



# Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

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Friday Homeless Coalition Chat – April 21, 2023

00:21:02 - Rob Huff (he/him): - 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.

00:21:11 - Jeffrey Boyce: - Amen Rosemary

00:21:12 - Rob Huff (he/him): - 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.

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00:22:15 - Courtney Love LEC: - Nice to see Sarah Howe here!

00:22:24 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Nice to see Sarah Ho..." with ❤️

00:23:14 - David Scott: - Hello all

00:23:23 - Mark Askins: - As important as it is to support our unhoused neighbor born April 21, 2000, what can we do if anything to ensure that the child born today April 21, 2023, is housed twenty years from today April 21, 2043.

00:23:38 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "As important as it i..." with ❤️

00:23:39 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - For a spotlight contact Theresa: [tpdrutis@nctacoma.org](mailto:tpdrutis@nctacoma.org)

00:25:04 - Sally Perkins: - Welcome, Sarah!

00:25:07 - Korama Williams: - I am a new CE Specialist with Catholic Community Services Family Housing Network

00:25:50 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to "As important as it i..."

Social housing developer initiative passed in Seattle. Tacoma is working on a tenants rights initiative (Tacoma For All). We must end the school to prison pipeline and ensure food security, from the cradle to the grave.

00:25:54 - David Scott: - I am a Mental Health Technician at Wellfound.

00:25:55 - Rosemary Powers: - Requiem for a Nest Wanda Coleman, "Requiem for a Nest" from Ostinato Vamps. Copyright © 2003.the winged thang built her dream palace

amid the fine green eyes of a sheltering bough

she did not know it was urban turf

disguised as serenely delusionally rural

nor did she know the neighborhood was rife

with slant-mawed felines and those long-taloned

swoopers of prey. she was ignorant of the acidity & oil

that slowly polluted the earth, and was never



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to detect the serpent coiled one strong limb below

following her nature she flitted and dove  
for whatever blades twigs and mud  
could be found under the humming blue  
and created a hatchery for her spawn  
not knowing all were doomed

00:26:02 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "I am a Mental Health..." with ❤️

00:26:11 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Social housing devel..." with ❤️

00:27:18 - Sherrilla Bivens: - Free food & Resources Market tomorrow 10-12 4819 S 12 th street everyone welcome no requirements Needed yes you can pick up for others Greater Heights Church

00:27:27 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Free food & Resource..." with ❤️

00:27:29 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Free food & Resource..." with ❤️

00:28:16 - Tod Gunther: - And why in heavens are churches producing these NIMBY boulders?

00:28:23 - Timothy Harris: - Sugar Ray Sales Story by Matt Driscoll

<https://www.thenewstribune.com/opinion/article274559841.html>

00:28:33 - Tod Gunther: - Reacted to "Sugar Ray Sales Stor..." with 👍

00:28:54 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Sugar Ray Sales Stor..." with 👍

00:29:38 - Richard Dorsett: - The visible encampment at the Park & Ride in Center across from Home Depot is getting a lot of attention on social media. Still no site for RVs.

00:30:11 - Courtney Love LEC: - Who does public space belong to?

(Billboard worthy?)

00:30:38 - Jeffrey Boyce: - The Park & Ride Camp is getting a lot of news too.

00:30:40 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "The visible encampme..." with 👍

00:30:50 - Richard Dorsett: - Gig Harbor has arrested a young man who has been sleeping in public restrooms.

00:31:03 - Timothy Harris: - It is THE question.

00:31:11 - Sally Perkins: - paper reorted that CLR would be working with the folks at the Park and Ride off of

00:31:14 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "It is THE question." with 👍

00:31:17 - Sally Perkins: - Center Street.

00:32:30 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Sarah- check out the coalition website- there is a tab for day centers/showers

00:32:36 - Sally Perkins: - Thye move up to Sea Mar at night and then back to the Park during the day.

00:32:39 - Richard Dorsett: - Tacoma Rescue Mission has been talking with folks at Center Street park and ride.

