



# Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition Meeting Agenda – March 24, 2023

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

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

- Theresa Power-Drutis, New Connections, [tpdrutis@nctacoma.org](mailto:tpdrutis@nctacoma.org)

## **9:10 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

## **9:18 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: Springbrook Connections**

Purpose: Learn about this community resource and how the Coalition can interact with and support their work.

- Shawna Zimmerman, Springbrook Connections, [springbrookconnect2014@gmail.com](mailto:springbrookconnect2014@gmail.com)

## **9:25 a.m. - A focus on Lakewood**

Purpose: Learn more about the services provided by LASA and by Caring 4 Kids in Lakewood.

- Janne Hutchins, LASA, [Janne@lasawa.org](mailto:Janne@lasawa.org)
- Diane Formoso, Caring 4 Kids, [carekids@comcast.net](mailto:carekids@comcast.net)

## **9:45 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)

## **9:50 a.m. - Breakout: What worked well and what still needs fixed in the community response to inclement weather?**

Purpose: Networking and an opportunity to share thoughts on today's topic, with one person in each breakout room taking notes to share in the chat in the main room.

- All

## **10:05 a.m. - Government Updates**

Purpose: Understand current efforts underway.



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

## **10:15 a.m. - Advocacy Updates**

Purpose: Tips for how to engage with advocacy at the state level, as well as opportunities at the local level.

- Rob Huff, Washington Low Income Housing Alliance, [robh@wliha.org](mailto:robh@wliha.org)

## **10:25 a.m. - Pierce County Comprehensive Plan to End Homelessness Update**

Purpose: Hear the latest about work on the Comprehensive Plan.

- Rob Huff, Washington Low Income Housing Alliance, [robh@wliha.org](mailto:robh@wliha.org)

## **10:30 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)

## **10:35 a.m. - Committee Updates**

Purpose: Hear any critical updates from Coalition committees.

- All

## **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: A space for people to share success stories from across the community.

- All