

HTF Meeting Minutes for 2-23-23

1. Public Comment

None

2. Warming Center

Steve Christensen expressed the need for a warming center in the County with the all the cold weather that's been occurring

- Currently making slow progress. It's more difficult than you think
- Liability insurance needs to be increased from \$1M to \$4M for Trinity Episcopal Church which amounts to a \$500 to \$600 annual premium increase for the church.
- Churches in Folsom

3. Goals 2023

Stephanie Hess from Behavioral Health suggested that we review the goals outlined in the Homeless Plan (May 2020s) and compare them to what's been done. It was decided to do that and bring it back next month for presentation and discussion.

4. Outreach Groups

Operation Care – Tyx Pulskamp

- Op-Care is focused on homeless youth
- Recently met at Mother Lode Job Training (MLJT)
- Homeless Resource Fair (HRF) needs donations of food, money, clothes, etc.
 - Specifically meal sponsors
 - Benita Asher outline on sponsorships
- Future goal – counting homeless youth

Trixxie Smith – Sierra Wind

- HRF planning meeting on 2nd Thursday of month at 3pm – next meeting March 9th
- Donation are needed

Christine Platt – CoJ Outreach Specialist

- The mobile shower program is going well

HART Team - Jarrod Bennov – ACSO

- Not available

ATCAA – Joe Bors

- The new shelter opened in Jackson and currently has 12 beds

Caryl Calsen – Water Shed Protection Alliance

- The group has been working on the mine encampments around the Kennedy and Argonaut mines.
- Next cleanup is March 29th behind the hospital
- More volunteers are needed

Dr. Bob Hartman – Street Medicine

- Still exploring street medicine in Amador County
- The group will need an administrator to handle funds, scheduling, etc.

5. Announcements

- Care Force in Plymouth on March 24-25 at the Plymouth Fair Grounds

6. Actions

None

7. Future Agenda Items

None