



Task Force Meeting 2 – Defining the Problem Using Data

Date: Wednesday, February 11, 2026

Time: 4 PM – 6 PM CST

Location: Lake Providence Missionary Baptist Church - 5891 Nolensville Pike

Attendees from:

Metro Public Health Department

With Consultants

HCD International

MEPR Agency

Task Force Attendees:

List Attached

Agenda Item	Lead
Call to Order/Housekeeping	Jean Drummond
Community Engagement and Task Force Shared Agreements	Lonnell Matthews, Co-chair Sue Fort White, Ed.D., Co-chair
Today's Meeting Purpose Overview	Jean Drummond
The Purpose of the Task Force and Meeting Topics	Jean Drummond
Data Overview Presentation	Metro Public Health Department
Data Break Out Session: Small Group	Jean Drummond
Review of Findings and Responses: Share Out	Jean Drummond
Discuss Common Themes	Jean Drummond and Team
Meeting Takeaways: Defining the Problem Using Data	Jean Drummond
Next Steps and Next Meeting	Jean Drummond
Meeting Adjournment and Feedback Form	Jean Drummond



Task Force Member List

Erika	Burnett	Community Foundation of Middle TN
Judge Sheila	Calloway	Juvenile Court
April	Calvin	Office of Homeless Services
Will	Connely	Contributor
Michael	Dixon	TN County Clerk
Dr. Veronica	Elders	Nashville General Hospital
Benaias	Esayas	Black Mental Health Village
Sue	Fort White	Our Kids Center
Cintoria	Franklin	Pass The Beauty
Katrina	Frierson	Mending Hearts
Thomas	Gooch	My Father's House
Joseph	Gutierrez	Asian & Pacific Islanders of Middle TN
Dawn	Harrington	Free Hearts
Rikki	Harris	TN Voices
Kay	Higgs	STARS
Jordan	Huffman	Metro Council
Martasha	Johnson-Moore	Public Defenders Office
Diane	Lance	Office of Family Safety
Bishop Aaron	Marble	IMF
Lonnell	Matthews	Davidson County Juvenile Court/MBK
Makayla	McCree	AARP Tennessee
Martha	Silva	Conexion Americas
Shivan	Sindi	Kurdish Community Liaison
Robert	Wallace	MNPS
Dr. Jay	Wellons	Vanderbilt
Emel	Alexander	MDHA
Verna	Wyatt	TN Voices for Victims
Mark	Yancy	NashvilleHealth
Julius	Gallon	Retired MNP, Youth Mentor