

HTF Meeting Minutes for 8-22-24

1. Public Comment

- None

2. Danco Project - Update

Melissa Ausilio, BH Program Coordinator

- Danco Communities applied for additional funding earlier this year but did not receive it.
- They re-applied in July 2024 and are still waiting to hear from the State regarding this round of funding (August 29, 2024).
- At this point Danco is just waiting to receive the necessary additional funding to move forward.

3. Outreach Groups

Sierra Wind – Trixxie Smith

- September is Suicide Awareness month
- On September 9th “Hope for Tomorrow” will be held at Sierra Wind from 10am to 2pm and David Wood Bartley will be speaking between 11am – noon.
- Trixxie passed out a flier for the event.
- The for sale sign is gone for now.

Christine Platt – CoJ Outreach Specialist

- The mobile shower program is going well
- Rising Phoenix has acquired a house at Broadway and Hwy 88 in Jackson. They have 7 beds and 4 rooms.
- It was recommended that the County and City of Jackson apply for the Encampment Resolution Funds and provide and place for overnight parking.

SmallChange4Big – Tyx Pulskamp

- 16 new homeless persons identified this month
- Received a recognition award from Senator Marie Alvarado-Gil

ACSO – HART Team

- Officers Nicole Parks and T. Ferreira from the ACSO attended the meeting and provided an update of the HART Team’s activities.

ATCAA – Lesley Mace

- Not present

Water Shed Protection Alliance – Tyx Pulskamp

- Tabled until October's Meeting

4. Announcements

- No HTF meeting in September

5. Actions

- None

6. Future Agenda Items

- Planning for the 2025 Homeless Resource Fair will begin soon
- Each of the Outreach groups should provide an overview of all the services they are receiving to the HTF on a 1-page flier.