



# Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition Meeting – December 9, 2022

## **9 a.m. - Welcome message**

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

- Rosemary Powers, New Connections, [rpowers@eou.edu](mailto: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, as well as discussion of sweeps, community meetings, and other related items.

- All

## **9:15 a.m. - Need and Share**

Purpose: What inclement weather supplies do you have to share or need for your work?

- All

## **9:20 a.m. - Community Spotlight: Hunter Homes and Shelters**

Purpose: Understand more about this resource in the community.

- Elena Fedorova, Hunter Homes and Shelters, [elena@huntershelters.com](mailto:elena@huntershelters.com)

## **9:25 a.m. - Housing Alliance 2023 Policy Priorities**

Purpose: Understand the legislative priorities for the 2023 session.

- Po Leapai, Washington Low Income Housing Alliance, [pol@wliha.org](mailto:pol@wliha.org)

## **9:40 a.m. - How to talk with your legislator**

Purpose: A primer on how to be an effective advocate.

- Cynthia Stewart, League of Women Voters, [stewdahl@comcast.net](mailto:stewdahl@comcast.net)

## **9:55 a.m. - Pierce County Affordable Housing**

Purpose: An update regarding a Pierce County Council proposal to implement a 1/10th of 1% sales tax for affordable housing.

## **10:00 a.m. - Government Updates**

Purpose: Understand current efforts underway.

- City of Tacoma, Caleb Carbone, [ccarbone@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:ccarbone@cityoftacoma.org)
- Jeff Rodgers, Pierce County Human Services, [Jeff.rodgers@piercecountywa.org](mailto:Jeff.rodgers@piercecountywa.org)
- Jennie Schoeppe, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, [jschoeppe@tpchd.org](mailto:jschoeppe@tpchd.org)
- Isiah Cocroft, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department,
- Jody Ferguson, Pierce County Emergency Management, [jody.ferguson@piercecountywa.gov](mailto:jody.ferguson@piercecountywa.gov)



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## **10:15 a.m. - Breakout review of our previous discussion**

Purpose: Review what people shared in the last breakout discussion in an effort to build knowledge and move the work forward.

- Timothy Harris, Dignity City, [director@dignitycity.org](mailto:director@dignitycity.org)

## **10:20 a.m. - Breakout discussion: What are you prepared to advocate for in 2023? What else do you need to feel prepared?**

Purpose: An opportunity to network and talk about this issue.

- All

## **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.

- Janet Runbeck, [janetrunbeck@gmail.com](mailto:janetrunbeck@gmail.com)

## **10:40 a.m. - Good Trouble Announcements**

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

- All

## **10:45 a.m. - Success Stories**

Purpose: We want to end our weekly meetings on a high note. If you have a success story to share, we would love to hear it!

- All