

Panhandle Communities United For CHANGE

Change Starts With You

Know the facts about the social host law

Change happens when you no longer accept the norm:

"At least the kids are drinking in my home where it is safe, rather than drinking and driving."

Change happens when you understand the law:

Social hosting is allowing or turning a blind-eye to minors in your home or on your property to consume alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage. Underage drinking is harmful no matter where it happens.

Change happens when you know the consequences:

Under Nebraska law, adults who host an underage drinking party, or provide or sell alcohol to a minor, can be held liable if the intoxicated minor injuries or kills an innocent third party. It's true. You could lose your car, your home, your business.

You could also spend up to a year in jail; receive a \$1000 fine or both if you provide alcohol to a minor. It's already happened to people right here in Nebraska.

Change starts with you. Take the Change pledge.

- I will NOT allow alcohol-related parties or gatherings in my home with minors present.
- I will NOT serve, nor will I allow the use of, alcohol by anyone under the legal drinking age while they are in my home or under my supervision.
- I will NOT allow the use of illegal drugs by anyone while they are in my home or under my supervision.
- I WILL welcome calls for verification of any event or gathering at my home.