

Continuum of Care Strategic Planning Committee
April 23 2019
8:30-10 am
Metro Social Services, 800 2nd Ave North, 37201

Purpose of the Strategic Planning Committee as developed by the Homelessness Planning Council:
Develop a Strategic Plan for Nashville-Davidson County that sets clear priorities for the next 3 years on how our community builds an effective Housing Crisis Resolution System.

In attendance: Laura Bermudez, LeEllen Phillips, Ingrid McIntyre, Freddie O'Connell, Alaina Boyer, Bobby Watts, Steven Samra, April Calvin.

Facilitators: Dayle Savage, Kristen Phillips, Suzie Tolmie, Judith Tackett

Minutes:

Judith Tackett welcomed everyone and pointed to the handouts which were the first draft with the action steps that the group was provided with on Friday. The goal was to provide feedback.

Action Step Planning – facilitated by Dayle Savage

The committee split up into two groups to go over the action steps under each goal. Much of the focus was on goal 1. Feedback included that the language needs to be such so that everyone in the community feels included. Right now the language is too HUD-centric. In addition, there was critique about having action steps that call for further planning. Action steps should be more concrete. The discussion focused on what groups need to be included: DV, re-entry, recovery community, health care, behavioral health, etc.

The call was to get more concrete action steps done.

It was also cautioned that we need to keep a focus on prioritization based on what's doable rather than creating a comprehensive wish list that is not focused.

Next Steps:

Dayle Savage encouraged everyone to provide written feedback.
Continue the discussion and finetune next steps.

Next Meeting: April 30, 2019, 8:30 am