

# Lane County Problem Gambling Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda: January 9, 2007



- ⇒ News/Announcements (5 min.)
- ⇒ New year: Goals & objectives of this group, member involvement & expectations
- ⇒ Problem gambling prevention revised implementation plan presentation & review
- ⇒ Oregon Problem Gambling Awareness Week | Mar. 5 - 11
  - Planning local activities, public awareness components
- ⇒ Upcoming conferences of interest to this committee
  - Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America Conference (Washington, D.C.)
  - Statewide problem gambling conference | Feb. 28 – Mar. 1 (Eugene)
    - Committee members invited by state office of Problem Gambling Services to present at conference on recent policy work.
    - Youth gambling video – official unveiling; local students to attend
  - Substance Abuse and Brain Development Conference | March 22-24 (Eugene)  
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## Next Meeting:

Tuesday, March 6 from 3:00 - 5:00pm at Perugino in Eugene.

### *Lane County Problem Gambling Prevention Program*

*To reduce the negative effects of gambling in Lane County communities through coordinating effective prevention strategies.*

#### **Goals:**

1. Increase community awareness about the effects of problem gambling, and promote awareness that problem gambling is a preventable and treatable public health problem.
2. Reduce gambling behavior among youth by addressing the risk factors that may increase the risk of problem gambling and promoting the protective factors that may minimize the

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risk of problem gambling.

3. Build and maintain partnerships of individuals, agencies, and community groups to help support community approach to problem gambling prevention.