

**LEADERSHIP**

**Phillip Cosby, State Director** - Prior to founding AFA-KSMO, Phillip was the National Coalition Regional Director for five years and founder of Operation Prairie Wind in 2003. All these missions were directed towards the issue of sexual purity and the dangers of pornography. Phillip has shown leadership in activating and empowering multiple communities in Kansas to address the harmful secondary effects associated with sexually oriented businesses (SOBs). He has called for Grand Jury investigations, indictments, criminal obscenity trials and passage of SOB zoning ordinances, passing state wide legislative actions. He continues to successfully introduce bills and testify before the Kansas legislature in support of bills aimed at creating laws to protect families and confront the dangers of pornography and obscenity. Phillip served honorably in the United States Army for twenty-two years before retiring in October 2003.



**Mission, Values, and Strategy**



**Mission:** *EQUIPING* Families and Communities,  
*PROMOTING* Decency and Biblical Sexuality,  
*STANDING* Against a Sexualized Culture.

**Values:**

- ◆ Promoting sexual integrity and confronting the pornification of our culture in all venues, secular and sacred.
- ◆ To guide and encourage Christians to live-out the holy identity that is theirs.

**Strategy:** Engaging with like minded persons, Integrating strategies, and Strengthening the five God breathed institutions of:

- ◆ Traditional Marriage
- ◆ Family
- ◆ Commerce
- ◆ Good Government
- ◆ The Church



**Vision**



**501(c)(3) - Education:**

- Build ongoing relationships with churches and schools in Kansas and Missouri with speaking engagements for parents, educators, Pastors and Priest, and youth at meetings, trainings and purity conferences on and about sexual purity and creating a climate to bring about cultural change.
- Provide a bi-weekly e-newsletter to inform and educate supporters.
- Support the expansion of existing ministries that provide **men’s and women’s accountability and recovery groups** for those struggling with sexual addictions and **support groups** for spouses.

**501(c)(4) - Community Action:**

- Help churches assert their role in the community with strategies to influence the culture.
- Continue partnering with the Kansas City Task Force to fight **Sex Trafficking** and raise awareness of the connection of pornography as the catalyst that drives fantasy driven criminal behavior.
- Work to strengthen laws dealing with the obscenity, sex trafficking and the regulation of Sexually Oriented Businesses.
- Encourage the enforcement of obscenity laws and the regulation of Sexually Oriented Businesses.
- Expose the any policies of the **American Library Association** that are in opposition to any state-wide CIPA legislation and policies that do not allow parents to know what their children have looked at or read in libraries.



**Funding**



- Operating Budget: \$205,000 Annual (approx. \$17,000/month)
- Currently privately funded through donations of foundations, churches, and individuals – largest portion being annual gifts from individuals.
- Budget forecasted to remain essentially unchanged through end of year 2014.

