

PORTLAND CONTINUUM OF CARE

Wednesday, December 18, 2013

MEETING MINUTES

Present:

Bob Duranleau	City of Portland, Health & Human Services Department, Social Services Division
Jeff Tardif	City of Portland, Health & Human Services Department, Social Services Division, Family Shelter
Tammy Butner	City of Portland, Health & Human Services Department, Social Services Division, Family Shelter
Aaron Geyer	City of Portland, Health & Human Services Department, Social Services Division, Home to Stay
Amy Grommes-Pulaski	City of Portland, CDBG
Ginny Dill	Shalom House
Norman Maze	Shalom House
Vickey Rand	CHOM
Bob Dodge	LearningWorks
Jon Bradley	Preble Street
Brian Townsend	Preble Street
Joe Everett	Opportunity Alliance
Pat McKenzie	Opportunity Alliance
Anne Gass	ABG Consulting
Chet Barnes	DHHS- SAMH
Joni Boissonneault	Portland Housing Authority
Heather Rhoda	Frannie Peabody Center

I. Introductions

Bob welcomed everyone and brief introductions were made.

II. Work Session with Anne Gass 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Bob reviewed decisions made to reallocate, or redistribute funds from, Transitional Housing projects to Rapid Rehousing (RRH) for families, or Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) for chronically homeless individuals, during the previous session on December 11, 2013:

- o There was a consensus for Transitional Housing projects to reallocate to PSH or RRH.
- o Fair Housing Policy that was sent by Vickey last week was sent out and reviewed. Bob asked for a vote to approve the policy. Unanimously approved.
- o Priority Committee—John Shoos agreed to serve on this committee. The group agreed to contact mayor.
- o The Governance Charter needs one more review before being sent out to the CoC. He will send it out upon its review. He thanked Krista for her work on piecing together a new charter.

Chet asked that DHHS Child and Family Services be asked to attend future CoC meetings to discuss foster care and other family issues.

Next Meeting:

January 8, 2013

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

REFUGEE SERVICES CONFERENCE AREA

190 Lancaster Street

Please Contact Robert Duranleau, City of Portland, Health and Human Services Department, Social Services Division at 482-5124, or rmd@portlandmaine.gov if you have any questions.