



**San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership
Joint Meeting of Mountain Homeless Provider Network
and Mountain Regional Steering Committee**

Monday, July 10, 2023 • 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

IN PERSON & Via Zoom Teleconference

This meeting will be conducted pursuant to California Government Code Section 54953(e) and is hybrid: in-person for Board, *et al*, & Zoom for others

In person site:

St. Richard Episcopal Church Hall, 28708 CA Hwy-18, Skyforest, CA

Teleconference info:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83056213419?pwd=aVVUSy92c00xSWlqaHJRODJk0F0UT09>

Meeting ID: **830 5621 3419** + Passcode: **534180**

Dial in for just audio: (669) 444-9171

AGENDA

OPENING REMARKS		PRESENTER
A. Call to Order		Quintin Page
B. Welcome and Introductions		
CONSENT		
C. Approval of Minutes of June 12, 2023		Quintin Page
<u>NO ACTION ITEMS</u>		
X		Quintin Page
PRESENTATION		
D. DOVES (Domestic Violence & Education Services)		Quintin Page
DISCUSSION ITEMS		
G. Follow up to HHAP-3 / HomeKey / CofC discussion/reports from June 12 meeting		Quintin Page
H. Member Roundtable		
I. Public Comment		
CLOSING		
K. Adjournment		Quintin Page
Next Meeting:	Mountain HPN + RSC will next meet on: Monday, August 14, 2023 - 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm IN PERSON (St. Richard's) & via Zoom Teleconference <i>[Presentation TBD]</i>	

Mission Statement

The Mission of the San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership is to provide a system of care that is inclusive, well planned, coordinated and evaluated and is accessible to all who are homeless and those at-risk of becoming homeless. THE SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY HOMELESS PARTNERSHIP MEETING FACILITY IS ACCESSIBLE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. IF ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES OR OTHER AUXILIARY AIDS OR SERVICES ARE NEEDED IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC MEETING, REQUESTS SHOULD BE MADE THROUGH THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THE PARTNERSHIP MEETING. THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES TELEPHONE NUMBER IS (909) 501-0610 AND THE OFFICE IS LOCATED AT [560 E. HOSPITALITY LANE, SUITE 200, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92415](#). <https://sbchp.sbcounty.gov/> AGENDA AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION CAN BE OBTAINED AT [560 E. HOSPITALITY LANE, SUITE 200, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92415](#) OR BY EMAIL: HOMELESSRFP@HSS.SBCOUNTY.GOV."

**Minutes for San Bernardino County Office of Homeless Services
Joint meeting of the Mountain Homeless Provider Network (HPN) and
Mountain Regional Steering Committee (RSC)**

**These Minutes awaiting approval at
July 10, 2023 Meeting**

Date **June 12, 2023**

Scheduled Time: 1:30pm-3pm

Location: In Person at St. Richard Parish Hall and via Zoom Meeting ID: **830 5621 3419** + Passcode: **534180**

