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Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition meeting – Agenda – November 12, 2021

9 a.m. - Welcome message

Purpose: Ask new people joining us to introduce themselves, and center us on the task before us.

• Rosemary Powers, New Connections, rpowers@eou.edu

9:05 a.m. - This Week on the Streets

Purpose: A quick update about what outreach teams are seeing on the streets this week.

9:15 a.m. - Short introduction: Tacoma Safe initiative

Purpose: Hear a short introduction to what this group hopes to accomplish regarding homelessness.

Angela Connelly, angelayconnelly@hotmail.com

9:20 a.m. - Community First Village proposal

Purpose: Learn about the proposal to create a similar project here in Pierce County.

- Heather Moss, Pierce County Human Services, heather.moss@piercecountywa.gov
- Steve O'Ban, Pierce County, steve.oban@piercecountywa.gov
- Duke Paulson, The Rescue Mission, dukep@trm.org

9:45 a.m. - Breakout discussion: What are your additional questions or thoughts about the Community First Village concept?

Purpose: Get to know each other, and consider today's discussion topic.

Everyone

10:00 a.m. - Government Updates

Purpose: Understand current efforts underway.

- City of Tacoma
- Jeff Rodgers, Pierce County Human Services, Jeff.rodgers@piercecountywa.org
- Valeri Almony, Pierce County Rental Assistance, Valeri.almony@pierceountywa.gov
- Jennie Schoeppe, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, jschoeppe@tpchd.org
- Jody Ferguson, Pierce County Emergency Management, jody.ferguson@piercecountywa.gov

10:15 a.m. - Pierce County Comprehensive Plan to End Homelessness Update

Purpose: Understand the next steps for this planning effort.

• Rob Huff, Metropolitan Development Council, rhuff@mdc-hope.org

10:25 a.m. - Safe Sites for All Update



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Purpose: Understand the status of the effort to create safe parking and Safe Sites for All across Pierce County.

- Colin DeForrest, i2 Strategies, colin@i2-strategies.com
- Janet Runbeck, janetrunbeck@gmail.com

10:35 a.m. - Coalition Committee Updates

Purpose: Share updates from the Coalition committees and workgroups that would be of interest to the full Coalition.

All

10:45 a.m. - Good Trouble Announcements

Purpose: Share what folks are working on that would be amplified by sharing with the full Coalition.

All

10:50 a.m. - Reflect on today's meeting

Purpose: Hear from those who would like to share about how they feel today's meeting went. What worked? What didn't? What should be done differently next time?

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