



Help Hope Home

Ending Homelessness In Southern Nevada

SOUTHERN NEVADA COC APPLICATION PROCESS

HUD Policy Priorities

NOFA includes 6 overarching policy priorities

- Strategic Resource Allocation
- Ending Chronic Homelessness
- Ending Family Homelessness
- Ending Youth Homelessness
- Ending Veteran Homelessness
- Using a Housing First Approach

Three Overarching Things to know for the 2015 CoC NOFA

1. This is the most competitive NOFA ever
2. Reallocation is important
3. All four (4) Opening Doors time frames are important

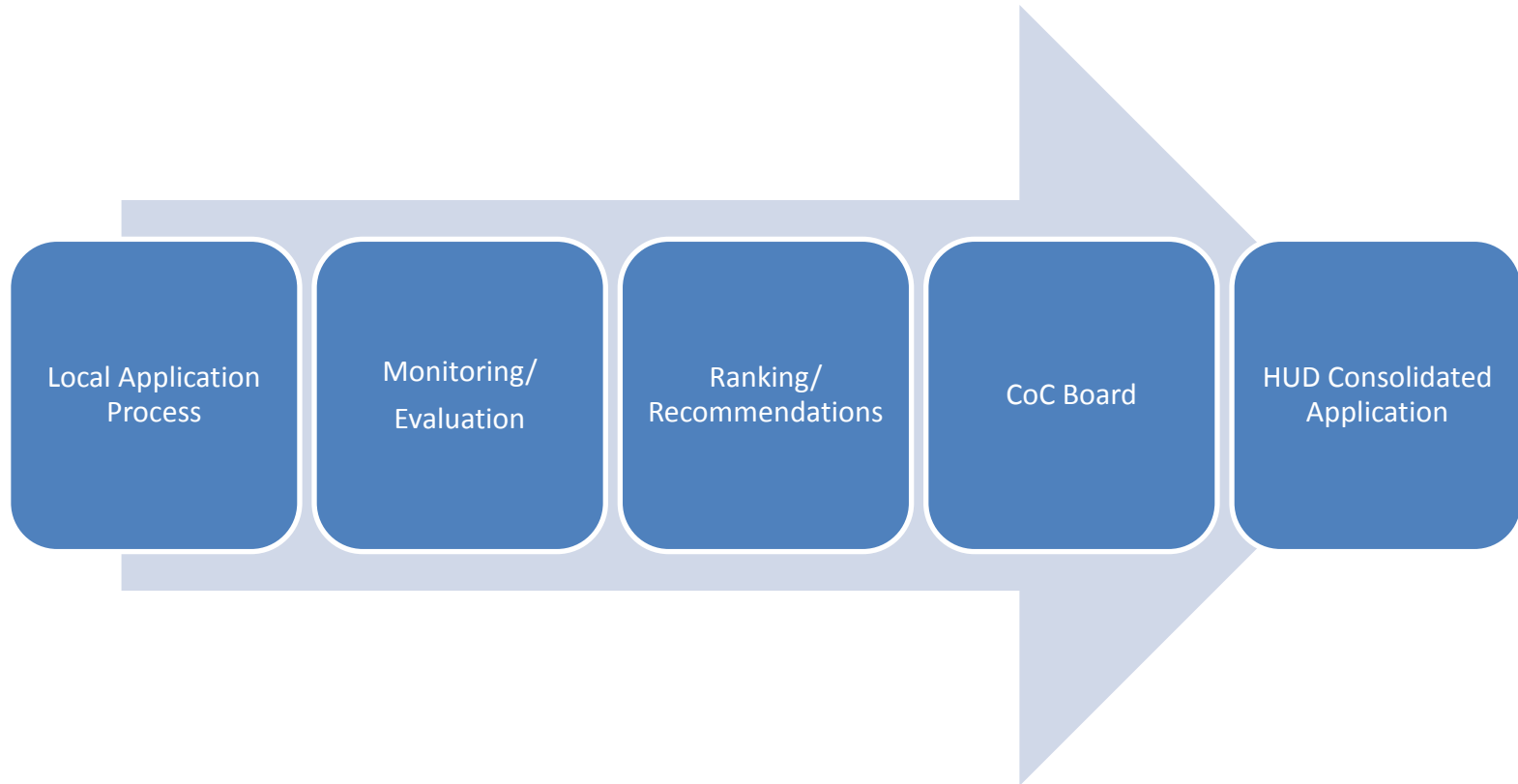
What's New for 2015

- Permanent Housing Bonus – up to 15 percent of a CoCs Final Pro Rated Need (FPRN)
 - Permanent Supportive Housing to serve 100 percent chronically homeless families and individuals
 - Rapid rehousing to serve individuals and families coming directly from the streets
- Projects created through Reallocation
 - Permanent Supportive Housing for chronically homeless individuals and families
 - Rapid Rehousing for individuals and households with children
 - Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)
 - Supportive Services specifically for centralized or coordinated assessment system