Minutes recorded and transcribed by: Gary Bradley, Secretary

OPENING REMARKS	PRESENTER	ACTION/OUTCOME
Call to Order Welcome and Introductions	Wendell Wilson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The meeting was called to order at 1:42 p.m. by Wendell Wilson. ▪ This meeting was conducted IN PERSON and via teleconference pursuant California Government Code Section 54953(e). ▪ Attendees welcomed and introduced, and roll call of members taken. A quorum+ was present—7 of 7 members ▪ ATTENDANCE: (18) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MT. HPN+RSC Voting Members Present: Wendell Wilson-<i>Chairman</i>; Quinton Page-<i>Co-Chairman</i>-(DOVES+SBCo Interagency Council on Homelessness); Annamieke Stalcup (<i>Patient Navigator-BV Comm. Health</i>); Sue O’Strander (<i>Comm. Dev. Big Bear Lake</i>); Shonda Szabo (<i>Bear Valley USD</i>); Stephanie Hedrick-Harwell, LMFT (<i>Behavioral Health, SBCo</i>); Paul Fournier (<i>Lutheran Social Services</i>). ▪ Secretary: Gary Bradley (<i>MHC-V.P.</i>) ▪ SB County Office of Homeless Services: Elizabeth Pinedo, Stephanie Navarro ▪ Presenter: Lorenzo Maya: Lighthouse Services ▪ Other Attendees today (10): Sue Walker (<i>Pres., MHC</i>), Aziza Manuel (<i>ISCUW, SoCal</i>); Lawrence Owen (<i>Keith Non-Profit</i>); Alan Snyder (<i>MolinaHC</i>); Cynthia Robles (<i>Rolling Start</i>); Aziza Manuel (<i>211 United Way</i>); Peter Morris (<i>Mountain Homeless Coalition</i>); Susan Buckley (<i>MHC</i>); Becky Beavers (<i>MHC</i>);
APPROVAL		
Minutes	Wendell	Minutes for May 8, 2023 were approved unanimously . Motion for approval requested by Wendell Wilson
ACTION ITEM		
HHAP-3 Voting Proceedure (Homeless Housing Assistance & Prevention – round #3)	SBCo-OHS Office of Homeless Services: <i>Elizabeth Pinedo &</i>	<p><i>Elizabeth Pinedo</i>: Anyone directly connected to the Application must recuse themselves.</p> <p>Wendell: That would be me, the only board member so aligned.</p> <p><i>Stephanie Navarro</i>: One application submitted– Mountain Homeless Coalition; Two evaluators (Shonda Szabo & Sue O’Strander) scored the application & recommended funding – \$141,817.00 --- full amount requested for the Mountain Region. <i>Stephanie</i> reviewed the details of the application and the proposed use of the funds if granted and called for any questions or further recommendations from those present. The recommendations will be presented to ICH (Interagency Council on Homelessness) on June 28. Next is the County Board of Supervisors in September.</p>

	<p><i>Stephanie Navarro</i></p>	<p>Wendell invited Sue Walker who expressed the importance of this funding <i>Wendell</i> (recused) called for the vote. Motion made by Quintin; Second by Paul, Approved -- By name: <i>Annamieke Stalcup</i>=AYE; <i>Quintin Page</i>=AYE; <i>Stephanie Hedrick-Harwell</i>=AYE; <i>Paul Fournier</i>=AYE; <i>Sue O'Strander</i>=AYE MOTION PASSES. <i>Wendell</i>: Comments?. Thank you to County officials here today. This is the THIRD round of HHAP funding cycles. One of the great values of the ongoing years of funding is that it helps significantly to assure the state who grants capital funds that there are ongoing operating funds. Support for all of our services. We appreciate all of those present traveling here in the thick fog today. Now we move to upcoming events and a small presentation for Shonda when she is able to arrive (on the road in the fog) Nov 8 – Homeless Summit – request for input; 45 min video presentation with feedback from each Region. Provide us with your top two choices. Five options: 1. Practicing effective, motivational interview skills & techniques; 2. Implementing harm/trauma prevention practices and techniques; 3. Implementing critical invention strategies for rapid re-housing; 4. Effective strategies for housing navigation and landlord engagement; 5. Understanding performance driven and date driven strategies. <i>Wendell</i>: which are YOUR priorities. Quintin = #4 landlords; 1 other (woman’s voice) agreed with #4; <i>Wendell</i> also. Next, <i>Wendell</i> reported that several MHC board members emphasized #1 – interview skills. <i>Stephanie Hedrick-Harwell</i> spoke to #2 with reference to the trauma of homeless experience. <i>Annamieke</i> agrees with that comment. <i>Paul</i>: trauma is involved frequently. <i>Sue</i> stated that <i>Becky Beavers</i> (Operations Director) supports #1 – motivational interview. <i>Wendell</i>: OK let’s tally each person’s top TWO: <i>Paul</i>=2+4; <i>Stephanie</i>=2+4; <i>Annamieke</i>=2+4; <i>Sue O’S.</i>=2+4; <i>Quintin</i>=2+4; <i>Wendell</i>: 1+2. <i>Paul</i>: Need for evaluation and education component for the client. Where they are coming from; their experience of renting; supportive services to help clients to maintain the housing. <i>Wendell</i>: the more you know about the client – their mental health included – the better when we advocate on their behalf with a landlord. We need establish good track records with landlords for future assistance. <i>Wendell</i>: FINALLY – for the brief video at the Homeless Summit– Each region provide ONE major accomplishment and ONE future goal for upcoming year AND location/staff members. County will film. COMMENTS on that?? <i>Sue Walker</i>: past accomplishment: Georgia Street Cabins; future goal: Tulip Lane Cabins. <i>Paul</i>: future goal—in light of our disastrous winter response – better preparation for next time. <i>Wendell</i>: goal – some kind of temporary shelters HERE in the mountains to avoid such high expense for temporary housing. Can’t transport very far during an emergency. We don’t have state mandated shelters for cities because we don’t have cities except BigBearLake.</p>
<p>PRESENTATION</p>		
<p>Lighthouse Services (w/PowerPoint)</p>	<p>Lorenzo Maya</p>	<p>(Presentation –23 minutes – began at 2:30pm. Presentation accompanied by PowerPoint (15) slides HERE: https://mail.google.com/mail/u/2?ui=2&ik=029bb8f672&attid=0.0&permmmsgid=msg-f:1769731600973931959&th=188f5983bfd5a5b7&view=att&disp=safe</p>

