



# Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Coalition Meeting – February 3, 2023

00:51:22 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Zoom Norms

Mute yourself when not talking.

Use Zoom's raise hand feature if you have something to say.

Limit distractions by turning off your camera if you need to take another call.

00:51:37 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Community Norms

Lead with a racial equity lens.

Be aware of power dynamics.

Challenge concepts, not people.

Listen to learn.

One person speaks at a time.

Speak from your own experience.

Make space, take space.

Assume best intentions and take responsibility for impact.

Be aware of time and agenda.

00:52:44 - Samara Jenkins: - 🙋

00:52:45 - Caitlyn Trexler: - Hi, I am Caitlyn and I am interning at the Reach center!

00:52:57 - Sarah Jacobs: - 🙋

00:53:00 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Welcome Akrian!

00:53:20 - Mindy McCoy: - Hello all!

00:53:28 - Abiola Tchala: - Good morning, I am having issues with my microphone! My name is Abiola and I am the new housing coordinator for the Trueblood program at Greater Lakes :)

00:53:44 - Sarah Jacobs: - Welcome Tania and Tiffany ! :)

00:54:03 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Welcome Tania, Tiffany and Paige!

00:55:34 - Janet Runbeck: - Welcome Rhonda

00:56:08 - JEROME JOHNSON SALAZAR: - Hello My name is Jerome J From CLR Homeless outreach S.T.R Peer Pathfinder Positive Interactions glad to be Here.

00:56:40 - Sarah Jacobs: - Hi Jerome!

00:57:05 - Richard Dorsett: - Was Groundhog Day yesterday; sweeps continue, people looking for safety and refuge...ggggrrrrr.

00:57:32 - Jay Worley: - Welcome all our new people, Please put your contact in the chat.

00:58:14 - Ashley "Paige" Wells: - [hushedrevelry@gmail.com](mailto:hushedrevelry@gmail.com)

00:58:58 - Abiola Tchala: - Reacted to "[hushedrevelry@gmail.com](mailto:hushedrevelry@gmail.com)..." with ❤️

00:59:11 - Samara Jenkins: - Pastor Samara Jenkins Spanaway UMC

00:59:31 - Fatima-CLR: - Fatima Morales- Outreach worker from Comprehensive Life Resources  
[fmorales@cmhshare.org](mailto:fmorales@cmhshare.org)

01:00:43 - Tania and Tiffany TRM: - another thing we are noticing is that the time from when the client gets a housing referral (documents in etc), the time that it take before they move in is very long. We loose contact with the client or they fall back into the streets.

01:00:46 - Samara Jenkins: - Jessica Pair Spanaway UMC/Family Promise of Pierce County Project  
[Mgr..spanawayumc.com](http://Mgr..spanawayumc.com)..Pastor Samara 253-262-9360..Jessica Pair 253-222-7745

01:01:00 - Kenneth King: - Didn't CLR have the CRT team specifically for that?

01:01:49 - Janet Runbeck: - CRT?



