

Coalition Housing Committee

July 22, 2021 via Zoom

Agenda

4pm: Introductions - Name and Organization/Affiliation

4:05: Changes to the Agenda

4:10 Emerging Issues/Reports from other housing groups/sources

Status of Emergency Housing Vouchers from Continuum of Care 7/21

Other?

4:15 Advocacy Opportunities and Policy Discussions

Shelter vs Housing - How Should We Prioritize Resources?

Pierce County Shelter Work Group: updates from 7/22 meeting

Pierce County Comp. Plan to End Homelessness Steering Committee updates from 7/16

National -

- [Housing is Infrastructure Act \(H.R.4497\): NLIHC's fact sheet](#)
- [Ending Homelessness Act \(H.R.4496\): NLIHC's fact sheet](#)
- Call your members of Congress and urge them to co-sponsor the Housing is Infrastructure Act and Ending Homelessness Act! If enacted, the bills would provide the robust resources needed to ensure the lowest-income and most marginalized households have safe, affordable, and accessible homes. Find out how to contact your members of Congress at <https://www.govtrack.us/>.

State - State Capital Budget

- HTF Trainings & Resources webpage: <https://www.commerce.wa.gov/building-infrastructure/housing/housing-trust-fund/resources-trainings/>
- Summary of Biennial Appropriations: <https://deptofcommerce.app.box.com/file/822939076430?s=usgongfovj53pww7jj9rjfh68vloshv9>
- Housing Trust Fund Policy Advisory Team webpage: <https://www.commerce.wa.gov/building-infrastructure/housing/housing-trust-fund/policy-advisory-team/>

4:45 - Development Opportunities Update

Capacity Building and Technical Assistance for Small Housing Organizations

How realistic are new operating models: RV parks, rooming houses, boarding homes, shared housing? Financing models - government, non-governmental

4:55 - Good of the Order

Conference on Ending Homelessness (Oct 6, 7 & 8). Register: <https://coeh2021.hubilo.com>