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Homeless Services Consortium Membership Meeting

Tuesday June 20, 2023 1:00pm – 2:30pm Via Zoom Meeting ID: 891 9051 1180 Password: 351873 Phone Option (877)853-5257

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- Welcome Francesca Atkinson & Dana Stokes
- **Description** Updates from HSC Board & Committees

Committee Meetings - Visit the Event Calendar for the most up to date info

- **Governance and Nominating Committee** 1st Tuesday of the month, 2:30pm-4:00pm
- Committee to End Youth Homelessness Not currently meeting
- Written Standards Workgroup 3rd Thursday of the month, 1:00pm-3:00pm
 - o Looking at written standards to see what needs to be updated. Brings it to Board
 - o Updated RRH standards in the last meeting. Ran out of time in the last Board Meeting.
 - Last meeting talked about more clarification that is needed for transferring programs.
 looking at outreach standards.
- B HSC Board of Directors 1st Wednesday of the month, 1:00pm-3:00pm
 - o Lived Experience and At Large Seat vacancies, open to nominees.
 - o Approved the collaborative applicant.
 - o Made a decision about ESNAPS being mandatory for the application. Board meeting will review if they are mandatory
 - o Made a decision about re-allocation for Coc Funding grants.
 - o Meeting with United Way concerning fiscal sponsor. Making a decision on who will be handling our finances in the future.
- Doubled Up Work Group 4th Tuesday of the month, 3:00pm-4:30pm
 - o June's meeting is pending, watch for updates.
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committee. Some members had trouble getting into the meeting.

o Working on planning for homeless awareness month. Welcoming volunteers to assist with planning.

Funders Committee – 1st Tuesday of the month, 10:30am-11:30am

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 Took a look at the funding matrix- had to complete a few updates. Can find the updates on the HSC website for funding opportunities.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1R-Q536fr8tL2v09hWqmbBttgyOiyoRRkftaaZ8RH 84g/edit#gid=0

- o Looking to get surveys out about the fundraising within the next couple of months to get feedback before Fall of this year.
- o Having conversations about programs that are ending
- o https://www.danecountyhomeless.org/fundingopportunities
- Shelter Providers Committee 1st Wednesday every 2 months, 9:00-10:30am
 - o Last met in June. Went through covid transition update. Reviewed impact on the impact of the IQC closure- no significant impact.
 - o Committee looked at different challenges providers are experiencing. Spoke about mental health and AODA resources.
- Dutreach Committee- 1st Monday of the month, 12:00-1:30pm
 - o Reviewed Coordinated Entry and Outreach Data.
 - Had a follow up from the previous month's meeting. Discussed increase of families experiencing unsheltered homelessness - staying in cars/streets. Salvation Army shelter staff came to discuss waitlist and referral process for family shelter.
 - o Discussed needs of services specifically senior adults.

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Core Committee –

1st Thursday of the month,

1:00pm-3:00pm

o Discussions

led by Takisha Jordan and Madison Street Medicine on criminalization of homelessness: The ilmpact of municipal tickets on finding housing, the importance of providers developing relationships with law enforcement to reduce criminalization, and City Ordinances that describe characteristics of people experiencing homelessness.

o Discussed numbers of people who get ticketed for violating such ordinances and comparing it to individuals providers service in Madison.

Education and Advocacy Committee - 2nd Wednesday of the month, 11:00am-Noon

- Casey Becker from Dane County joined and talked about the county's investment in
 Affordable housing building. Discussed how to overcome barriers that folks are experiencing
- o Advocated for new program ideas to increase the amount of folks that get into housing.
- Any would who would like an invitation for this committee can reach out to the HSC email or Marjorie from CFC directly <u>mlewis@catalystforchangeinc.org</u>.
- o Committee also has a work group on the 4th Wednesday that works specifically on advocacy for city, county, and state budget.
- Community Plan Committee bimonthly on the 2nd Friday of the month, 9:30am-10:30am
 - o HomeBase facilitating the meeting. Discussed Talkelostics about next week's retreat and high-level planning exercise.
 - o Discussed racial equity and community impact.
- City County Homeless Issues Committee 1st Monday of the month, 5:30pm
 - The last meeting was the Budget Listening session. The committee wanted to hear from people about what could be advocated about City/County Level. 1 person from the doubled up workgroup was able to join and speak, another person was able to submit a letter, which was reviewed.
 - o City's presentation regarding new men's shelter development update.
- Youth Action Board weekly on Sunday at 11:00am

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Lived Experience

Council - Last

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month, 1-2:30pm

o Looking for

more support with funding to continue the council.

- https://www.flipcause.com/secure/cause_pdetails/MTc5ODkz
- **LEC is fiscally sponsored by the Center for Community Stewardship, a Madison-based 501c(3), which allows your donation to be tax exempt.

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