

	<p>Services for Culpeper County Public Schools, will provide an overview of programs and resources available to homeless families at the public schools. The Committee was encouraged to send those staff members who work with homeless families to attend.</p> <p>CCDC, Community Touch and SAFE receive funds from the CSCG towards staff time for case management. George Stockes stated that SAFE will have \$500 of their funds left that they won't need for case management, and inquired if there were other areas the money could be used for. Jenny Biche said she would discuss the matter with Cathy Zielinski and they would let him know.</p> <p>VISTA: Tony Hooper encourages Committee members to help promote the VISTA vacancy, to consider candidates for the VIST program and to send referrals to Cathy Zielinski.</p>	<p>Research what CSCG funds can be spent on besides case management</p> <p>Promote VISTA vacancy</p>	<p>Jenny Biche & Cathy Zielinski</p> <p>ALL</p>
<p>Future grant applications</p>	<p>Statewide CoC Competition: Tony Hooper stated that the application FHN submitted last year received low marks on the financial plan section. The financial plan includes information on each organizations budget, explaining where funding comes from and projections for future budgets. Last year, SAFE elected not to share their budget information because they were not receiving funding from the Statewide CoC. While that remains true for this year, George Stockes stated that SAFE would like to support FHN's efforts in securing the Statewide CoC grant and would share their data if needed.</p> <p>Tony stated that he inquired how DHCD recommended FHN project their future budget since many of the funds received are from federal and state grants which are difficult to predict; to which DHCD replied that they were not able to provide any guidance at this time.</p> <p>Bob Lingo stated that he supports FHN pursuit of the Statewide CoC grant provided the process was not too time intensive or the process not overwhelming.</p> <p>Jan Selbo inquired as to whether or not DSS budgets should include data on fuel assistance programs, etc. to which Tony replied yes.</p>		

	<p>George Stockes inquired how the CoC/Balance of State grades the applications. Tony said he would ask Cathy Zielinski to send the Committee members information about that and would have a review of the feedback from the last application included on the agenda at the next meeting.</p> <p>Tony Hooper reminded the Committee that there will be two DHCD Input Sessions; one on Friday, Dec. 6 at 10am in Prince William County and one on Wednesday, Dec. 11th at 1:00pm in Richmond. 5 committee members indicated they would be attending, providing good representation from our region.</p> <p>Tony stated that he would ask Cathy Zielinski to redistribute the information for the application for HUD Certification to providers; additional points are awarded to applicants who have HUD certifications.</p> <p>George Stockes asked who and what would be affected if the Statewide CoC Competitive grants were not awarded. Tony Hooper replied that CCDC would lose \$150,000 from HPP, Community Touch would lose \$150,000 from HSG, and \$30,000 from the Child Services Grant that supports CCDC, Community Touch, SAFE and the quarterly training sessions would be lost.</p>	<p>Send information to FHN members on how CoC/Balance of State grades grant applications</p> <p>Add Review of last years Statewide CoC grant application feedback to agenda for next FHN meeting</p> <p>Attend DHCD Input Session</p> <p>Distribute information on HUD Certification applications to providers</p>	<p>Tony Hooper & Cathy Zielinski</p> <p>Cathy Zielinski</p> <p>ALL</p> <p>Cathy Zielinski</p>
<p>Point-in-Time Count</p>	<p>The Point in Time Count is scheduled for January 30, 2014. Forms and instructions have not been received.</p> <p>George Stockes suggested FHN host a daytime event on January 30, 2014, such as providing free blankets and free chili, so that more people can be identified for the point in time count. It was suggested that perhaps the event be held at the church hosting the Warming Shelter that week in hopes of capturing the most data for the count.</p> <p>Tony Hooper stated that the Warming Shelter is currently in operation and averages 15-16 individuals a night.</p> <p>George Stockes stated that SAFE has donations that they can contribute</p>	<p>Consider hosting an event on Jan. 30th with Warming Shelter church to identify more homeless individuals</p>	<p>ALL</p>

	to the Point in Time Count event should FHN choose to host one.		
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NEXT MEETING

January 7, 2014

10:00am

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