

MINUTES

Clallam County Homelessness Task Force
Clallam County Courthouse
Virtual and In Person
BOCC Meeting Room 160
March 5, 2024
2:30 pm-4:00 pm

Members Present: Sharon Maggard, Christy Smith, John DeBoer, Jenny Oppelt, Sarah Woodward, Johnny Ankrom, Paul Cunningham, Joseph Mocer, Sandra Allen, Debbi Tesch, Charlie Commeree

Absent: Ann Simpson, Amy Miller, Cheri Tinker, Kathy Morgan, Joyce, Stuart, Vicki Lowe, Joseph Mocer, and Tim Fletcher, Anne Simpson, and Sam Schroeder

General Attendance: Commissioner Randy Johnson, Christine Dunn, Timothy Dalton, Dana Ward, Abby Bowman, and Kim Conley

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

- The meeting was called to order at 2:40pm.

2. AGENDA

- Majority approved the agenda as presented.

3. MINUTES – December 5, 2023

- Majority approved the minutes as presented.

4. OLD BUSINESS

- Position Vacancies
 - WA State Department of Social and Health Services representative
 - Faith Community representative
 - Business Community representative
 - Tribal Government representatives from Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe, Quileute Tribe, and Makah Tribe
- Supplemental Recording Fee (2163) Subcommittee Recommendations/Outcomes – Sharon Maggard gave an update on the subcommittee formed to allocate recording fee funds and consolidated homeless grant to programs that were not fully funded.
- 5-year plan timeline update – WA Commerce local guidance plan

5. NEW BUSINESS

- Coordinating Low Income Housing Plan (CLIHP) Grant Discussion – Jenny Oppelt and Sharon Maggard provided an update on the grant that Clallam County is applying for through the Department of Commerce. Discussion followed.
- 2024 PIT Count – Sharon Maggard provided an update on the PIT count that was conducted in January 2024. 111 homeless individuals were sheltered, and 163 homeless individuals were unsheltered are living in Clallam County. Discussion followed.
- Peninsula Community College’s Regional Challenge Grant Update – Sharon Maggard

6. FUTURE MEETING AGENDA ITEMS

- **CLIHP Grant Discussion**

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

- Abby Bowman provided information on the tiny house project that TAFY and Port Angeles First United Methodist Church are working on.

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS

9. ADJOURN: Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Next meeting: June 4, 2024
Clallam County BOCC Meeting Room

Members of the Homelessness Task Force

Cheri Tinker, Sarah Woodward, Paul Cunningham, Johnny Ankrom, Samuel Schroeder, John DeBoer, Sandra Allen, Kathy Morgan, Debbi Tesch, Vicki Lowe, Tim Fletcher, Jenny Oppelt, Sharon Maggard, Charlie Commeree, Ann Simpson, Christy Smith, Amy Miller, Joyce Stuart, Loni Greninger, and Joseph Mocerri

NOTE: These meeting notes are not verbatim