

Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition Meeting – Agenda – 2022-01-21

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: An update about what outreach teams are seeing on the streets this week.

9:20 a.m. - Community Spotlight: Master Builders Association

Purpose: Learn more about how the Master Builders Association connects with the goal of creating more housing in our community and ending homelessness.

• Clinton Brink, Master Builders Association, cbrink@brinkatlaw.com

9:25 a.m. - Gateway Project Update

Purpose: Hear the latest update about encampment impacts of the work in Fife related to the Gateway Project.

• Colin DeForrest, colin@i2-strategies.com

9:30 a.m. - Advocacy Update

Purpose: An update regarding opportunities to advocate at the local, regional, state, and national levels.

Maureen Howard, mhoward@pchomeless.org

9:45 a.m. - Breakout discussion: What are 3 opportunities you see for the Coalition in the next year?

Purpose: Get to know each other, and discuss the topic of the day.

All

9:55 a.m. - Poll: Where should community dollars be spent to address homelessness?

Purpose: A multiple-choice poll to see where those attending believe funds would best be spent.

All

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. - Safe Sites for All Update

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

• Janet Runbeck, janetrunbeck@gmail.com



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10:25 a.m. - Coalition Committee Updates

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

All

10:30 a.m. - Good Trouble Announcements

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

All

10:40 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?

All