

COG HOMELESS SERVICES COMMITTEE

October 5, 2022 Meeting



Metropolitan Washington
Council of Governments

Agenda

1. Welcome, Introduction & Announcements

- *Elisabeth Young, Co-Chair*

2. Virginia Homeless Data Integration Project

- *Andriea Ukrop, Data Integration Manager, VA Dept. of Housing & Community Development*

3. Regional Collaboration: Updates and Lessons Learned from the District of Columbia, Prince George's County, and Montgomery County

- *Sarah Flinspach, District of Columbia/TCP; Ashley Richards, Montgomery County; Eileen Rosa, District of Columbia; Jaye Summerlot, Prince George's County; Elisabeth Young, Co-Chair*

4. 2023 Point-in-Time Count

- *All Participants*

5. Planning for In-Person November Strategy Session

- *All Participants*

Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements

Elisabeth Young, Co-Chair

- (10:00 – 10:05 A.M.)



Virginia Homeless Data Integration Project

- *Andriea Ukrop, Data Integration Manager, Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development*
- Ms. Ukrop will share an overview of the state-wide Homeless Data Integration Project (HDIP) currently underway in the Commonwealth of Virginia with committee members. Once operational, the HDIP will allow CoCs in Virginia to share data across CoCs.
- Expanding our shared understanding of this initiative will inform our efforts to share data and meaningfully collaborate region wide.
- **(10:05 – 10:25 A.M.)**



Regional Collaboration: Updates & Lessons Learned from Montgomery County, Prince George's County & the District of Columbia

Sarah Flinspach, CAHP Coordinator, TCP/District of Columbia; Ashley Richards, Data and Research Manager, Montgomery County; Eileen Rosa, Special Advisor (Single Adults & Veterans), DC ICH; Jaye Summerlot, Coordinated Entry Program Manager, Prince George's County; and Elisabeth Young, Co-Chair

- Representatives from the “Regional Triad” representing Montgomery County, Prince George’s County, and the District of Columbia will share an update on progress made in collaborating across jurisdictional borders using a data sharing agreement and lessons learned during the past year.
 - **(10:25 – 11:00 A.M.)**

2023 Point-in-Time Count

Elisabeth Young, Co-Chair, and All Participants

- Committee members will be asked to select a date for the 2023 Point-in-Time count (proposed date: **Wednesday, January 25, 2023**)
- Committee members will have an opportunity to consider any potential adjustments to the regional survey data elements, including a more detailed breakdown of age categories for adults.
 - Current adult age categories:
 - 18-24
 - 25-34
 - 35-44
 - 45-54
 - 55-61
 - **62+**
 - (11:00 – 11:15 A.M.)

Planning for November Strategy Session

Elisabeth Young, Co-Chair, Amanda Harris, Co-Chair, and All Participants

- In preparation for our **in-person meeting on Wednesday, November 2nd**, committee members will have an opportunity to discuss **priority action items** for our interactive in-person strategy session.
 - Help recenter our work toward meeting our goals as outlined in the **Regional Compact to End Homelessness**, and
 - Inform our next steps from the upcoming recommendations from the **regional racial equity action plan** from C4 Innovations.
 - **(11:15 – 11:30 A.M.)**



Wrap Up and Upcoming Meeting Dates

Next Full Committee Meetings:

- Wednesday, November 2nd from 10am-12pm **In person at COG! (lunch provided)**

Upcoming Working Group Meetings:

- **Regional Data Metrics Workgroup:** Monday, October 24th at 10am
- **Regional Case Coordination Learning Collaborative:** Tuesday, October 25th at 12pm

SharePoint Website:

- Committee and project documents will be stored here:
 - <https://ncrportal.mwcog.org/sites/cps/homeless>
 - You must visit the site regularly to maintain access (external/non-governmental staff)
 - Contact Hilary Chapman if you are unable to access the site