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- 01:02:10 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - FOB = Forward Operating Base Hope, the veteran's village at S. 82nd and Pacific Avenue
- 01:02:24 - Richard Dorsett: - Kelly and her cat remain on concrete. We check on her regularly.
- 01:02:32 - Fatima-CLR: - CLR does work hand in hand with businesses and the City of Tacoma. Our referral line is 253-396-5065 that anyone can call and inform of us of individuals that may need resources and services.
- 01:03:17 - Kenneth King: - From DEM
- 01:03:26 - Sarah Jacobs: - Can you tell us more on what this social is?
- 01:03:30 - Brooke Gower: - [Brooke.gower@wecaredailyclinics.com](mailto:Brooke.gower@wecaredailyclinics.com)/ 206.530.4912 (cell)/ 253.217.4251 (MAs on mobile)- We are currently Dosing at our Tacoma site located at 2501 East D St (intersection of East 25th St and East C St- across from Freighthouse Sq) We can provide transportation for those who would like to enroll in services. Feel free to reach out.
- 01:03:37 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - DEM = Pierce County Department of Emergency Management
- 01:03:46 - Dr. Douglas Jarvie, The Salvation Army: - oh, I missed the social event again. Sorry!
- 01:03:57 - Mindy McCoy: - I wasn't able to attend the social but when is the next one please?
- 01:03:58 - Kenneth King: - Thank you Rob
- 01:04:12 - Richard Dorsett: - We grabbed beanies at social; will distribute when we deliver food this afternoon.
- 01:04:13 - Tod Gunther: - Monique, how do we support your permanence?
- 01:05:10 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Theresa Power-Drutis; New Connections; [tpdrutis@nctacoma.org](mailto:tpdrutis@nctacoma.org)
- 01:05:25 - Kenneth King: - Sorry, not CRT but MCIRT (Mobile Community Intervention Response Team)
- 01:05:49 - Richard Dorsett: - A long standing group of vehicles in Tideflats was swept; NIMBY blocks now replaced them.
- 01:05:53 - Courtney Love LEC: - The City Council is a public nuisance
- 01:06:30 - Kenneth King: - the tide flats.... the historical location of the pre WW2 mega shanty town. That was burned down by local law enforcement and political offices
- 01:06:34 - Timothy Harris: - public menace
- 01:06:38 - Richard Dorsett: - Truckers good, homeless bad.
- 01:07:02 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - @Mindy the networking social is always the first Thursday of the month and location is posted on the website 4PM
- 01:07:07 - Ed Jacobs: - I think you are right Richard.
- 01:07:12 - Monique Brown: - @Tod, it is really up to the City and whether they have the funds and land to support it. As it stands now, we close in July of this year.
- 01:07:25 - Sarah Jacobs: - There was snacks too? LOL Boy did I miss out!!!!1
- 01:07:49 - Kenneth King: - What were those three layer bownies. they were grub
- 01:08:30 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - @ Isiah - I have enough for now but will be back in touch. The cards are great!
- 01:08:33 - Tod Gunther: - Ok, so send our comments of support to the Tacoma City Council. Tx.
- 01:08:40 - Kenneth King: - No one says community work has to be miserable
- 01:08:47 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Jan the human networking machine : )
- 01:08:53 - Monique Brown: - @Tod, that may help! Thank you.
- 01:08:57 - Christine Lindquist: - Thank you to everyone who organized the get together and brought snacks. It was so nice to meet folks in person,
- 01:09:42 - Michelle Birge: - Ive got beanies, hats, gloves, hand warmers and blankets. Willing to meet after the meeting to hand off.



