

August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021

2 - 3:30pm

<https://anokacounty.webex.com/meet/michele.reid>

1. Welcome and Introductions – via chat
  - a. Newest members share
    - i. Agency, who they serve and what they do
    - ii. See bottom of agenda for attendance
2. Any changes/edits to minutes from July 14<sup>th</sup> meeting - **Attachment**
3. Prevention/Outreach –Barb/Michele – 15 minutes - **PowerPoint and minutes dated 8.4.21**
  - a. **Q8** Expenditure and Output Report
    - i. Information:
      - i. Overall as grantee= 87% spending, right where the state wants us to be.
      - ii. RRH: Are slightly behind in spending
    - ii. Vote needed: Allow subgrantee the freedom to move money where needed to spend all funding by the end of the grant.
      - i. Discussion:
        - a. Funding gets moved from direct assistance to direct assistance (either with-in a program or between) but never to support staffing costs
      - ii. Vote: Barb motioned to vote; Libby seconded it; **motion passes:**
        - a. Vote in Chat: from MarkM to everyone: 2:17 PM  
Yes
        - b. from Matt Lewis to everyone: 2:17 PM  
Yes/Yay/Aye
        - c. from Elizabeth G. Pelletier to everyone: 2:17 PM  
Yes
        - d. from bsopp to everyone: 2:17 PM  
Yes
        - e. from Alex Pepin to everyone: 2:17 PM  
Yes
        - f. from jennifer lyman to everyone: 2:17 PM  
yes
        - g. from Shannon Gregory to everyone: 2:17 PM  
Yay
        - h. from Jennifer Horton She/Her to everyone: 2:18 PM  
Yes
  - b. FHPAP Award for Anoka County
    - i. Information:
      - i. Award Amount 2021-2023 \$794,100 (See slides for more details)
        - a. 1% decrease from the current grant (See slides for details)
      - ii. Discussion:
        - a. Do we continue to fund youth outreach?
          - i. Catching youth further upstream prior to homelessness, intervening earlier
          - ii. Huge need for huge need for street outreach but not specifically a youth specific-we see a lot more adults than youth
            1. Intent was to get street outreach as a whole
          - iii. MACV are working on engaging the Native community in our new street outreach program
      - b. Impact on YMCA/Salvation Army?

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- i. YMCA: We braid a lot of funding as an agency and we have done a lot of math and can't make this amount work. We know what it takes to do excellent programming and we don't want to short change youth or our county partners by providing low quality services
  - a. We can't sacrifice being able to pay staff equitably and have prevention/diversion
  - 2. Question: If we were able to reallocate Outreach spending to Prevention would the YMCA be able to work with this?
    - a. It is a possibility, we'd have to go back to the budget and look at it
  - 3. Comment: We really appreciate what you do as an organization and that you are looking out for your staff. I don't want to let that get lost in this conversation. We appreciate what you do for the community.
- ii. Salvation Army
  - 1. We also crunched numbers, it does look grim, we are meeting as a staff on the 23<sup>rd</sup>.
    - a. Definite community impact
    - b. Outcomes-will be lower than they are now
- iii. What would Street Outreach look like in this case?
  - 1. Streetworks trained
  - 2. Refer adults to appropriate CES
- iv. Michele will get feedback from MN Housing and get tips to improve to set us up for the next biennium
  - 1. Keeping in mind that the asks from everyone would be higher this time because of COVID, increased need, etc...
- c. Discussion: What is the priority in this community? Youth Street Outreach or Youth Prevention?
  - i. If the YMCA steps out how much spending are we missing out on?
    - 1. This year to-date outputs was 15/33
    - 2. Currently Spent: \$18,983/\$22,140 designated for youth care
  - ii. How many youth on the priority pool? Step 1 done?
    - 1. No youth in priority pool interested in living in Anoka
    - 2. 1-2 youth at the drop-ins per month
  - iii. Where can Youth Prevention services be done in the community if not the YMCA?
    - 1. Struggle with doing away with prevention completely for this reason above
  - iv. Hope4Youth
    - 1. Without the funding we will be doing it in some form or fashion, our goal was to solidify and institute the Outreach within the organization.
      - a. It wouldn't look like it did in our proposal
- d. **Action Items:**
  - i. Need to explore some options:
    - 1. Would the YMCA be able to do Prevention with the additional \$33,660?
    - 2. What would Outreach look like at Hope4Youth without the funding?
  - ii. By Monday, August 16<sup>th</sup> we will have responses from the YMCA and Hope4Youth on the above questions.
    - 1. Selection committee takes these responses into consideration and a meeting will be set to discuss it
    - 2. The selection committee will vote and that will be what we move forward with in the 2021-2023 biennium





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- 5. Agency Announcements, Requests, Successes, Challenges
- 6. Adjourn

