

Winnebagoland Housing Coalition

August 7, 2019

Hooper Community Center Basement

36 Broad St

Oshkosh, WI 54901

Attendance: Kay Hinton, Melissa Meidam, Amanda Hammond, Lu Scheer, Kathy Thunes, Julia Garvey, Kathie Sutton, Darlene Brandt, Lynnsey Erickson, Susan Tucker, Amy Lang, Jeffrey Harbridge, Mike Bonertz, Amy Samens, and Sandra Reeves.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made and carried to approve the June 2019 minutes.

Discussion:

- Discuss/Update the Winnebagoland Housing Coalition Continuum of Care (see attached document) –last update or creation was 5/10/2006. We updated the Flow chart. Suggestion to add a list of landlords from Donn Lord.

Reports:

- Case Managers Network – No August meeting, next meeting 9/11/19 at 9am at Salvation Army
- Shelter Count Numbers on June 26th, 2019 – Amanda Hammond
 - Christine Ann – 31 (7 individuals) (7 families: 7 mothers and 17 children)
 - Day by Day – closed
 - Father Carr's – 51 (24 Men) (19 Women) (3 mothers and 5 children)
 - ADVOCAP Transitional – 7 (Full) (One family of 4 and one family of 3)
- Shelter Count Numbers on July 24th, 2019
 - Christine Ann – 15 (7 individuals) (2 moms and 6 children)
 - Day by Day – closed
 - Father Carr's – 44 (19 men) (12 women) (5 mothers and 8 children)
 - ADVOCAP Transitional – 7 (Full) (One family of 4 and one family of 3)
- Balance of State Update –

- WIBOSCOC Quarterly Meeting – August 8-9th, 2019 – Lac du Flambeau, WI

Susan Tucker asked that we respond to the Request for Collaborative Application. See the document emailed and send input by 8/14 to Susan Tucker susant@advocap.org.

- Point in Time Count & Resource Fair on July 25th, 2019– 13 or 14 found in overnight count, 17 attended Resource Fair, 13 agencies were present with a table at the fair.

Agency Announcements:

ADVOCAP: ADVOCAP has been awarded a two year, \$854,295 grant from the State of Wisconsin Department of Administration to be used for a Tenant Based Rental Assistance program. TBRA Program funds currently available and ADVOCAP needs referrals. TBRA offers Short term (up to 24 months) rent subsidy similar to Section 8 Housing Choice Vouches to homeless households and those at risk of homelessness with no case management. This program could assist up to 40 households including low barrier household. First come first served. No income minimum. Rapid rehousing grant available for victims of Domestic violence or fleeing Domestic violence. 3 counties. 10 slots served. Up to 2 years with case management. No income minimum.

Oshkosh/Winnebago County Housing Authority (OHA/WCHA): Waiting list closed for Housing Choice Voucher Program, Waite Rug Place and Raulf Place. Back to School Fair will be on 8/15.

Partnership: Partnership has 10 slots for Dental Care with 4 dentists on staff. If they do not have insurance, clients can get assistance and partnership can serve anyone. Let me help facilitate healthcare.

City of Oshkosh: City is working on Fair Housing, updating 5 year Consolidated Plan, Public service block program (CDBG) , a new shelter for women with AODA issues (collaboration with Reach and Solutions Recovery), and applying for a 1.5-2 million lead based grant.

Day by Day Warming Shelter: Day by Day is providing drop in hours 2 times per week for laundry and showers.

ECWRPC: They are updating the region's Long-Range Transportation Plan in 2019-2020 for Fox Cities, FDL and Oshkosh.

Adjourn: A motion made and carried to adjourn.

Next Meeting: Wednesday September 4, 2019 at 9am.

Please contact Amanda Hammond at help@warmingshelter.com if you are unable to attend. Please also submit future agenda items or ideas to Amanda.

Mission – The Winnebagoland Housing Coalition will maximize resources to identify and address affordable housing needs in our community.

Kay Hinton

Winnebagoland Housing Coalition Secretary