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- 01:09:57 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Thank you for making the connections, Michelle!
- 01:10:05 - Kerri (she/her): - Seeing many more without cell phones despite ACP/Lifeline and outreach events. How can we get more phones into hands?
- 01:10:18 - Jay Worley: -  
[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/10Ec\\_bw5KKsFQidzRN7XkM6yea6vHzD0Yf0m5IfjgdpU/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/10Ec_bw5KKsFQidzRN7XkM6yea6vHzD0Yf0m5IfjgdpU/edit?usp=sharing)
- 01:11:11 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Thank you, Jay!
- 01:11:23 - Fatima-CLR: - Cricket phone company is at CLR every Wednesday & Thursday from 1-3pm to give out phones if individuals qualify.
- 01:11:49 - Tod Gunther: - God bless Samara for being a church of honor
- 01:12:33 - Paula Anderson: - WE LOVE PASTOR SAMARA AND SPANAWAY UNITED METHODIST!!!!
- 01:12:49 - Richard Dorsett: - Philomena Cunk on her program asked University of Manchester archeologist if pyramids were shaped that way to keep homeless from sleeping there. Not since Ali G have I seen such deadpan.
- 01:13:26 - Richard Dorsett: - Thank you Samara; we distributed supplies you provided.
- 01:13:47 - Christine Lindquist: - Thank you so much for your leadership, Samara.
- 01:15:19 - Sally Perkins: - @Courtney, Amen.
- 01:15:59 - Kerri (she/her): - Imagining these slides along billboards on I-5 to help change hearts
- 01:16:00 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Samara can you start the slideshow so that it is full screen (just pull down the slide show menu and choose start from current slide)
- 01:23:31 - Richard Dorsett: - I'm 143 years old some days.
- 01:24:14 - Christine Lindquist: - @Richard - At least you haven't aged out.
- 01:24:27 - Richard Dorsett: - Do you have specific needs?
- 01:25:15 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Need for housing?
- 01:25:20 - Rian Booker: - Please repost contact info
- 01:25:48 - Tania and Tiffany TRM: - Tacoma Rescue mission The night team Search and rescue Mario Perez 253-383 4493 Out reach team and case management Team 1 253 383 4493 Team 2 253 383 4493 Team 3 253 383 4493
- 01:26:04 - Sally Perkins: - Great work, Spanaway UMC!
- 01:26:15 - Samara Jenkins: - Samara Jenkins 253-252-9360..Jessica Pair 253-222-7745
- 01:26:23 - Kerri (she/her): - Do any of the congregations nationwide who do the 7 day hosting ever turn into longer term safe parking, meal sites etc?
- 01:26:50 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - @ Samara Great work you are all doing! Sorry there wasn't time for Q & A - will be in touch later to learn more
- 01:27:16 - Jay Worley: - Samara could we have your email please and thank you
- 01:27:28 - Rhonda Arnett: - what was the count last year ?
- 01:28:35 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - When you say you serve all families - does that include a parent or child with a criminal history? Families often have to split up in order to be sheltered
- 01:29:01 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Rhonda, there were more than 1800 folks counted last year in the PIT Count. The County's own estimate is that there are roughly 4300 people who are homeless across the county.
- 01:29:06 - Dr. Douglas Jarvie, The Salvation Army: - <https://komonews.com/news/local/narcans-vending-machines-set-to-open-in-pierce-county-opiod-drugs-pierce-county-washington-vendy-machine-tacoma-moore-library>



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01:29:07 - Rosemary Powers: - Samara it was great to hear about your work and plans. This sounds like a very good way for faith communities who are new to providing organized assistance to have a way to get started.

01:29:33 - Richard Dorsett: - Tacoma swept people all over town, which makes finding people a challenge. People are scattered everywhere.

01:29:39 - Rhonda Arnett: - are any local politicians part of this group ?

01:30:10 - Jay Worley: - all towns swept right before the pit

01:30:11 - Richard Dorsett: - Politicians love to show up for point in time.

01:30:19 - Janet Runbeck: - The nature of the business = fluid population, challenged with fear of being "found".

01:31:12 - Richard Dorsett: - In Tacoma sweeps continue with wild abandon; impunity.

01:31:15 - Samara Jenkins: - Replying to "Samara could we ha..."

[pastorsamaraj@gmail.com](mailto:pastorsamaraj@gmail.com)

01:31:43 - Courtney Love LEC: - Rhonda, some participate in our space, but none are vocal participants or leaders in this space

01:32:03 - Rhonda Arnett: - but are politicians participating on a regular basis in this group ?

01:32:36 - Monique Brown: - Reacted to "Imagining these slid..." with ❤️

01:32:42 - Sarah Jacobs: - It was definitely discouraging that we seen evidence of sweeps and felt that instead of helping our community friends, we couldn't even find them because they had been moved so much and so recently!

01:33:32 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Rhonda, a couple of Pierce County Council members do attend pretty regularly, and Washington state Speaker of the House Laurie Jenkins attends quite often when the legislative session is not in progress, as it is now.

01:34:53 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Despite pretty universal understanding that PIT is not the best way to find out how many neighbors are unsheltered - HUD requires it for funding. HUD needs to hear from leaders about better (and less costly) ways to track our progress

01:35:00 - Caitlyn Trexler: - Hear Hear Jay!

