



## Mohave County Homeless Continuum of Care



### **Mohave County Homeless Continuum of Care Meeting Minutes**

**Date** October 16, 2024

**Location** Mohave County Administration Building, 700 W. Beale St. Kingman AZ, 86401  
Saguaro Conference Room

**Board Officers Present:** Kelly Williams-Greer, Chairman; Joey Bourgeois, Co-Chair; Danielle Holloway, Co-Chair; Joyce Sanchez-Torres, Secretary

**Members Present:** Chaisea Marshall, Kaysie Medrano, Natasha Taggart, Kim Leighton, Rebecca Ligori, Joe Debaca, Elizabeth Kinkade, Melissa Mueller, Trent Chambers, Nayilla Nunez, Dawn King, Tracey Yost, Tami Thompson, Corena Martinez, Donna Hendrickson, Patty Kelly, Joe Throneberry, Joey Bourgeois, Stephane Wabo, Darcy McArthur, Kelly Tanner, Kristin Bandy, Amy McReynolds, Colleen Hopkins, Shauna Hammon, Kristi A. Denk, Mayday R. Levine, Wendy Kasprzyk-Roberts, Joseph Acevedo, Danielle Lagana, Cydni Irving, Joy Phelps, Heather Crawford, Helen Ekholt, Jazmyne Tarkowski, Ricarda DeAnda, Don Bischoff, Pat Farrell, Mona Acayturri, Melissa Palmer, Corytha Gastineau, Ali De La Trinidad, Jamie Hinz, Lauren McGregor, Ally Lomeli, Terra Sue Honey, Lorrie Duggins, Bridget Hecker, Christina Register, Debra Herr, Deidre Barlow, Desiree Hamodey, Jamie Bernier, Jason Millin, Larry Matthews, Lynne Valentine, Robert Scott, Ruben Ramirez, Sara Ungaro, Shawna Mattingly, Tamari Frey, Tami Thompson

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#### **Discussion and Possible Action Re: Approval of August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024, Meeting Minutes**

Chairman Williams asked members present to review the attached meeting minutes and asked if there were any needed changes or correction.

Motion: Chaisea Marshall made a motion to accept June 12th, 2024, Meeting Minutes as written.

2nd: Joshua Ramirez second the motion.

Vote: Unanimous

#### **Presentation: Post-Secondary Trauma (Kelly Tanner)**

Chairman Williams begins the meeting by announcing that there will be no presentation today as Kelly Tanner from AZYP has emergent matter with her organization. AZYP had a funding freeze so Chairman Williams asks the entire CoC if there are any resources to help those who will be affected by this freeze. Kelly Tanner wrote in the chat that they are not on hold, but they are done and waiting to get reimbursed one final time.

#### **Discussion and Possible Action: First PIT Count Meeting**

Discussion of the upcoming PIT count season.

Chairman Williams proposed holding the first PIT count meeting on October 30th at 10:00

AM.

Bre Schroder added a suggestion to adjust to October 29th if attendees are available due to overlapping events.

Motion: Jamie Bernier

2<sup>nd</sup>: Co-Chair Holloway

Vote: Unanimous

### **Discussion and Possible Action: VI-SPDAT Sub-Assessment**

Secretary Sanchez-Torres brings to the table the new VI-SPDAT Sub-Assessment, she notes that these were the suggestions and changes that were sent out the last meeting. This sub assessment was created during COVID and has not been updated since. She reads out the form and asks for a motion to approve.

Motion: Co-Chair Bourgeois

2<sup>nd</sup>: Jamie Bernier

Vote: Unanimous

### **Discussion and Possible Action: Fresh Start Flyer**

Secretary Sanchez-Torres brings to the table the newest version of the Fresh Start Resource and Hiring Event Flyer and asks the committee to approve for the public.

Motion: Joshua Ramirez

2<sup>nd</sup>: Bre Schroder

Vote: Unanimous

### **Discussion and Possible Action: Fresh Start Updates**

Secretary Sanchez Torres discusses updates to the Fresh Start Resource and Hiring Event, most resources are allocated and ready to go. The Work Group has been working diligently to ensure that gaps are closed. Some issues include allocating donations for food, Volunteers for Navigators, and Employers.

### **Discussion Only Re: Local Sub-Committee Update**

#### **Balance of State-Updates**

Grant phase- NOFOs are being worked on.

#### **Case Conferencing-Updates**

There wasn't an updated by-name list last week due to the holiday, and there will be training the following week with Solari to train the team on the by-name list.

#### **Criminal Justice Committee**

Mohave County Jail did a groundbreaking on September 24<sup>th</sup>. They're putting a like a new Resource Center for those being released out of jail so resources can be right there when they exit. Oxford House is having an open house on the 23rd.

**JEDI Committee**

No Updates from Patty Jacques.

**Veteran Outreach Committee**

There will be a monthly encampment outreach monthly by the committee. Next meeting will be on November 20<sup>th</sup> at 10 am and will be hybrid.

**Membership Committee**

Amazing attendance by all members of the Continuum of Care.

**Continuum of Care Service Provider Updates**

**MSTEPP-** Walk away from drugs tonight.

**WACOG-** Ms. Lucero makes an announcement that WACOG is now packagers for USDA for direct loans for low-income households.

**Phoenix Truck Driving School-** Invitation to a cdl open house this Saturday October 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 to 11:00. If anybody is interested in setting up a table or a booth to talk about your services. Please contact Darcy McArthur.

**KAAP-** Cheisea Marshall Race against Domestic Violence this Friday October 18<sup>th</sup>, fundraised money goes to Christmas presents for children in the shelter.

**Mohave County Community Services-** Michael Smith notes the city town hall for crime and homelessness was well received. One way to improved how provider updates go is that all service providers update their services and shelter capacities.

**ATLAS:** Jason Millin introduces self as the new OSO and asks all member organizations to give ATLAS a second chance and requested a round table of questions and concerns.

Catholic Charities- Hosting a chamber mixer on November 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm.

**Chairman's Report:**

Nothing to report.

**Call to the Public**

Nothing to Report

**Adjournment**

Meeting was adjourned at 2:03 pm