00:33:03 - Courtney Love LEC: - It's terrorism to keep people mobile

00:33:08 - Kenneth King: - 4 thousand people... they go everywhere and everywhere they can

00:33:18 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "4 thousand people....." with ❤️

00:33:19 - Rob Huff (he/him): - MHT = Mental Health Technician

00:33:28 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Shower info: <https://www.pchomeless.org/Facilities/DayCenters>

00:33:50 - Kenneth King: - fully open?

00:33:52 - Carol Colleran: - Is there a site where anyone can see available shelter beds?

00:34:35 - Courtney Love LEC: - This sounds like a perfect statement for City Council



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00:34:39 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Yes, Carol. The shelter link on the Coalition website has shelter sites and availability listed.

00:34:43 - Jennifer Ammons: - Reacted to "Gig Harbor has arres..." with 🙄

00:34:45 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - <https://www.pchomeless.org/Facilities/Shelters>

00:34:57 - Valeri Almony: - <https://www.pchomeless.org/Facilities/Shelters>

00:35:10 - Courtney Love LEC: - When is the vigil?

00:36:00 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Thank you David!

00:36:05 - Jan Runbeck: - I have tried to admit. The process is a killer at WellFound.

00:36:14 - Sally Perkins: - Thank you, David, the promises for Wellfound have not remotely been fulfilled.

00:36:14 - Jennifer Ammons: - Replying to "Yes, Carol. The shel..."

How up to date is the availability info?

00:36:56 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Replying to "Yes, Carol. The shel..."

As good as it get for Pierce County - but limited by how accurate the info Rob receives is

00:37:19 - Richard Dorsett: - Read a post from Federal Way today wondering where all the RVs are coming from.

00:37:33 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Replying to "Yes, Carol. The shel..."

Some of those numbers include "set aside" beds that are funded outside the city

00:38:02 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Replying to "Read a post from Fed..."

Yeah, I wonder...

00:38:31 - Melinda/FUSION: - <https://komonews.com/news/local/homeless-people-hotel-program-funds-money-run-out-seattle-tacoma-renton-federal-way-kent-king-pierce-county-kcrha-crisis-regional-homelessness-authority-outreach-facilities>

00:38:37 - Mark Askins: - Miracle Messages is here to assist our unhoused neighbors reconnect with family and friends as a source of housing, love and support that might be impacted by closure of the hotels.

00:39:34 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Replying to "Yes, Carol. The shel..."

Many people during a sweep will report that they are "on the waiting list" for Aspen Court when (at the same time) the webpage reports availability. What is that about?

00:39:40 - David Scott: - Candlelight Vigil In Support of Wellfound care providers:

00:41:12 - Jan Runbeck: - David, date & time & address of vigil?

00:43:02 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Yes. I will ask her to do that next.

00:43:11 - David Scott: - Wellfound Candlelight Vigil in Support of care providers and patient safety.

Thursday April 27, from 6-8 pm. Corner of 19th & Union. You'll see others. Parking can be found in Allenmore Hospital Lots. Any support would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

00:43:26 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Wellfound Candleligh..." with ❤️

00:44:26 - Kenneth King: - I had to step off and help someone. What program is this?

00:44:59 - Brianna Swindahl: - work source

00:45:01 - PATRICIA .: - @Sarah Jacob's > what does the co-hort consist of ?

00:45:05 - Kathleen Edelheit: - I'll be at the Candlelight Vigil at Wellfound. I have been attending meetings for almost two years now and have only met a few of you in person. I would love to see you all there!

00:45:30 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "I'll be at the Candl..." with 🙄