01:35:09 - Christine Lindquist: - 100% Jay

01:35:41 - Sally Perkins: - 2@jay, Amen.

01:36:21 - Richard Dorsett: - Lots of people; a struggle for parking! A good thing.

01:36:35 - Laurie Davenport: - Well done Jay.

01:36:38 - Akiran Rose: - Replying to "Samara could we have..."

[Ajrose000@gmail.com](mailto:Ajrose000@gmail.com)

01:37:07 - Laurie Davenport: - Project Homeless Connect was great, super well organized, we gave out everything we had.

01:37:49 - Sarah Jacobs: - WAY TO GO!!!! Amazing work!

01:38:29 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Hooray for Mike Yoder and Associated Ministries! And all of the agencies and volunteers who made it happen, Thanks to St Leo too for hosting!

01:38:52 - Dionne J: - This is so great to hear, what wonderful work!

01:39:25 - Kerri (she/her): - Did anyone attend emergency protest at ICE hunger strike last night?

01:39:35 - Richard Dorsett: - At Gig Harbor YMCA was Bridge of Hope discussion on Homelessness. Another good activity.



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01:40:42 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - If you haven't visited the Coalition website, you can take a look here: <http://pchomeless.org>

01:41:05 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - A lot of us rely on the page for key information about resources in the community

01:41:51 - Dr. Douglas Jarvie, The Salvation Army: - Does anyone have a contact on the HEAL team? My contacts are out of date and the city website does not help.

01:43:09 - Rian Booker: - Caleb Carbone, [ccarbone@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:ccarbone@cityoftacoma.org)

01:43:19 - Laurie Davenport: - Sorry need to leave the meeting for a bit, be back.

01:44:07 - Janet Runbeck: - HEAL = Caleb, or Kevin Ruby?

01:44:43 - Samara Jenkins: - Replying to "When you say you s..."

Yes, this includes parents or children with criminal histories, but with some exclusions to protect the families being served.

01:44:43 - Dr. Douglas Jarvie, The Salvation Army: - thanks, I think I have seen Caleb in this meeting before

01:45:04 - Rian Booker: - Kevin Ruby, [kruby@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:kruby@cityoftacoma.org)

01:45:11 - Rian Booker: - But Caleb's the manager.

01:45:33 - Isiah Cocroft: - Replying to "HEAL = Caleb, or kev..."

HEAL is Javon

01:46:16 - Matthew Jorgensen: - Replying to "HEAL = Caleb, or kev..."

Javon Carlisle is the HEAL Team manager, his email address is [jcarlisle@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:jcarlisle@cityoftacoma.org)

01:46:55 - Richard Dorsett: - Suggestions were good, but still wondering who is a "regular" person. Nobody on this call!

01:47:20 - Jay Worley: - I blame the comite, mercurey is not in the microwave

01:48:10 - Richard Dorsett: - Any update for union street loop? Plans?

01:48:30 - Richard Dorsett: - Plans for street of dreams?

01:51:09 - Richard Dorsett: - What is positive interactions?

01:51:11 - Jake Nau: - Can the HEAL team make it a point to join this meeting every week? Would that be possible Matt?

01:51:25 - Kerri (she/her): - Reacted to "Can the HEAL team ma..." with ❤️

01:51:27 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Advocacy Alert: Pierce County Prosecutor is trying to dismantle the Blake decision (one jurisdiction at a time). City of Tacoma has not signed on to that effort (yet). Go Tacoma Go! Let your representatives know that the Blake decision - and the reentry resources attached to that decision - are making our communities better and safer. <https://defensenet.org/state-v-blake-resource-page/blake-resources-for-everyone/>

01:51:46 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Who is pocket at positive interaction?

01:52:00 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - pocket?

01:52:23 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Point b of contact

01:52:25 - Janet Runbeck: - Yes, Jake. let's encourage HEAL to attend every Friday

01:52:44 - Kenneth King: - I did not realize they scheduled all the remaining sweeps for the next week. Whats with the push?

