

Marion County McKinney Vento Liaison Meeting

October 18, 2016

10:30 am-Noon

Welcome & Introductions

In attendance: Tracy Beer, Erin Brown, Charie Gibson, Crystal Haslett, Fatima Johnson, Courtney Modisette, Louis Norris, Susie Riddle, Karen Routt, Rachael Sample, James Taylor, Julie Vanliew

Express Medical Transportation Chris Ross

- See attached documents regarding a unique transportation option that may be suitable for McKinney Vento students not living on transportation routes. Contact Chris at 317-418-8798 or cross@rideemt.com or visit their website www.rideemt.com

Continuum of Care Update

Crystal Haslett/Rachael Sample

Supportive Service Task Force Surveys

-Still recruiting partners for the surveys to be distributed. Send suggestions to Rachael. We'd also appreciate any help connecting to partners we've already reached out to.

Youth Homelessness NOFA

-Indianapolis is applying, due November 30. CHIP will be the lead entity. The application focuses on the community's capacity to develop and implement projects. There are 10 total applicants that will be selected, but 4 of those communities will be rural. CHIP has been meeting with DCS and will obtain a letter of support from the state, the community is also convening a small group to complete the application.

Youth Needs Assessment

-Homeless Youth Task Force is performing an assessment. This will be distributed for feedback after the task force has offered their initial feedback.

Spirit and Place Events

Rachael Sample

Please register at the links below and attend.

[Youth Homelessness Film Screening: November 6, 1-4:30 PM @ Central Library](#)

[Homing the Houseless: November 9, 6:30-9 PM @ Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation](#)

[A Place to Call Home Workshop: November 10 9 AM-3 PM @ CHIP](#)

General Discussion

-Resource Group Strategy Grid: see attached copy. We will be checking in on this regularly to see how we are achieving the goals.

- James Taylor suggested we invite a township trustee judge to our meetings to discuss evictions for families.

-Proposed timeline for professional development- a copy of this is attached. Send Rachael your feedback by October 27

-Other items

-Information on the transit initiative was distributed.

-School on Wheels is having an education public policy event Oct 19 at Clowes 6:30 PM. This is a great non-partisan event.

- James Taylor suggested that the group consider an opportunity to offer a resource conference to homeless families in the school districts next year. It could be a back to school type event.

Please be on the lookout for a NEW calendar appointment.

Future meeting dates will now be the 2nd Wednesday:

November 9

December 14

January 11

February 8