		<p>OR: Presentation (incl. the PowerPoint) as delivered by Lorenzo Maya “live” at our meeting today: FIRST copy the passcode - PrB7B+. – to be able to paste on the screen that opens following this LINK: https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/hm9pgEQCJFFsWnyjHyaJy6IYIXm-Po68O_BXMLNLowkRcxocr160AxMyg3mJ-88.5f3_eUlc1RJz9MCI</p> <p>A few items of particular interest from the presentation: MISSION STATEMENT: LightHouse Social Service Centers, a 501(c)(3) public-benefit corporation, is dedicated to enhancing lives and meeting the diverse needs of individuals, families and communities. Through the utilization of comprehensive integrated social service systems, LightHouse Social Service Centers supports clients in breaking the cycles of addiction and homelessness, works to keep families together, and strives to build strong healthy communities. Our Mission Statement revolves around the Housing First model and the services that each program provides. Services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case Management • Housing Navigation • Employment Services • Clinical Support <p>San Bernardino Programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VA Grant and Per Diem Program (GPD) • Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) • Family and Stabilization Program (FSP) • Adult Re-Entry (ARG) • Hope for Heroes • Health & Housing (IEHP) • Lighthouse in Home Clinical Support Services <p>Riverside Programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Riverside Rapid Rehousing (RRH) • Permanent Supportive Housing Disabled Women and Children, Older Adults 55+ (PSH) • Rapid Rehousing Domestic Violence (DV) <p>• Contact Information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LightHouse: (951) 571-3533 • Karyn Young-Lowe, CEO KarynYL@LightHouse-ssc.org • Tania Johnson, Deputy Director, Adult Re-Entry (ARG) TaniaJ@LightHouse-ssc.org • Heather Burroughs, Program Manager VA GPD/ Hope for Heroes Heatherb@LightHouse-ssc.org • Brandi Janosky, Program Manager Supportive Services for Veterans (SSVF) Brandij@LightHouse-ssc.org • Sarah Figaro, Program Manager Family Stabilization (FSP) Sarahf@LightHouse-ssc.org • Brannon Gomes, Program Manager Health & Housing BrannonG@LightHouse-ssc.org • Jillian Peace-Redd, Clinical Director JillianPR@LightHouse-ssc.org
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DISCUSSION ITEMS		
Sharing of Activity	Wendel W.	<p><i>Paul Fournier:</i> Central City Lutheran Mission in San Bernardino – about to break ground on expansion to 140 beds & interim supportive housing. All trauma-based.</p> <p><i>Sue O'Strander:</i> 1. City of BBLake starting to implement our housing element certified by the state to protect our R-3 zoning for multi-family residences.</p> <p>2. Community Visioning Process – BigBearVision.com</p>
FINAL ITEMS		
RoundTable/ Public Comment		<p><i>Quintin</i> – announced the honor according to Shonda Szabo by BB Rotary</p> <p><i>Sue Walker</i> - announced the honor according to Wendell Wilson by Crestline Rotary</p>
Adjournment	Wendell W.	Meeting adjourned at 3:14 p.m. (1 Hour,33 min.)
Next Meeting:		<p>The next <i>joint meeting</i> of the Mountain-HPN and Mountain-RSC: Monday, July 10, 2023 from 1:30 to 3:00pm,-- In-Person at St. Richard's & Via Zoom Tele-conference Presentation: Lorenzo Maya of LIGHTHOUSE SERVICES</p>

Voting Members:

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