

Supportive Housing & Homelessness Working Group

February 23, 2022, 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm Meeting Summary

Attendees: Cathie Foley, Clare Novak, Anne Rarick, Danielle Seagal, Lisa Madden, Suzi Lagrandeur, Brendan Phillips, and Jazmin

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Facilitation: Tara Zuardo and Kristina Kind

Topics	Discussion	Next steps
Point in Time Count	 The Point in Time Count will begin February 24, 2022. Anyone under 24 in Nevada County sleeping on a couch or other homelessness could be counted as homeless on the Nevada County survey only. NTTHS will get 40 Safeway gift cards today. Nevada County results will be posted to BetterTogetherNevadaCounty.org once available 	 Kristina post press release to MHC website. Contact Danielle at NTTHS if in need of Safeway gift cards.
Nevada County Update:	 No Place Like Home application for Pacific Crest Commons is scoring high in comparison to other similar size counties. Hope to hear more information soon. About to begin a first-year Landlord Incentive Engagement Program with AMI Housing. Modeled after other counties, like building effective landlord partnerships in Santa Clara County 	

	 Central plank of County's plan to boost retention rate and keep people housed by deepening relationships with landlords, motivating and incentivizing landlords to rent to vulnerable clients, and reassuring landlords that there are support services, strategies in place with the tenant. This program would also help facilitate collaboration rather than having providers competing for limited resources 	
North Tahoe Truckee Homeless Services Update	 Emergency Warming Center is seeing 10 and 18 people a night. So far it has been open for 36 nights and has sheltered 36 unhoused guests. The shelter was really busy during the holiday highway 80 closure. There have been 195 unique individual visits to the Day Center as of the end of Jan. NTTHS is hiring for a part time administrator and a case manager (shared position with Brown Bear Studios). Please share. Storytelling: A sad story but a testament to the work. A former guest passed away a few days ago. He was unsheltered and cared for over a year by staff and was able to pass in a safe place/home with a friend. 	
Temporary Community Housing Tiger Team	 This team would be committed to pursuing a pilot for the region in addition to what we do for homeless services. Model something off the Telluride Program (watch the fist 25 mins of MHC's quarterly meeting to learn more). The workforce is the intended population for this program 	 Anne, Danielle, Clare, and Jazmin are interested in joining the Tiger Team. Join us for a brainstorming session with Telluride on March 16th at 4 PM to learn more. Register here.

	 Danielle reached out to a contact of the Summit County Safe Parking program for more information. Stay tuned for more information. 	
United for Action Update	Bringing back program through St. Francis Church in Incline Village to shelter people in a hotel when the Emergency Warming Center isn't open.	