<https://www.cityoftacoma.org/cms/one.aspx?portalId=169&pageId=133588>

01:52:58 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Point of contact number



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- 01:53:55 - Verda Washington: - Great meeting. I have to leave for another meeting.
- 01:54:03 - Janet Runbeck: - Point of contact for Positive Interaction = ?
- 01:54:07 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - What pocket of money is paying for the BIG stone projects?
- 01:54:19 - Kenneth King: - Theresa, The news said yesterday that the Tacoma city council made a choice. Have they stalled that choice?
- 01:54:40 - Matthew Jorgensen: - Positive Interactions (253) 382-2677
- 01:54:45 - Richard Dorsett: - Who are the "providers"?
- 01:55:00 - Richard Dorsett: - We are paying for the boulders!
- 01:55:18 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Sorry - not on the news feed yesterday - did they make a good choice?
- 01:55:30 - Kenneth King: - well....
- 01:55:31 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - I credit you personally, Jennie!
- 01:55:51 - Kenneth King: - <https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/other/tacoma-city-council-votes-to-support-drug-possession-legislation-reform/ar-AA1719xv>
- 01:55:57 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Oh no, the City caved!!!!???????
- 01:56:03 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - Shocker
- 01:56:23 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - COVID is over on May 11!
- 01:56:28 - Kenneth King: - apparently they are advocating for sb 4567 and sb 5536.
- 01:56:49 - Richard Dorsett: - Tens of thousands of dollars! Port budgeted \$300,000 for nimby blocks.
- 01:57:11 - Kerri (she/her): - Reacted to "Tens of thousands of..." with 🤔
- 01:57:13 - Kenneth King: - mask mandates and vaccine cost?
- 01:57:21 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Sarcastic?? LoL
- 01:57:35 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - RE: Blake decision Well - it's never too late to advocate (no matter what Richard says)
- 01:57:41 - Dr. Douglas Jarvie, The Salvation Army: - Jennie, what about the new variant?
- 01:57:49 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - I wish I could have made it to the event yesterday. Danged work!
- 01:57:56 - Bobby Ocasio: - Good Morning everyone,  
Our waitlist for the Arlington Apartments is back open. If you are unaware, Arlington Apartments is an apartment building here in Tacoma for young adults 18-24 who are experiencing homelessness. Here is our website. If you have any questions please send me an email.
- <https://arlingtonapartments.org/>
- [bobbyocasio@seattlemca.org](mailto:bobbyocasio@seattlemca.org)
- 01:58:20 - Courtney Love LEC: - Isiah was the best to see in person! Fantastic pants!
- 01:58:30 - Janet Runbeck: - Jennie - will Covid tests still be free from the feds? What is the link to apply for tests?
- 01:59:02 - Timothy Harris: - Isiah is a direct challenge to everyone's fashion game.
- 01:59:27 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Isiah is a direct ch..." with 👍
- 01:59:36 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Hi Dr. Jarvie, We expect that similar to other viruses (like influenza) we will continue to see variants of COVID. There will be new vaccine adjustments made as we move forward as well.
- 01:59:39 - Richard Dorsett: - July
- 02:00:02 - Dr. Douglas Jarvie, The Salvation Army: - thanks, Jennie
- 02:00:06 - Kenneth King: - Jennie, mask use updates?



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- 02:00:24 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - I visited the star bucks on pearl Street and they had sleeping bag free
- 02:00:41 - Ed Jacobs: - Isiah I hope you are including the Medical Examiner's Office for your Hot Weather Report. There were deaths associated.
- 02:01:11 - Abiola Tchala: - Could you put your contacts in the chat Isiah ?
- 02:01:23 - Kenneth King: - Thank you Ed, that's a good point. We don't have to worry about the two week hold since its been over six month too
- 02:01:30 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Hi Jan, from my understanding, the "end" of the emergency will mean an end to free things like tests. A lot is still TBD.
- 02:01:31 - Isiah Cocroft: - Yes here is my email [icocroft@tpchd.org](mailto:icocroft@tpchd.org)
- 02:01:51 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Here are the State and Fed links to get free at home test kits:  
<https://www.covid.gov/tests> <https://sayyescovidhometest.org/>
- 02:01:52 - Norman Brickhouse: - I have another meeting so I will have to leave early. Have a great day and keep up the great work!
- 02:01:52 - Isiah Cocroft: - The report doesn't include deaths but I can request that information
- 02:02:05 - Kerri (she/her): - Once a month state COVID home test delivery:

