

WNC HOMELESS COALITION
Regular Meetings -2nd Thursday of the month
April 9th, 2020 10:00 am -11:00 am
Referral and Monitoring Meeting/RRH Selection Committee 11:00-12:00 pm

AGENDA

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INTRODUCTIONS

STANDING AGENDA ITEMS

- Introductions/ Attendance
- Review & Approval of March Minutes
- Balance of State Steering Committee Update
 - Top priorities for initial response to COVID-19 in homelessness system:
 - Safety and Health Supplies for Emergency Shelter and Unsheltered
 - CDC guidelines for homeless shelters to keep people healthy. Support the health of people living in unsheltered settings.
 - Medical Shelter
 - Provide quarantine and isolation options for people who are symptomatic or who test positive for COVID-19. Provide recovery or care options for patients experiencing homelessness to receive care for other health issues to preserve hospital beds.
 - Housing Stabilization
 - Move people out of homelessness and into housing so they can follow social distancing and hygiene guidelines to reduce the spread.
 - Keep people at-risk of homelessness in their housing with the ability to stay-at-home.
 - Funding & Performance Subcommittee Priorities
 - Ensure essential infrastructure is in place (HMIS & CE)
 - Ensure adequate coverage of PSH
 - Increase availability for RRH
 - Ensure CoC funding is being used well, including potentially reallocating some funding from projects that have patterns of poor spending or poor performance.
 - Increasing RRH - tier 2 priority; Increasing PSH - tier 3
 - Domestic Violence Rapid Rehousing project denied
- Coordinated Assessment Update
 - Coordinated Entry Evaluation - *postponed*
 - HERE now has a Coordinated Entry Project in HMIS and will begin moving towards conducting CE through HMIS.
- Rapid Rehousing Update
 - \$36,934.85 spent out of \$61,500 for the year. Increased allotments are expected to be received to provide response to COVID-19.

- Waivers - ESG has requested a waiver from HUD to not apply the FMR cap for new leases signed for the next six months (or until October). *To place a client in a unit above FMR, you must first submit a completed Rent Reasonableness certification to HERE for approval.*
- Permanent Supportive Housing Update
- Agency Report Outs
 - COVID-19 Response Report Outs by county

OTHER AGENDA ITEMS

NEXT RAMM MEETING - April 23rd at 11 AM (via telephone only)
Dial in Telephone: 224 475 1422
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NEXT COALITION MEETING - May 14th at 10 AM