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- 00:45:44 - PATRICIA .: - @Sarah Jacob's > what is the "steps" program consist of ?
- 00:46:09 - Gaiety Jay - IPPC RM: - Is there a pamphlet or information handout?
- 00:47:09 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Wellfound Candleligh..." with ❤️
- 00:47:16 - susan ahearn: - Hello all, I'm happy to inform everyone that Sugar Ray Seales has been housed!
- 00:47:23 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with 🙌
- 00:47:24 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with ❤️
- 00:47:25 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with ❤️
- 00:47:35 - PATRICIA .: - @ Sarah Jacobs... do you have employers to direct hire
- 00:47:35 - Kathleen Edelheit: - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with ❤️
- 00:47:43 - Timothy Harris: - Reacted to "@ Sarah Jacobs... do..." with ❤️
- 00:47:50 - Timothy Harris: - Removed a ❤️ reaction from "@ Sarah Jacobs... do..."
- 00:47:59 - Timothy Harris: - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with ❤️
- 00:48:00 - Jennifer Ammons: - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with ❤️
- 00:48:48 - Sarah Jacobs: - Sarah Jacobs
- 00:49:18 - Nicholas Turner: - Reacted to "Hello all, I'm happy..." with ❤️
- 00:50:36 - Kenneth King: - oh no!
- 00:50:45 - Kenneth King: - Feel better soon as possible
- 00:51:38 - Sarah Jacobs: - Sarah Jacobs \_ Sarahjacobs@careerteam.com 253-304-7204  
<https://worksource-pierce.org/>
- 00:51:45 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Sarah Jacobs \_ Sarah..." with ❤️
- 00:52:51 - judy taylor: - Reacted to "Sarah Jacobs \_ Sar..." with ❤️
- 00:52:53 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Replying to "Sarah Jacobs \_ Sarah..."
- Sarah - can you also insert the name of your program and (if there is a URL where people can learn more)?
- 00:53:35 - Korama Williams: - That is awesome!!
- 00:55:18 - Kerri Hill: - Someone found my cousin this way when she was missing. One of her childhood neighbors spotted her at a nail shop in Florida while they were on vacation and called her parents. You just never know ❤️
- 00:55:30 - Mark Askins: - Reacted to "Someone found my cou..." with ❤️
- 00:55:52 - PATRICIA .: - @Madeline > do you do missing children? Parent abduction? I have been working with someone. The child did go through healthcare service in Pierce County but apparently it wasn't flagged as a case ?
- 00:56:03 - Richard Dorsett: - One success at Union Loop encampment is a couple six months pregnant; a train ticket home to Minnesota was acquired, they returned to family.
- 00:56:17 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "One success at Union..." with ❤️
- 00:56:49 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "One success at Union..." with ❤️
- 00:57:04 - Richard Dorsett: - A by-name list will help programs like this make the connections.
- 00:58:34 - PATRICIA .: - @Madeline > I love this
- 00:58:59 - Jennifer Ammons: - What percent of clients are you able to reconnect with family? Our clients often have the perception that their family would not be interested in reconnecting with them, so I'd like to have data to counteract that.
- 00:59:03 - Alan Brown: - That sense of connection is a critical (but often underappreciated) tool to end and prevent homelessness.
- 00:59:20 - Karla Martinez: - Reacted to "What percent of clie..." with 🙌



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- 00:59:20 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "That sense of connec..." with ❤️  
00:59:41 - Jennifer Ammons: - Reacted to "That sense of connec..." with 👍  
01:00:20 - Madeline Mazzocchi: - Madeline Mazzocchi madeline@miraclemessages.org  
01:02:30 - Madeline Mazzocchi: - Reacted to "Someone found my cou..." with ❤️  
01:02:42 - Madeline Mazzocchi: - Reacted to "One success at Union..." with ❤️  
01:03:41 - PATRICIA .: - @Madeline > thank you for responding to my question  
01:03:47 - Madeline Mazzocchi: - Reacted to "@Madeline > thank yo..." with ❤️  
01:07:51 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to "A by-name list will ..."

Not if it's appropriately private.

- 01:08:05 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Not if it's appropri..." with 👍  
01:09:01 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to "<https://komonews.com...>"

I'll check this out, but broadly, KOMO is right wing and wants criminalize homelessness - not my favorite source for social narrative.