You can get 5 free at-home tests delivered to your home through WA State DOH: Home - Say Yes! To Covid Test ([sayyescovidhometest.org](https://sayyescovidhometest.org))

- 02:02:15 - Sally Perkins: - @Theresa, sent you email info about Tacoma and blake.
- 02:02:23 - Jay Worley: - Lavada Thats Good to hear, suprised from a starbucks
- 02:02:24 - Jennie Schoeppe: - IF you are part of an organization that would like test kits you can still email our testing team at: [epitesting@tpchd.org](mailto:epitesting@tpchd.org)
- 02:02:34 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Reacted to "Once a month state C..." with 👍
- 02:04:05 - Kenneth King: - @Sally, can I get that as well? if I haven't already
- 02:04:41 - Kenneth King: - @ does anyone know the county council schedule for discussions related to services and the blake decision?
- 02:05:00 - Kenneth King: - does anyone know the county council schedule for discussions related to services and the blake decision?
- 02:05:43 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - shocker!
- 02:06:30 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Jennie, mask use updates?  
Hi Kenneth. The recommendations for masking are still based on WA DOH:  
<https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/Documents/1600/coronavirus/ClothFacemasks.pdf>
- 02:07:32 - Kenneth King: - will it be changing after the covid "end" date?
- 02:07:36 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Jennie - will Covid tests still be free from the feds? What is the link to apply for tests?
- Hi Jan. did you see the link shared? it is: <https://www.covid.gov/tests>
- 02:07:41 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - These are the 3 options:
- 02:07:43 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - URA options:

- 1 - invest in building additional capacity in existing structures
- 2 - Establish an MOU with specific, time-limited objectives and commitments
- 3 - Establish a new inter local agreement

- 02:08:33 - Janet Runbeck: - Thanks Jennie. Tests are good to have on hand BEFORE symptoms start.
- 02:09:23 - Courtney Love LEC: - The options are you on pages 9-11 in the consultant's report
- 02:09:26 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Replying to "Thanks Jennie. Tests..."



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of course. Folks can still order through Feds and State (for now!) and through our TPCHD testing team at: [epitesting@tpchd.org](mailto:epitesting@tpchd.org) but things are definitely going to change moving forward. I just don't know when and what that will look like.

02:09:31 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Thank you

02:09:36 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Rob

02:10:37 - Jay Worley: - Lavada I spoke at the public comment last week, can you come forward on monday for community comment?

02:10:48 - Kenneth King: - Good talking point. I know I have a hard time seeing past my bias on the subject

02:11:10 - Jay Worley: - Rob can you put up the link for monday comment chance.

02:11:53 - Timothy Harris: - The product of extensive research and stakeholder consultation, this report details three viable options for advancing the Unified Regional Approach:

1. Invest in building additional capacity in existing structures.
2. Establish an MOU with specific, time-limited objectives and commitments.
3. Establish an interlocal agreement under RCW 39.34.030.

02:12:08 - Sally Perkins: - I miss Maureen!

02:12:20 - Kerri (she/her): - Reacted to "I miss Maureen!" with 🙄

02:12:30 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Invest in building units and develop united approach with MOU time-lines in outcome to eliminate unsheltered.

02:12:55 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "I miss Maureen!" with ❤️

02:13:11 - PATRICIA .: - Reacted also "I miss Maureen!" with 🙄

02:14:03 - Dana Peregrine: - There is an option 4 that is none of the consultant options

02:14:13 - Dana Peregrine: - Just to complicate things :)

02:14:35 - Jay Worley: - which would put us back years

02:14:52 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "which would put us b..." with 👍

02:15:12 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Great use of consulting fees if their recommendations are simply put on a shelf

02:15:15 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Please don't pay another consultant for something we already know.

