



Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition Meeting Agenda – July 2, 2021

9 a.m. - Welcome message

Purpose: Center us on the task before us.

- Duane Parker - Associated Ministries - duanep@associatedministries.org

9:05 a.m. – Small networking breakouts

Purpose: a chance to meet and learn a bit about a few of the other folks attending this week's meeting:

- Do a “serious job” of introducing yourself and what brings you to these meetings

9:20 a.m. - This Week on the Streets

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

9:25 a.m. – Heat Emergency After Action

Purpose: understand what went well and what could be improved with our additional supports during the heat wave

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

9:55 a.m. – PC Homelessness Directory

Purpose: get you into the Coalition's Member Directory

- Gerrit Nyland – gnyland@pchomeless.org

10:00 a.m. – Poetry Project

Purpose: Learn about the progress on the poetry book around homelessness

- Bill Fay - bill.fay@comcast.net

10:10 a.m. – Changes to the Beacon Center

Purpose: Understand the changes Valeo is bringing to operation of the Beacon Center

- Mike Boisture – Valeo Vocation - mikeb@valeovocation.org

10:15 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



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10:25 a.m. - Advocacy Updates

Purpose: Learn about opportunities to impact policy decisions.

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

10:35 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.

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

10:40 a.m. - Good of the order announcements

Purpose: Announcements for the good of the order.

- All

10:45 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