



Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition Meeting Agenda – May 7th, 2021

9 a.m. - Welcome message

Purpose: Center us on the task before us.

- Rosemary Powers, 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. - A Homeless System Primer

Purpose: Understand the services being offered in the community.

- Gerrit Nyland, Coalition Director of Operations, gnyland@pchomeless.org

9:35 a.m. - Requests for Coalition Representatives to Outside Committees

Purpose: Understand the requests that we need to fill.

- Gerrit Nyland, Coalition Director of Operations, gnyland@pchomeless.org

9:40 a.m. - Vote: Making Safe Sites for All an official committee of the Coalition

Purpose: Taking action to make a clearer connection between the Safe Sites for All workgroup and the Coalition.

- Gerrit Nyland, Coalition Director of Operations, gnyland@pchomeless.org

9:45 a.m. - Advocacy Updates

Purpose: Learn about opportunities to impact policy decisions.

- Maureen Howard, Senior Policy Analyst, maureenhowardconsulting@gmail.com

10:00 a.m. - Government Updates

Purpose: Understand current efforts underway.

- Klarissa Monteros, City of Tacoma, kmonteros@cityoftacoma.org
- Valeri Knight, Pierce County Human Services, Valeri.knight@piercecountywa.org
- Reanna Bettencourt, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, rbettencourt@tpchd.org
- Ivan Tudela, Pierce County Emergency Management, Ivan.tudela@piercecountywa.org

10:15 a.m. - City of Tacoma Camping Ban Follow Up

Purpose: Hear the latest about ongoing conversations between the Coalition and City of Tacoma.

- Maureen Howard, Senior Policy Analyst, maureenhowardconsulting@gmail.com

10:35 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

10:45 a.m. - General Announcements and Networking

Purpose: Hear announcements for the good of the order, and networking time.

- All