02:15:16 - Kerri (she/her): - General public seems frustrated with amount of funding spent, especially during tax season when seeing tax bills. Frustrated that anyone is getting "free ride" with anything as consumer costs continue to rise

02:16:29 - Courtney Love LEC: - I'm more offended by corporate welfare

02:16:38 - Kerri (she/her): - Reacted to "I'm more offended by..." with ❤️

02:16:41 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "I'm more offended by..." with ❤️

02:16:42 - Courtney Love LEC: - Removed a ❤️ reaction from "I'm more offended by..."

02:17:14 - Julie Hoffman: - Reacted to "I'm more offended by..." with ❤️

02:17:19 - Jay Worley: - [seededhopes@gmail.com](mailto:seededhopes@gmail.com) 253-365-2368

02:17:37 - Timothy Harris: - Can we not do that thing where we run out of time for report back from discussion?

02:17:46 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Please don't pay ano..." with 👍

02:17:50 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Reacted to "I'm more offended by..." with 🙄

02:18:43 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Agree Timothy - it will be good to hear what people think





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- 02:19:19 - Richard Dorsett: - Billions of dollars being spent between Bellingham and San Diego.
- 02:19:24 - Janet Runbeck: - People are falling into homelessness faster than folks getting out. It's an upstream issue. Prevention is best.
- 02:19:31 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - The ones that seem the loudest 1300 got the space.
- 02:19:35 - Kenneth King: - 1300  $\neq$  1300 available
- 02:19:56 - Kerri (she/her): - Reacted to "1300  $\neq$  1300 availa..." with 🙌
- 02:20:04 - Timothy Harris: - Notes can also be emailed to Tim at [director@dignitycity.org](mailto:director@dignitycity.org)
- 02:20:13 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - 4300 $\neq$ /1300
- 02:20:14 - Monique Brown: - I have to run Rob. I love you all. Continue to be bold and brave in your quest to end homelessness!
- 02:34:27 - Courtney Love LEC: - 100% Donna in Rm 6
- 02:34:51 - Kenneth King: - Kerri, that's a point too. With an obvious gap such as the mon-fri issue, that would be something that office could coordinate
- 02:34:51 - Sally Perkins: - @Paige, you are a very good sport.
- 02:35:14 - Courtney Love LEC: - Hi, Duah-Rahemaah!
- 02:35:23 - Dana Peterson: - Room 3- don't put unified approach with Human Services. they are not effective or efficient.
- 02:35:41 - Ashley "Paige" Wells: - Thanks Sally
- 02:35:46 - Timothy Harris: - Again, if you need a few more minutes to write up notes, you can email to me at [director@dignitycity.org](mailto:director@dignitycity.org)
- 02:35:47 - Ashley "Paige" Wells: - Felt that #3 is best because of focus on Networking, communication and standardization. A lack of standardization is the current problem. Feel that #1 is already being done and not fast enough to meet needs and understand that's complicated. Whatever happens, funding is needed for the COC. The consult's message didn't match group discussion but one individual's thoughts. Struggling with the politics of the board and vote of 7th because pushing for #1 – might have personal motivation
- 02:35:55 - Jay Worley: - Thank you Paige
- 02:36:01 - Dionne J: - I was just a listener- but what a great conversation.
- 02:36:08 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - The terminology used in #1 needs to reflect actual intend for funding purposes
- 02:36:10 - Rob Huff (he/him) Housing Alliance: - <https://www.piercecountywa.gov/7309/Comprehensive-Plan-to-End-Homelessness>
- 02:36:25 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Felt that #3 is best..." with 👍
- 02:36:29 - Donna Parker: - Reacted to "100% Donna in Rm 6" with 👍
- 02:36:32 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "I was just a listene..." with ❤️
- 02:36:33 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Our break out summary: Option 1: "Invest in building additional capacity in existing structures." We interpreted this as: organizational structures that could handle being in the role of a coordinating body; governmental structures, e.g. the Continuum of Care.
- - We have existing organizational structures in the government, let's build on those. (CoC, PCHS).
  - - Let's make the CoC more functional, organized. Let's "fix" what doesn't work and make it better, rather than re-create the wheel. Let's be creative. There are a lot of questions about the CoC.
  - - Everyone is helped if we have a good system, but folks have a lot of questions about the CoC.
- 02:36:41 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "The terminology used..." with 👍
- 02:37:08 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - Generate building more housing for permanent growth of ownership.



