups functioning in Richland County.	SHINE group members attended trainings for suicide prevention support groups. No numbers on the groups formed(7/11/17) The group will do 2 suicide awareness activities in September (7/11/17)
E. Improve access to social supports and resources through implementation of a current and continuously updated community directory of support resources. Partnership for Promise; Senior Coalition; Faith Based Organizations	-500 Resource Manuals shared/accessed	P4P (5/23/17): Updated the resource manual through Sidney Job Service. Distributed 10 through Chamber leadership class, 4 through District II. P4P (12/01/17): Distributed 15 resource manuals through DII. LAC: Created a resource card and 500 distributed at this time (7/30/18)

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
B. Continue working on an active Ministerial Association with a wider representation of churches and ministers Faith Based Organizations	-20 faith-based organizations participate in the faith based action group on a regular basis. -10 organizations registered with Love Inc.	Faith-based members involved in the steering committee and LAC. Increased faith-based involvement in LAC by 2 members.(6/1/18)

11) Addressing Social and Economic Issues related to Community Engagement

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Increase the number of active CIA Action Groups and the number of members in each action group. ALL COALITIONS	-12 Active CIA Action Groups by 2019. -80 Members serving Richland County through the CIA Action Groups by 2019. -100% of all Action Groups will include members of the target population.	LAC created a mailing list to invite up to 50 new organizations to the table top in September 2017(7/11/17) 10 Active Action Groups (7/13/17) ARC gained 2 new members on 12.13.17 Chronic Disease Coalition started 04/2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Action Group number = 11

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
B. Build the capacity of partners, community organization and agencies to utilize volunteers of all ages to impact community issues in a positive way ALL COALITIONS	-CIA is formally working with RSVP to track volunteer work through committees and projects. -Love, Inc is tracking volunteer hours.	LAC created a mailing list to invite up to 50 new organizations to the table top in September 2017(7/11/17)
C. Provide information to the public regarding the impact of volunteers ALL COALITIONS	-12 Newspaper articles shared per year -300 Facebook likes on the CIA Facebook page	-Earth Day was put on Facebook (ARC 4-19-17) P4P/Best Beginnings (5/23/17): Monthly articles to the newspapers.

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
D. Partner across agencies in Richland County to assess quality of life in Richland County through a Community Wide Assessment. ALL COALITIONS	-Community wide assessment completed in 2018.	The CREW project will constitute and assessment of resources related to emotional health. (LAC, 3/2/17)

12) Addressing Physical Environment factors related to Environmental Quality

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Engage partners in addressing environmental health issues. Natural Resources	-An updated PACE-EH (or similar) assessment has been conducted and the data gathered will be used in the next Richland County Strategic Plan.	-AmeriCorps Member will help starting in May 2018 and ongoing through August 2019

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
B. Support the LYIP (Lower Yellowstone Irrigation Project) and the intake diversion dam. Coordinate among jurisdictions regarding developments on the urban fringes to protect water resources and mitigate impacts. Natural Resources	-The Natural Resources Action Group is meeting at least bi-yearly to address community issues related to environmental quality.	-On 01-13-2017 had a new member meeting with all multiple jurisdictions concerned with recreation development. Will be pursuing grant opportunities for trail development and improvement .
C. Support recycling procedures currently in place and create new procedures, if needed. Natural Resources	Ongoing success of recycling programs in Richland County.	Ewaste ongoing (ARC)

13) Addressing Physical Environment factors related to “Built Environment” and Housing

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
C. Adopt policies such as complete streets. <i>Active Richland County</i>	Complete streets and similar policies adopted by the county.	-AmeriCorp Members will help with this starting May 2018 and ongoing through August 2019
D. Create and present a powerpoint on why Built Environment is important for a community. <i>Active Richland County</i>	2 Presentations on importance of built environment by 2019	-AmeriCorp Members will help with this starting May 2018 and ongoing through August 2019

14) Addressing Infrastructure needs related to Transportation

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Fundraise and increase more sidewalks, walking paths and bike paths. <i>Active Richland County</i>	-A county resolution for Complete Streets in place by 2019. -A complete street ordinance in Sidney by 2019.	-Trail and Hike Subcommittee (ARC April 2017). -City of Sidney is coordinating with DOT to replace walking canal bridge on West Holly by fairgrounds (assume project completed by end of 2018) -Looking at grant opportunities for 2019

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
B. Prepare and engage the policy makers and public in addressing multi-modal methods of transportation in the next transportation plan as part of the growth policy. Active Richland County	-An advocacy plan is developed and 50% implemented by 2019.	-AmeriCorps Member will help with this starting May 2018 and ongoing through August 2019

15) Addressing Infrastructure needs related to Local Government and Public Health

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
A. Richland County Health Department will better serve the county by achieving PHAB accreditation.	RCHD achieves and maintains accreditation.	
B. Implement an AmeriCorps State Volunteer Program through Communities in Action. ALL COALITIONS	-16 AmeriCorps Members working with Communities in Action by 2019.	CIA Corps has 4 current members. 15 by September 2018

Strategy	Measure	Progress with Dates
C. Engage Richland County commissioners and local policymakers. ALL COALITIONS	-5 County Policies recommended by CIA And enacted by 2019.	A county commissioner attends most of our meetings. We also leveraged funds from several LAC partners to pursue training's. (LAC, 3/2/17) P4P/Best Beginnings (5/23/17): Proposed that no county buildings can have e-cigarettes used on their premises.