

# **NE FL Governance Board Minutes**

# February 25, 2020 | 2:45-4:00 pm | CHI, 660 Park Street, 32204

## I. Introductions

Everyone went around the room introducing themselves

#### II. Board Discussion

- o Committee Updates
  - 1. Consumer Advisory, Doug Orange
    - Notes were emailed out recently. And we had a group meeting on
      Friday, 2/21. Start the advisory council next month, or at least by April
    - Ask Gov Board for direction on what to focus on
  - 2. Data Quality and Performance Standards, Mike Cochran
    - Working to fill the Interns
    - Reviewing processes at Missions to quickly deploy the Interns
    - Submitted community wide progress report
    - Dawn/Monique to share community progress report from HUD two pages
    - Compared to other CoCs
  - 3. Membership, Matt Galnor
    - Recognize struggling to be compliant, to see which segments needed
    - Meet in the next month, move quickly
    - Nine seated members, Shannon Nazworth has served more than six years, no provision in charter to extend
    - Other concern is that over 50% of seated board are providers receiving funding, the charter says it should be less than 33%, need to get the board back up to 17%
    - Dawn talked to HUD, if the charter says 13 to 25
    - Talked about retreat, should we go ahead and add the people recently considered to bring us into compliance



- Add the list of individuals who are interested, recommend to vote, then send to general membership at next meeting
- Cindy F, Sulzbacher, recommended we host Zoom meetings to get more involvement, would help with members representing Clay and Nassau
- Still need to recognize John for his service
- Host the new member orientation, even re-orienting the entire board
- By next board meeting have a grid to show everyone service terms
- 4. Long-Term Solutions, Shannon Nazworth
  - Have they had any meetings?
  - Believe Long-Term Solutions Committee meeting as a city subcommittee for Ford Foundation as far we know not net
- 5. Short-Term Solutions, Cindy Funkhouser
  - March 3<sup>rd</sup> Ribbon cutting for medical bus
  - Having a community resource fair
  - Sulzbacher received the Weaver challenge money
    - JTA donating shuttle, going to be wrapped
    - Have schedule for deploying to agencies
    - Additional hours for Urban Rest Stop
      - 12 hours on Sat/Sunday

## III. Collaborative Applicant/Lead Agency Updates

- Build for Zero
  - 1. Did not meet functional zero definition by Dec. 31, have extend to April 30<sup>th</sup>
  - 2. Uptick in people becoming homeless, concern is people we've seen before
  - 3. Foundation dollars can help to support HUDVASH
  - 4. Priority for general population, make a difference inflow, extending 4 to 5 months
  - 5. Trying to find veterans willing to share housing, harder than expected
    - Roomate.com (like match.com)
    - Approach orgs with people sharing rooms, no one in GPD qualified



- 6. By Name lists numbers going down, placements going up
- 7. Rental market is shifting beneath our feet
- 8. Building housing, but not affordable (\$900 a month)
- 9. Shimberg Foundation came and did a great presentation to Sulzbacher, maybe a good idea to have them present to this board.
  - Duval County
- o Rapid Rehousing Learning Collaborative
  - 1. Call on 3/24
  - 2. Kick-off meeting on 4/30
  - 3. Goal is to make an easy flow from coordinated entry to housing
- o HUD updates
  - 1. Follow your charter, charter should follow regulations
  - 2. Tier 2 soon
  - 3. Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program in the anytime in the next few weeks
  - 4. Big CoC NOFA release June
  - 5. HUD NOFA for Vouchers/Housing Authority Dawn to reach out to Dwayne Alexander
  - State grant School, CoC, Housing Authority HOME funds \$250,000 for homeless / at risk families with children in school – targeting rural communities
    - HOME has to be PHA, public housing authority
- o Youth 100-Day Challenge
  - 1. In Charleston need to send out to whole group
  - 2. Two young adults who traveled
  - 3. Will Evans is there one of the sponsors
  - 4. Cindy Watson it's a great time, lots of energy, it means that people are engaged.
  - 5. YHDP 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> rounds together funding close to 50 communities
  - 6. Have met with Lisa Hill yet? Need to coordinate a meeting. Really wants our city to get it.



- 7. Need to review charter annually need to create a charter review task force, prior to having the grants in process, reconvene the ranking and scoring task force.
- 8. Our understanding is that HUD will be going back to FY2018 NOFA language
- 9. Need people to help coordinate planning

## IV. JASMYN J3 Update, Cindy Watson

- o Gifted the J3 in 2015, took five years to realize the dream
- Spent a lot of time determining what to do with it, decided best to use a community center, raised all the money, finally they are open – three days a week
  - 1. Have food, showers, cyber center, care coordinators, building partnerships

## V. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

- o December 2019 and January 2020
- o Did not have Quorum send out for approval

## VI. Open Discussion

- o Barb Poppe's report should likely be rolled out will be on 3/30
- o Move the meeting on 3/23 to 3/30
- Should CHI board attend, Dawn to confirm with Barb and Jill
- o Teri K mentioned PSM has clothes if needed, they supply agencies
- o Group conversation about resource distribution (supplies for housing, pillows, etc). How can we best share resources?

## VII. Adjourn