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- 02:37:15 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Generate building mo..." with 👍
- 02:37:28 - Kerri (she/her): - Reacted to "Generate building mo..." with 👍
- 02:38:08 - Douglas.Jarvie@usw.salvationarmy.org: - I can't remember our group number, but it was agreed that the money needs to get to the organizations sooner, and more of it. Money seems to sit with the county or other gov organizations.
- 02:38:44 - Tania and Tiffany TRM: - Great chat session about an organization that would work as a dispatch type for outreach. also a few originations coming together to grow together.
- 02:38:47 - Janet Runbeck: - Rm 1. Put the voices of lived experience first. Do not re-traumatize. Support a unified regional approach, cross jurisdictions. We need more understanding of the recommendations.
- 02:38:48 - Rhonda Arnett: - Reacted to "Rm 1. Put the voices..." with 👍
- 02:38:53 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - We already see to unsheltered result from what has happen in Pierce county since 2010.
- 02:38:58 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Rm 1. Put the voices..." with 👍
- 02:39:47 - Tania and Tiffany TRM: - Thank you for the great session we have to sign off and go do the good work. Good luck to everyone out there stay safe
- 02:40:06 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Whatever else we do, let's not create a "bogus empowerment" loop that wastes the few people and resources available for this effort in Pierce County. Good to note that many good people are donating their time and energy on the Continuum of Care - recommend we help make that organization stronger and more functional rather than focusing on criticism. If the County loosens its grip on resources and actually empowers whatever agency this land on - we might see real progress.
- 02:40:09 - LAVADA KENT-NAPIER: - By doing the same thing increases the crisis overflow in all communities.  
LIVED EXPERIENCE
- 02:40:27 - Jay Worley: - Stay safe tania and Tiffany
- 02:40:57 - Ashley "Paige" Wells: - Have to get to work! Thanks for the intro and look forward working with everyone.
- 02:41:21 - Kenneth King: - Thank you all for the time. I have to bounce. Feel free to reach out for any reason
- 02:42:13 - Timothy Harris: - Group 6. Lots of discussion about how option one equals a default concession that plan authority is located in the county executive, whose performance in this area has been poor and lacks credibility with providers. The consultants recommendations do not reflect the principles and values expressed in the comp plan. Where are the commitments to a flexible, responsive, transparent, adaptable response? The option of building an RHA-like alternative to county based administration will make us much more competitive for resources. We are in an underfunded space and need to focus on the option that changes that.
- 02:42:27 - Rosemary Powers: - contact Rosemary Powers at [rpowers@eou.edu](mailto:rpowers@eou.edu) for interest in coalition developing a position in response to the ideas about unified regional approach to managing the comp plan to end homelessness.
- 02:42:33 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Dave Purchase Project and FUMC rock!
- 02:43:19 - Courtney Love LEC: - The Narcan machine will be indoors, so access is dependent on an open door. Good hours align with food/clothing bank hours.
- 02:43:25 - Abiola Tchala: - Could someone write in the chat the name of the church that will hopefully have a Narcan vending machine please ?
- 02:43:44 - Jay Worley: - First Methodist Church
- 02:43:45 - Timothy Harris: - first united methodist
- 02:43:53 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - First United Methodist Church on Tacoma Ave.



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02:44:01 - Jay Worley: - in 7th and Tacoma Ave.