### Next month's meeting reminders

Meeting	Date/Time	Location/gotomeeting/call-in option
Coordinated Entry Committee	Thurs. 9/2 9a-10:30am	<a href="https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/699295573">https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/699295573</a>
SMAC Governing Board	Tues. 8/17 1p-3p	<a href="https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/756256229">https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/756256229</a>
HHAHC Prevention and Outreach Subcommittee	Wed. 9/1 2p-3:30p	<a href="https://anokacounty.webex.com/meet/michele.reid">https://anokacounty.webex.com/meet/michele.reid</a> Meeting Number: 283187674
Heading Home Anoka Housing Collaborative	Wed. 9/8 2:00-3:30p	<a href="https://anokacounty.webex.com/meet/michele.reid">https://anokacounty.webex.com/meet/michele.reid</a> Meeting Number: 283187674

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## Glossary of Acronyms

ABAWD	Able-Bodied Adults Without Dependents	LSA	Local System Administrator
ACT	Assertive Community Treatment	LSS	Lutheran Social Service
AMRTC	Anoka Metro Regional Treatment Center	LTH	Long-term Homeless
CAF	Combined Application Form	MAC-V	Minnesota Assistance Council for Veterans
CCBHC	Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic	MCH	Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless
CE	Coordinated Entry	MI/MH	Mental Illness / Mental Health
CD	Chemical Dependency	MICH	Minnesota Interagency Council on Homelessness
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant	MICAH	Minnesota Interfaith Council on Affordable Housing
CH	Chronically Homeless	NOFA	Notice of Funding Availability
CoC	Continuum of Care	OEO	Office of Economic Opportunity
CVSO	County Veterans Service Officer	PIT	Point-In-Time
DHS	Minnesota Department of Human Services	PSH	Permanent Supportive Housing
DV	Domestic Violence	RFP	Request for Proposal
DWP	Diversionary Work Program	RRH	Rapid Re-Housing
EA/EGA	Emergency Assistance/Emergency General Assistance	RSDI	Retirement, Survivors, and Disability Insurance – Social Security
EITC	Earned Income Tax Credit	SMAC	Suburban Metro Area Continuum of Care
FHPAP	Family Homeless Prevention and Assistance Program	SNAP	Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (Food Stamps)
FPAC	Family Promise of Anoka County	SPMI	Serious and Persistent Mental Illness
GED	General Equivalency Diploma	SSA	State System Administrator
GRH	Group Residential Housing	SSDI/SSI	Social Security Disability Insurance/Supplemental Security Income
HHAHC	Heading Home Anoka Housing Collaborative	SSEH	Stepping Stone Emergency Housing
HIC	Housing Inventory Count	TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
HMIS	Homeless Management Information System	TH	Transitional Housing
HRA	Housing & Redevelopment Authority	THP	Transitional Housing Program
HS	Housing Supports (Formerly GRH)	VA	U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
HTF	Housing Trust Fund	VASH	Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing
HUD	U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development	VI-SPDAT	Vulnerability Index-Service Prioritization Determination Assistance Tool
ICA	Institute for Community Alliances		
IRTS	Intensive Residential Treatment Services		
LCC	Lee Carlson Center		

Websites - General	To subscribe
<b>State Agencies:</b> Dept of Human Services – DHS, OEO - <a href="https://mn.gov/dhs/">https://mn.gov/dhs/</a> MN Housing: FHPAP, HTF – <a href="http://www.mnhousing.gov">www.mnhousing.gov</a> HMIS: ICA - <a href="http://www.hmismn.org">www.hmismn.org</a>	<a href="#">DHS - Select areas of interest to subscribe to MN Housing</a> – enews <a href="#">ICA Newsletter</a>
<b>Regional:</b> SMAC: <a href="http://www.smacmn.org">www.smacmn.org</a> Coordinated Entry: <a href="http://smacmn.org/coordinated-entry/">http://smacmn.org/coordinated-entry/</a> Youth Services Network – youth resources	<b>Bottom of each page</b> SMAC: <a href="http://www.smacmn.org">www.smacmn.org</a> Coordinated Entry: <a href="http://smacmn.org/coordinated-entry/www.YSNmn.org">http://smacmn.org/coordinated-entry/www.YSNmn.org</a>
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8/11/2021 Attendance

Diane Pottratz-YMCA

Alex Pepin - Ten Thirty House

Lisa Gustner, YMCA

Christine Lambrecht- Anoka County Public Health Emergency Preparedness Coordinator

Michele Reid, Anoka County

Barb Sopp, ACCAP

Patty Eason, Anoka County Job Training Center

Libbie Pelletier, Anoka County Child Protection

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Rhianna Coffey, Stepping Stone Emergency Housing

Sue Rosendahl TSA

Bri Warren, YMCA

Meghan Thoennes- Lee Carlson Center

Mark McNamer HOPE 4 Youth

Tonia Davis TSA

Brenda Pritchard-Hope 4 Youth

Matt Lewis, RADIAS Health

Robbin Lofton-Guild Services

Gina Hatanpa, Anoka County Public Health Nursing