- 01:10:00 - Madeline Mazzocchi: - Madeline 650-338-4818  
01:10:34 - Madeline Mazzocchi: - madeline@miraclemessages.org  
01:12:17 - Kerri Hill: - Saw this with an old classmate-someone alerted the class president and he rallied everyone to help. Person was housed, into rehab, furniture, clothing, food etc, reconnected with old friends within days  
01:12:42 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Saw this with an old..." with ❤️  
01:12:54 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - @ Miracle worker team: It would be great if families could be contacted when someone unsheltered passes. I wish that would've happened with my brother. We are pretty certain he is no longer walking the earth - but after 30 years it would be good to have this confirmed. No true closure regarding someone dear to me.  
01:13:13 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "@ Miracle worker tea..." with ❤️  
01:13:33 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Go loggers!  
01:13:45 - Karla Martinez: - This program may work for those that are genuinely homeless, but unfortunately not those that are drug addicted.  
01:13:53 - Norman Brickhouse: - Reacted to "@ Miracle worker tea..." with ❤️  
01:13:54 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "@ Miracle worker tea..." with ❤️  
01:14:04 - judy taylor: - Reacted to "Go loggers!" with ❤️  
01:14:07 - judy taylor: - Removed a ❤️ from "Go loggers!"  
01:14:08 - judy taylor: - Reacted to "@ Miracle worker t..." with ❤️  
01:14:12 - PATRICIA .: - @Miracle Mesaages >.what an awesome program !!!  
01:14:18 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to "This program may wor..."

Weird take

- 01:14:33 - judy taylor: - Reacted to "@Miracle Mesaages ..." with ❤️  
01:14:58 - Beverley Thomas: - Reacted to "@Miracle Mesaages >..." with ❤️  
01:15:03 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to "This program may wor..."

Community helps create stability that sobriety can be built upon and even drug addicts are genuinely homeless.



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01:15:23 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Replying to "This program may wor..."

Karla - do you mean to say that families of active users may be less willing to re-connect?

01:15:33 - Karla Martinez: - Replying to "This program may wor..."

Yes.

01:17:07 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - @ Caleb: Will the shower trailer stay in service to other locations after this emergency?

01:17:37 - Timothy Harris: - Last month's TNT article on Safe Parking

01:17:38 - Timothy Harris: - <https://www.thenewstribune.com/news/local/article273287280.html>

01:17:45 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Last month's TNT art..." with 👍

01:18:01 - Nicholaus Turner: - The Holy Rosary Safe Parking referral phone for providers and individuals the phone is 9am-5pm 253-719-9333 please call message and voicemail if your interested

01:18:14 - Caleb Carbone: - Reacted to "The Holy Rosary Safe..." with 👍

01:18:26 - Alan Brown: - Catholic Community Services Safe Parking at Holy Rosary

Referral phone: (253) 719-9333, 9 AM to 5 PM Monday – Friday

Need to call for screening, no drive ups

Eligibility:

- - City of Tacoma residents
- - Submit to background check (specific crimes against persons screened out)
- - Driver's license and proof of ownership of car
- - Families or individuals welcome
- - No RVs or trailers at this time
- - Priority referrals taken from City of Tacoma HEAL team, or outreach teams from The Rescue Mission and Comprehensive Life Resources

Safe Parking at Holy Rosary is a 90-day program to work on housing solutions.

01:19:15 - judy taylor: - Reacted to "Catholic Community..." with 👍

01:19:40 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Catholic Community S..." with 👍

01:19:49 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Apply, people!

01:20:10 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Hello friends. Here is the latest update to WA DOH guidance "What to do if you Test Positive for COIVD-19?" <https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2022-02/COVIDcasepositive.pdf>

01:20:12 - Gunther: - Reacted to "@ Miracle worker tea..." with 👍

01:22:04 - Jennie Schoeppe: - CDC / FDA recommending use of bivalent vaccine vs monovalent AND a 2nd "Spring" booster will be recommended for those who are 65+ and all people who are immunocompromised. More info coming!

01:22:44 - Richard Dorsett: - How does Sarah help her friend?

01:23:35 - Mark Askins: - Replying to "@Miracle Mesaages >...."

Thanks so much Patrica. We also work with hospitals throughout the US to help them ID family members of incapacitated unhoused patients to provide a point of contact and decision making.

01:23:42 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "@Miracle Mesaages >...." with ❤️

01:23:51 - Gunther: - Does "Miracle Messages" use this registry for loved ones looking for homeless relatives? <https://namus.nij.ojp.gov/>

01:26:19 - Sally Perkins: - Does the HEAL Team do CE for the people they interact with?

01:26:27 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Does the HEAL Team d..." with 😊



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01:27:21 - Norman Brickhouse: - Can you put this flyer/Information sheet in the chat?

01:27:28 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Here is this slide as a graphic, if you prefer:

01:28:30 - Sally Perkins: - Thank you, Rob.

