

Community Plan Oversight Committee Agenda

September 15, 2023

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Meeting ID: 896 5825 3886 669 444 9171

Attendance

Committee Members

- Linda Ketcham
- Marilyn Feil
- Kelsey Johnson
- Sarah Lim
- Michelle Hemp
- Angela Jones
- Aurey
- Bonnie Margulis
- Butch Andreas
- Johneisha Prescott
- Kristina Dux
- Meshan R. Adams
- Patrick Duffie
- Torrie Kopp Mueller
- Brandi's Otter Pilot
- Alicia Spry
- Brenda Konkel
- Takisha Jordan
- Jani Koester
- Yanette Figueroa Cole
- Deja Mays

Homebase: Esther Wilch, Karen Kowal, Kenya Rawls, Mihir Vohra



Agenda for 9/15 with Notes:

1. Group norms

a. There was a question about what the expectations are for response time to emails, and the committee discussed being mindful, accommodating, and responsive to the extent that is possible. There was agreement that this is a busy season and everyone is doing their best. It was decided that at this time the committee does not need to establish more specific expectations for response times.

2. Quantitative Data Overview

- a. Homebase gave a presentation on the data collection plan and timeline.
 - i. Homebase will make more efforts to avoid jargon and acronyms so all members can participate
- b. There was discussion about challenges and nuances in recording disability information accurately
- c. Other upstream factors might be separate from our current homeless response system but still influence vulnerability
- d. There was discussion about the role of quantitative data in this process it is not fully explanatory and lacks a lot of local context. It is being used to get an overview of the system and inform qualitative data collection
 - i. In most cases, quantitative data raises more questions than it answers, and qualitative data can help answer those questions
- e. How will this influence the strategic plan?
 - i. What is the appropriate intervention people need? How can we accurately determine that? What vulnerabilities are we currently capturing?
 - ii. The committee should think about where the biggest opportunities to have an impact are, where there is consensus, and what resources the community has to make changes

3. Qualitative Data Summary

- a. Full findings will be shared in the coming meetings once qualitative collection is completed
- b. Suggestions for additional interviews and focus groups:
 - i. Lived experience focus group participants have been predominantly men want to do more with women with and without children
 - ii. Jewish Social Services; Fabiola Hamdan at the Dane County Immigration Office; Catholic Multicultural Center
 - iii. Other funding agencies
- Homebase found that many focus group and interview participants felt there
 were communication breakdowns during the pandemic that have not been
 fixed
 - i. Some committee members were surprised to hear this
 - ii. Some committee members agreed that this has been their experience
- d. Homebase presented demographic information of survey participants and requested that committee members continue to publicize the survey



- We would like more diversity in respondents, but especially: people of color, men, people who are not homeowners, people who have lived experience of homelessness
- ii. Homebase will send the flyer to the committee again so they can continue distributing it

4. Closing

- a. The committee agreed to move next month's meeting to October 13th
 - i. Homebase will update the calendar invitation

Parking Lot Items

