KEEPING OUR
COMMUNITY Safe
COMMUNITY REPORT
2017-2018
MAKING AN IMPACT

Our Highlights

Students Educated

55,723
K, 2nd, 4th grade

Car Seats

2601
Inspected by Safe Kids

Corporate Cobb

4,655
Residents trained

The Cobb County Safety Village has become an exemplary training facility for many safety professionals across the country, giving more than 80 tours and helping over 168 public safety educators to develop their own interactive injury prevention education campus. We hosted our second International Safety Village Conference in May 2018 with 19 participants from US and Canada.

38% less dog bites for 18 and younger reported in 2018 vs. 2016 since our Bite Prevention program was implemented

More highlights...

- 518 smoke alarms distributed
- 80+ events hosted annually
- 538 scouts safety programs provided
- 287 special needs students educated

GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

Nurdan Cornelius, President
Al Martin, Vice President
Jennifer Johnson-Lynch, Secretary
Frank Moore, Treasurer
Jason Saliba, Immediate Past President
Sam Heaton, Dir. Public Safety

EX-OFFICE MEMBER

Allison Carter, Safety Village Director
Lauren Bruce, County Attorney’s Office
Lisa Grisham, Safe Kids Cobb County Co-Coordinator
Lee Mathews, Safety Village Lieutenant
Melissa Chan-Leiba, Safety Kids Cobb County Co-Coordinator
Mike Register, Police Chief, Cobb County Police Department
Randy Crider, Fire Chief, Cobb County Fire and Emergency Services
Robert Quigley, Dir. of Communications, Cobb County Sheriff’s Office
Ross Cavitt, Communications Director, Cobb County Government

BOARD MEMBERS

Brent Brown
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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As of Sept. 2018

Current Assets:
Cash $478,556.79
Reserve $146,572.21
Certificate of deposit $202,819.38
Total Assets $827,948.38

Net Assets:
Unrestricted $544,448.38
Temporarily restricted $283,500
Total Net Assets $827,948.38

*Numbers reported above are estimates as of Sept 2018, awaiting final audited financials

OUR Vision

Our vision is a sustainable Cobb County Safety Village that builds a safer community through advocacy and education.

Education is the key to reducing risk and protecting the community at the Cobb County Safety Village. Through cutting-edge design and replicas of familiar community attractions, the comprehensive training facility makes learning about injury prevention interactive and fun.

Sparky’s Asthma-Friendly Apartment at Cobb County Safety Village

Cobb & Douglas Public Health (CDPH) helped sponsor Sparky’s home with the requirement that it meet specific asthma-friendly standards. Asthma is the most common chronic disease impacting children. It is also a leading cause of missed school days.

To keep the asthma-friendly message alive and prominent, CDPH recently provided the Cobb County Safety Village Foundation, Inc. with a trophy to display in Sparky’s home. Trophy to display in Sparky’s home along with educational materials and recognition through state public health networks.
THANK YOU
2017-2018
Supporters

- Atkins
- Boy Scouts of America
- Atlanta Area Council
- Cobb County School District
- Cobb EMC Community Foundation
- Croy Engineering
- Ed Voyles Automotive
- Cobb County Friendship Club
- GLOCK
- Henssler Financial
- Marietta City Schools
- Marietta Wrecker Services
- Commissioner Bob Weatherford
- Safe Kids Cobb County
- WellStar

For more information or to become involved
• Visit our website www.cobbcounty.org/safetyvillage
• Or contact Allison Carter at Allison.Carter@cobbcounty.org