01:29:03 - Courtney Love LEC: - That 90 day re-up is a burden for people who can't track what day of the week it is, let alone 90 days later

01:29:14 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "That 90 day re-up is..." with 🙌

01:29:32 - Korama Williams: - so very true Courtney.

01:29:42 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "so very true Courtne..." with 🙌

01:29:52 - Kenneth King: - "priority pool" vs. "intensive and redirecting to existing supports"

01:29:57 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to ""priority pool" vs. ..." with ❤️

01:30:17 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to ""priority pool" vs. ..."

We progressive engagement

01:30:23 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to ""priority pool" vs. ..."

We \*need

01:30:45 - Sally Perkins: - cAn we get these slides too? Thanks.

01:30:59 - Korama Williams: - Replying to ""priority pool" vs. ..."

agreed

01:31:01 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Disproportionate impact illustrated right there

01:31:25 - Rob Huff (he/him): - I have taken snapshots of the slides and will drop them in the chat when I get a chance to crop them

01:31:45 - Sally Perkins: - 90 day re-up creates confusion about getting knocked off the CE list which causes people to give up on trying to stay in CE.

01:32:03 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "90 day re-up creates..." with 🙄

01:32:25 - Cynthia Stewart: - Is this dashboard online anywhere?

01:32:54 - Sally Perkins: - This info needs to be publicly available if it isn't already.

01:33:47 - Oneida Arnold: - Agreed! We know that race plays the critical role in who gets housing.

01:34:07 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Agreed! We know that..." with 🙌

01:34:55 - Kenneth King: - Will this information be added to the service count, and accepted by Tacoma and pierce as we move forward

01:35:07 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Agreed! We know that..." with 🙄

01:35:16 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "{B15652CE-8EBC-438F-B046-9E581C4D0BFA}.png" with 👍

01:35:39 - Oneida Arnold: - You just did...

01:35:39 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Agreed! We know that..." with 🙌

01:35:54 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "90 day re-up creates..." with 🙌

01:36:05 - Sally Perkins: - Please make it available. it is critically important to understanding the size of the challenge and the deeper hole we are digging ourselves into by not having enough housing referral options.

01:36:20 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Please make it avail..." with 🙌

01:36:40 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Please make it avail..." with 🙌

01:36:54 - Mark Askins: - Do the organizations that do the coordinated entry have open meetings?



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- 01:37:07 - Gaiety Jay - IPPC RM: - Currently there is close to 1800 households in the Prioritized List (Priority Pool).
- 01:37:22 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Another way to interpret the low "return to homelessness" by "diverted" people is that - because they were given no hope of resources because they would be too low on the priority pool - they never returned to coordinated entry. All data is vulnerable to spin
- 01:37:24 - Kerri Hill: - It would help so much with fundraising efforts, and appealing to councilmembers would be reducing inbox/call/311 messages
- 01:37:28 - Courtney Love LEC: - The County's comprehensive plan to end homelessness prioritizes transparency and accountability. Make'em public
- 01:37:40 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "The County's compreh..." with 🙌
- 01:37:42 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "The County's compreh..." with 🙌
- 01:38:21 - Jennifer Ammons: - Reacted to "The County's compreh..." with 🙌
- 01:38:26 - Kenneth King: - this plus the upcoming PIT numbers, plus the self reporting on programs such as M-V (Schools) need to be combined for a better snapshot
- 01:38:33 - Jake Nau: - Replying to "Currently there is c..."  
And 74 referring last month, I believe the chart said. Lol
- 01:38:41 - Sally Perkins: - Many unhoused people KNOW that being in CE is probably not going to help them so their motivation to stay in CE goes down.
- 01:38:47 - Rian Booker: - Not criticizing! Just want more! 😊
- 01:38:51 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Replying to "Currently there is c..."

Yes, I believe that is the number for March.