- Ministry expansion included a new office suite and the addition of a dedicated full time staff person for communications & development.
- Met with law enforcement in Kansas City, MO regarding enforcement of the Community Defense Act and celebrated the Missouri Supreme Court upholding the law.
- Provided educational presentations through quarterly luncheons with 80+ businessmen.
- Provided presentations to the 600 educators in the Kansas City/St. Joseph's Diocese, 375 college students at Benedictine and 50 parents of students at St. James Academy & Padre Pio Academy.
- Met individually with Pastors across the state of Kansas to discuss their role of influence in addressing the sexualization of our culture.
- Spoke at
- Partnered with MidAmerica Nazarene University in a Lunch & Learn to 85 professionals, pastors, & lay ministry leaders with an overview of their Sexual Addictions Treatment Provider Certification they offer.
- Worked with a church to produce a CD of Phillip's message for distribution.
- Developed Social Media Strategy to disseminate education & information to the community.
- Overland Park Arboretum "sexting" Statue:
  - Supported Joanne Hughes, in gathering 4,700 signatures for a Grand Jury Petition
  - Received letter of support in removing the statue from Archbishop Naumann to Jo. Co. parishes.
  - Raised media attention to the effort, with radio & television interviews and letters to the editor.
  - Organized & coordinated the legal response to address the issue of the "sexting" statue to the Grand Jury.
    - Hired an attorney to work through the legalities and all the possible strategies
    - Interviewed possible witnesses
    - Provided meeting space & luncheon for the team during preparation of the case.
- Supported community actions in Salina in response to the Gender Identity Equal Rights Protection Act.
- Distributed a "Candidate Questionnaire" to all individuals running for the Senate or House in Kansas in November 2012 and compiled their responses, providing this information to our supporters through our e-news & website.
- Hosted an educational luncheon for the newly elected Kansas Senators and Representatives from districts surrounding the Kansas City metro area.
- Developed 4 strategic goals to accomplish in the 2013-2014 KS Legislative Session:
  - **"Community Defense Act" (CDA) Statewide Sexually Oriented Business (SOB) statute that enacts constitutional "time and manner" restrictions on SOBs as defined in KS Statute i.e....distance between dancers and patrons, lighting, elimination of private booths, elimination of alcohol at SOBs, total nude ban and midnight to six am closing of operations.**
  - **"Children's Internet Protection Act of Kansas" (CIPA-KS) Requiring Internet filters on Kansas public libraries and schools that mirror the 2000 Federal Child Internet Protection Act (CIPA) intended on protecting minors from obscene or harmful materials? Upheld as constitutional by the SCOTUS in 2003.**
  - **"Sexually Explicit Materials Reporting Act" Requires Kansas law enforcement to report evidence of pornographic materials and media during the investigation of sexual crimes, linking cause and effects.**
  - **"Citizens Grand Jury by Petition Empowerment Act" A free and independent court for a free and independent people. The Grand Jury system is pre colonial and enshrined in the U.S. constitution. In Kansas the process is statutory. The Kansas verbiage framing the Citizens Grand Jury (CGJ) by petition in K.S.A. 22-3001 through 22-3014 is too easily influenced by power, rendering the Kansas CGJ tool ineffective and disenfranchised as a truly independent, investigative / accusatory citizens remedy. Components that need attention to improve the KS CGJ system are \* Fully instruct, empower and insulate the CGJ \* Judge Assignment / Challenge \* Jury Selection Process \* Citizen Access to Deliver Testimony and Evidence \* Petition Sponsor Has Standing and Involved \* Independent Legal Counsel Selection \* Indictments Acted Upon**
- Raised \$59,365 to meet the \$50,000 end of the year match challenge from an anonymous donor.



- Worked with conference organizers to participate in 13th annual Men of Valor/Women of Virtue/Youth for Truth Conference, hosted the Speaker's Reception (for men & women attending the joint session) on Saturday night, provided exhibits at both conference locations and presented in a break out session at Men of Valor.
- Worked with Legislators to accomplish our goals for the 2013 KS Legislative Session. The bills that passed this session did so with either a *super majority* or *unanimous bipartisan support*.
  - Changes to the statue for the **Citizen's Grand Jury** found resounding favor with both the House & Senate. The law now guards the process to keep with the intentions of providing the people a tool to hold the powers of government in check.
  - **CIPA** was signed into law and public computers with internet access in schools & libraries across Kansas will have filters installed to protect children from the harms of unintended exposure to porn.
  - The "**Sexually Explicit Materials Reporting Act**," the first of its kind in any State, is a tremendous victory. It will provide valuable data to corroborate the cause/effect of pornography and sexual crimes.
  - We did not find success this session with the **Community Defense Act**. However, we gained great insights into the collective mind of this legislature and will return next session to finish the work we started.
- Dialogue has continued with the KCMO Police Department regarding enforcement of the Community Defense Act in Missouri and ways the existing laws can be improved.
- Joined the iDonate network to participate in the strategic movement to capture, through donation, smaller non-cash assets and translate the proceeds into cash for operations.
- Made improvements to our website, adding resources for Parents
- Researched and updated resource list (counselors & groups within the Christian community) for individuals & families facing porn & sexual addiction. Provided to the public on our website.