**Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness Weekly Meeting Agenda July 24th, 2020**

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| 9:00 | **Voting in the era of COVID-19**  Purpose: Ways we and out clients can pull the lever  Leader: Julie Anderson, Pierce County Auditor - julie.anderson@piercecountywa.gov  |
| 9:15 | **Outreach Circle model to get the vote out** Purpose: Learn how to increase voter participation Leader: Ann Williams - willar12000@yahoo.com and Nancy Dahl - nkdahl66@hotmail.com - League of Women Voters |
| 9:45 | **Small Group Breakout - Planning for the coming Tsunami** Purpose: Discuss plans or concerns about potential homelessness caused by the end of the eviction moratorium and the end of the federal unemployment support. Leader: Gerrit Nyland, Coalition to End Homelessness – gnyland@pchomeless.org |
| 10:25 | **Elimination of Discrimination Investigators Update** Purpose: Understand Tacoma’s plan to eliminate housing and employment discrimination investigators  Leader: Gerrit Nyland, Homeless Coalition – gnyland@pchomeless.org  |
| 10:30 | **Advocacy Update** Purpose: Understand the work  Leader: Maureen Howard, Senior Policy Analyst - maureenhowardconsulting@gmail.com |
| 10:40 | **Safe Parking Update**  Purpose: understand what we need to do to support this work Leaders: Janet Runbeck, RN, MN - janetrunbeck@gmail.com  Colin DeForrest, i2 Strategies - colin@i2-strategies.com |
| 10:45 | **Government Updates**  Purpose: Understand the current efforts underway* Manu Rodriguez, Tacoma Pierce County Health Department - mrodriguez@tpchd.org
* Ivan Tudela, Pierce County Emergency Management - ivan.tudela@piercecountywa.gov
* Valeri Knight, Pierce County Human Services - valeri.knight@piercecountywa.gov
* Allyson Griffith, City of Tacoma - agriffith@cityoftacoma.org
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| 10:50 | **Shelter Updates** Purpose: Updates about shelter operations Nativity House, Adams Street, Tacoma Rescue Mission Men’s Shelter, Comprehensive Life Resources Young Adult Shelter, The Coffee Oasis Sara House, Catholic Community Services Family Day Center, MDC at Bethlehem Baptist, Altheimer, LIHI TEMS Shelter, Helping Hand House, Others? |
| 11:00 | **Networking** Geometric portrait of Maya Angelou by Allison Kunath / ink on ... Purpose: “If you have only one smile in you give it  to the people you love.” – Maya Angelou |

Next Meeting: Friday, July 31st - 9:00am

Contact Gerrit Nyland (gerritn@ccsww.org or 253-304-5105) to add an item to the agenda.

Resources, Listserv and Meeting info: [http://www.pchomeless.org/](http://www.pchomeless.org/%20)

# Committee 2019-20 Work Plans

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| Racial Equity | Leadership Team: Heidi Nagel – Comprehensive Life Resources –  hnagel@cmhshare.onmicrosoft.com Benjamin Feldbush, Comprehensive Life Resources -  bfeldbush@cmhshare.org  |
| Charter: Better serve communities of color |
| Goals | * In Development
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| Workforce Development | Leadership Team: Kelly Blucher, Goodwill - KellyB@goodwillwa.org Sherri Jensen, Valeo Vocations sherri@valeovocation.org |
| Charter: Increase income through employment |
| Goals | * Get 10 organizations enlisted in the 253Works Job Club program
* Organize 3 Hire253 hiring fairs
* Increase Hiring success at Hire253 to 110% of all attendees
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| Advocacy | Leadership Team: Cynthia Stewart – League of Women Voters - stewdahl@comcast.net Carolyn Read – St. Leo’s - readcarolyn@comcast.net Maureen Howard, Senior Policy Analyst maureenhowardconsulting@gmail.com |
| Charter: Advocate for better laws, policies and funding around housing and homelessness |
| Goals | * Connect to 4 other key advocacy groups around homeless issues
* Develop selected policy and funding action agenda for Pierce County, Tacoma and 2020 WA Legislature
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| Innovative Shelter Team | Leadership Team: Theresa Power-Drutis, New Connections - tpdrutis@nctacoma.org  |
| Charter: Increase temporary and permanent shelter stock for individuals with very low income |
| Goals  | * Identify rural tiny house village site and agency to fundraise for and operate site
* Establish Tent City site and agency to fundraise for and operate site
* Advocate for other alternative, temporary shelter options: Safe Lot; Youth Shelter; Urban Rest-stop.
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| Community Connections | Leadership Team: Richard Berghammer, FBC - ministrycounseling@comcast.net Pamm Silver – Pamm.Silver@MolinaHealthCare.Com Sheila Miraflor – Molina - Sheila.Miraflor@molinahealthcare.com |
| Charter: Increase housing retention and client stability with the newly housed |
| Goals | * Develop a Mentoring program with periodic care conferences are recommended.
* Maintain continuity of support, beginning with Stability Site (or wherever) to their home.
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