- 01:38:52 - Cynthia Stewart: - I've just asked Delmar Algee to get this material posted.
- 01:38:58 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - How many recycle through the 90 day reapplication? How many stop reapplying after a few years?
- 01:39:05 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "I've just asked Delm..." with 🙌
- 01:39:05 - Jan Runbeck: - Dana, you made the "system" understandable in simple English. Well done!
- 01:39:20 - Kerri Hill: - How does this track those who agencies have lost touch with?
- 01:39:21 - Courtney Love LEC: - HUD recommends, but Pierce doesn't, to limit the CE list to only the number we can serve.
- 01:39:26 - Kenneth King: - Theresa, good question
- 01:39:38 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "How does this track ..." with 🙌
- 01:39:44 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "How many recycle thr..." with 🙌
- 01:39:48 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "I've just asked Delm..." with 🙌
- 01:39:59 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Many unhoused people..." with 🙌
- 01:40:03 - Rian Booker: - Reacted to "Currently there is c..." with 🙌
- 01:40:07 - Sally Perkins: - Does the HEAL Team do CE sith the people they interact with?
- 01:40:09 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Dana and other CE workers: You can't house people if you don't have enough housing. I appreciate the hard (and impossible) task you are engaged in.
- 01:40:21 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Dana and other CE wo..." with ❤️
- 01:40:24 - Courtney Love LEC: - Reacted to "Dana and other CE wo..." with 🙌
- 01:40:34 - Alan Brown: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

No, but the PATH teams do.





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- 01:40:35 - Kenneth King: - ... train or bus tickets... ?  
01:40:35 - Timothy Harris: - Reacted to "Dana and other CE wo..." with ❤️  
01:40:55 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "How many recycle thr..." with 👍  
01:40:56 - Alan Brown: - Replying to "... train or bus ticke..."

Yes.

- 01:41:26 - Kenneth King: - Thank you, that has been a hinderance on our end  
01:41:39 - Caleb Carbone: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

The HEAL team does not but we have begin to start that conversation now that we have more HEAL Team members.

- 01:42:25 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Dana and other CE wo..." with 🙌  
01:42:37 - Kerri Hill: - Replying to "Currently there is c..."

They need to announce these numbers publicly at Council meetings at least once a month, show these slides etc

- 01:43:27 - Kenneth King: - Did we find out if 211 was able to keep their navigators?  
01:43:30 - Courtney Love LEC: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

Stop hiring cops! The city needs non-police crisis response teams!

- 01:43:38 - Rob Huff (he/him): - Reacted to "Stop hiring cops! Th..." with 🙌  
01:43:50 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Stop hiring cops! Th..." with 👍  
01:43:50 - Mark Askins: - Reacted to "The HEAL team does n..." with 👍  
01:44:00 - Mark Askins: - Reacted to "Stop hiring cops! Th..." with 🙌  
01:44:08 - Norman Brickhouse: - I have to go to another meeting - Keep doing the great job  
01:44:37 - Sally Perkins: - Thank you, Caleb. For the folks getting swept, it would be great to have the CE done for those who wish to be in the CE system.  
01:45:04 - Kerri Hill: - There is a bulk book place in NW Portland that does special orders but it must be requested through a nonprofit  
01:45:24 - Caleb Carbone: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

I was referring the HEAL Team members that are outreach workers.

- 01:45:34 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

Or the city could coordinate with others already doing CE and work as a team. If the HEAL team continues to be tasked with sweeping the vast areas required by Tacoma's camping ban - how can we expect them to take on anything new?

- 01:45:53 - Kenneth King: - Did I miss the average numbers of households or individuals on the priority pool?  
01:46:01 - PATRICIA .: - @Richard... let's talk offline, I have ideas  
01:46:05 - Beverley Thomas: - Reacted to "Dana and other CE wo..." with ❤️  
01:46:45 - Oneida Arnold: - Thank you for this data!  
01:46:46 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Hey Richard, what about the school districts? The kiddo books would be great to get into our schools as well.  
01:47:09 - Jennie Schoeppe: - (Im multi tasking, so apologies if someone already mentioned that)  
01:48:18 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."



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@Courtney Love LEC is HEAL team made up of cops?

01:48:49 - Kerri Hill: - Replying to "There is a bulk book..."

<https://www.bbb.org/us/or/portland/profile/new-books/bulk-bookstore-1296-1000074720>

01:49:11 - Rian Booker: - Richard, can you list the book titles in the chat?

01:50:11 - Jennie Schoeppe: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

(asking because I've heard the accusation but I haven't heard a clear explanation of this).

