



Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Provider Meeting – June 27, 2025

9 a.m. - Welcome message

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

- Verna Lilly, Chaplain, vernalilly@nventure.com

9:10 a.m. - This Week on the Streets

Purpose: An update about what outreach teams and individuals are seeing on the streets this week, as well as discussion of sweeps, community meetings, and other related items.

- All

9:30 a.m. - Partner Spotlight: Primary candidate forums - Where to find them and why it matters

Purpose: Find out where you can learn more about candidates for public office ahead of the primary elections in August.

- Cynthia Stewart, League of Women Voters, stewdahl@comcast.net

9:40 a.m. - One year anniversary of the Supreme Court's decision on Grants Pass v. Johnson

Purpose: Talk about what has changed over the last year, along with encouraging folks to sign on to support the new Housing Not Handcuffs Act in Congress.

- All

9:50 a.m. - Advocacy Updates

Purpose: Learn about opportunities to advocate at the local, state, and national levels.

- Sally Perkins, sally@practicalsolutionstacoma.com
- Rob Huff, Washington Low Income Housing Alliance, robh@wliha.org

10 a.m. - Government Updates

Purpose: Understand current efforts underway.

- Caleb Carbone, City of Tacoma, ccarbone@cityoftacoma.org
- Devon Isakson, Pierce County Human Services, Devon.isakson@piercecounitywa.gov
- Isiah Cocroft, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, icocroft@tpchd.org
- Pierce County Emergency Management

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

Purpose: Hear updates on work toward the goals in the plan.

- Rob Huff, Washington Low Income Housing Alliance, robh@wliha.org

10:15 a.m. - Good Trouble Announcements and Success Stories

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

- All

10:30 a.m. - Federal funding situation update for Pierce County

Purpose: To provide a brief overview of what service providers were told by Pierce County leadership on June 18.

- Director Gary Gant, Pierce County Human Services Department, Gary.gant@piercecounitywa.gov