

State Agency	Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse  • <u>SW0135</u>
Scope of Work	Marketing Campaign Development and Execution for Youth Vape and Marijuana Prevention Campaign, including:  Research Platform & creative development Go-to-market plan development Asset development & public affairs services Paid media production and placement
Date Awarded	July 2022
Term of work	07/01/2022-07/31/2022
Fee Revenue*	\$187,500.01
Contract Amount**	\$187,500.01

<sup>\*</sup>Fee Revenue is the amount paid to Saxum for services rendered. Saxum pays a 1% fee on all state work to OMES quarterly.

## **MEANINGFUL & MEASURABLE IMPACT**

## Shifted community perceptions and promoted healthy behaviors:

- Raised awareness about the negative impact of substance usage on mental health among teenagers
- Helped change the narrative by highlighting how usage exacerbates mental health issues rather than providing relief
- Encouraged teens to reconsider their choices through positive reinforcement, leading to a decrease in both vaping and recreational marijuana usage

## Increased awareness of community resources and supported engagement:

- Armed participating schools and districts across the state with information and resources they needed to successfully launch and facilitate the Own Your Power campaign on their school campuses
- Promoted an environment of engagement and solutions by providing viable alternatives for improving mental health
- Connected teens with resources and strategies that genuinely support mental well-being and overall health
- Empowered young individuals to make informed decisions and prioritize their mental health, resulting in reduced instances of substance use

## • Leveraged community leaders and organizations to support the work:

Activated influential figures in a teen's life, such as parents, teachers, coaches and

<sup>\*\*</sup>Contract Amount includes pass-through costs such as media buys, sponsorships, etc.

- school staff, to play a crucial role in guiding teens towards healthier choices
- Leveraged the support of influential individuals to enhance the effectiveness of anti-substance use messaging
- Created a supportive network around teens, fostering an environment where healthy decisions are encouraged and reinforced

**Questions or Comments:** Please reach out directly to <u>contracts@saxum.com</u> with any questions.