01:50:29 - Caleb Carbone: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

Our HEAL team is now transitioning their efforts to specific sectors and will be working on addressing the 311 requests based on those areas. So it would be great if HEAL team members will be able to do it themselves and partner with agencies. Great point Theresa!

01:50:30 - Kerri Hill: - Kings Books also does book orders by patrons for groups like the Remann Hall book group and publicizes this on their mailing list

01:50:54 - Sally Perkins: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

TPD officers do participate with other HEAL Team members.

01:51:58 - Caleb Carbone: - Replying to "Does the HEAL Team d..."

Yes Sally is correct.

01:52:41 - Kenneth King: - Caleb, 311? so private property calls?

01:54:00 - Caleb Carbone: - 311 are both private property and public property. There are several types of requests that are assigned to HEAL. The most common is request for outreach.

02:05:05 - Beverley Thomas: - Participants in Breakout room primarily do preventative work.

02:05:17 - Richard Dorsett: - Someone asked for book titles; here is my message to Mayor and titles are included.

I am very pleased to see the selections announced for 2023 Tacoma Reads. The written word and stories about lived experiences are powerful means to change how people think and talk about housing instability and homelessness. There are many reading groups in Tacoma, and between now and November I hope all of them can read one or all of the books you have selected. I have already begun encouraging people I know to read "A Place Called Home" (David Ambroz), "Genesis Begins Again" (Alicia D. Williams), and "Home" (Tonya Lippert) and to include them as selections for their own book groups. In the months between now and November, please let me know if I can be of service helping to get these books in the hands and before the eyes of as many Tacoma readers as possible. We can end homelessness in Tacoma. Books like these offer a path to clear-headed understanding and effective solutions.

02:05:49 - Rian Booker: - Notes from Room 1:

Richard, Tim, Rosemary, Kerri, and Courtney are awesome.

02:06:07 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Notes from Room 1:

R..." with 🙌🙌

02:06:26 - Timothy Harris: - Rm one: our community provides the emotional support to keep doing this work. Hoping for game changer ideas that will make the critical difference. Dignity City is going to launch in June. Need to figure out launch event.



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02:06:41 - Jennifer Ammons: - Reacted to "Notes from Room 1:

R..." with ❤️

02:06:44 - Richard Dorsett: - Equity officer pulls down \$185,000 per year. Sweeps don't seem on her radar.

02:06:46 - Timothy Harris: - Reacted to "Notes from Room 1:

R..." with 👍

02:06:50 - Jan Runbeck: - Rm 2 talked about the support we get from others. Reminder: Social hour, May 4, 4 - 7 pm, Scamps on S Tacoma Way. Bring a sharable.

02:06:51 - Kenneth King: - oof

02:07:17 - Kerri Hill: - Reacted to "Equity officer pulls..." with 😬

02:08:15 - Kerri Hill: - What time/place for Thursday action again?

02:08:40 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Alan: Great way to start!

02:10:06 - Jan Runbeck: - Scamp Brewing, 5419 S Tacoma Way. First Thursday, May 4, from 4 pm - 7 pm. Bring a sharable, or not. Just come,

02:11:22 - Kerri Hill: - NLIHC just put out a new eviction erasure tool as well

02:11:52 - Kenny Coble コーブル健: - Let's all go to the May social!!

02:12:03 - Theresa Power-Drutis: - Scamps is a great little neighborhood spot

02:12:22 - Jennifer Ammons: - [tacomaprobono.org](http://tacomaprobono.org)

02:12:25 - Kerri Hill: - Replying to "Let's all go to the ..."

Does this mean you're cooking 🍳

02:12:51 - Jan Runbeck: - Park in the alley at Scamp. Free & easy.

02:13:59 - Mark Askins: - Reacted to "Let's all go to the ..." with 👍

02:14:04 - Dean Frazier: - Gotta go to another meeting. Thanks everyone.  
[dean.frazier@molinahealthcare.com](mailto:dean.frazier@molinahealthcare.com)

02:14:12 - Laurie Davenport: - Tacomaprobono Community Lawyers phone: (253) 572-5134, 10-noon and 1-3 p.m. Monday-Thursday

02:15:23 - Kenneth King: - back in a moment