

TX-600 Continuum of Care, Serving Dallas & Collin Counties July 25, 2023, 9:00 a.m. Zoom

MINUTES

Welcome/Mission Moment

The meeting was called to order at 9:01 am by Dr. David Woody, Chair of the General Assembly. The Mission Moment was presented by Ara Grimaldo Saintus, Executive Director of After8toEducate.

Approval of June 2023 minutes

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Dr. Leon Holeman and seconded by Valerie Palmer, no nays were recorded.

Document Collection Resource Share

Twana Northcutt (Manager of Homeless Services, Stewpot) provided information on how the Stewpot helps clients with vital documents like IDs, social security cards, and birth certificates. They work off the CAS list, but also take clients from all service providers.

Introduction to Rachel Wilson, USICH

Joli Robinson (President & CEO, Housing Forward) introduced Rachel Wilson from United States Interagency Council on Homelessness (USICH). Rachel is supporting the All Inside Initiative for the Dallas and Collin counties.

ANC Survey Results

David Gruber (Sr. Director of Development and Communications, Housing Forward) gave a presentation of the results for the All Neighbors Coalition annual survey. Participation in the survey increased from last year.

NOFO Highlights

Trudy Hernandez (Director of Performance Management, Housing Forward) provided updates about the CoC NOFO and the annual renewal demand. Housing Forward will be applying on behalf of the community. She gave a tentative timeline for this year's competition.

Executive Council Refresh and Expansion

Joli Robinson (President & CEO, Housing Forward) gave an update on what the CoC Executive Council is and that it is time to refresh this council and make sure that all areas are accounted for based on the charter. She went over the timeline for this expansion and the upcoming vote.

Announcements & Upcoming Trainings

Megan Starnes (Training Manager, Housing Forward) and Erica Barnett (Marketing and Communications Manager, Housing Forward) provided updates on upcoming training opportunities and community events. All training opportunities and community events are listed on the Housing Forward website at www.housingforwardntx.org

Networking Opportunity: Summer Wins

For comments or questions regarding All Neighbors Coalition General Assembly business, please contact Chair Dr. David Woody at dwoody@bridgehrc.org & Vice-Chair Brenda Snitzer at BrendaS@thestewpot.org

Meeting adjourned at 10:36 am