Emphasis for 2015

- Chronic homelessness isn't the only game in town
- Emphasis on community and project performance
- Housing First and Reducing Barriers
- Rapid Rehousing
- Resource allocation – effective use of funding

Process



Local application timeline

- May 15: Local application released
- May 26 & 27: Mandatory Technical Assistance trainings
- June 15: Local Applications due
- June 25: Application presentations
- September 25: Reopened local application for NEW Rapid Re-housing projects
- October 6: New Rapid Rehousing projects due
- October 12: Rapid Rehousing application presentations
- October 12 & 13: Ranking (Ranking of projects after release of HUD NOFA)
- Appeals process
- October 22: CoC Board recommendations

Local Application Process

- Project applications entered into esnaps
- Review of project applications
- Write the Consolidated Application
- Compile the complete CoC application
- Submission to HUD

Monitoring/Evaluation

- Performance Monitoring
 - CoC Monitoring Working Group
- Scorecard
- Analysis of housing needs
 - Ad-hock sub-group

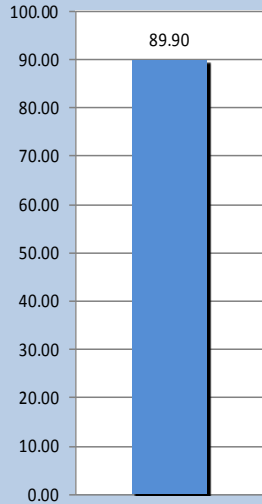
Scorecard components

- Application Score
- Cost per client
- Performance Monitoring (outcomes)
- Utilization
- Exits to Permanent destinations
- Recidivism rate

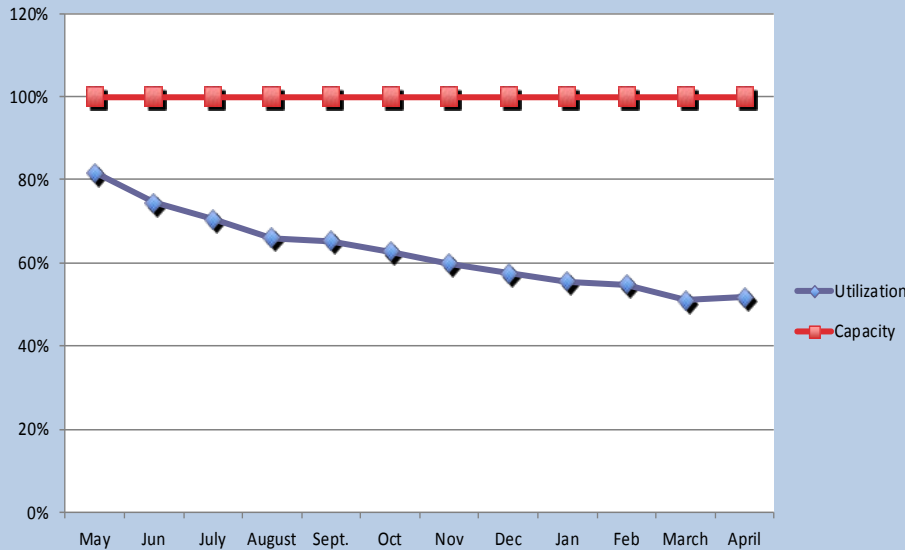
Agency A

☑ HUD Amount Awarded	\$100,000.00
Fiscal Year	2014-2015
Type of Housing	TH
Total Number of Beds/Units	100

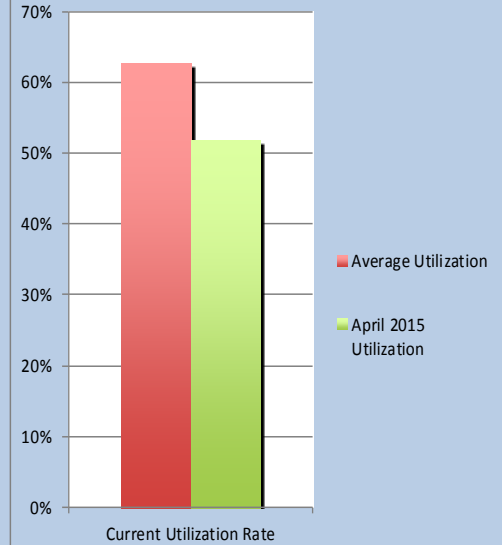
Application Score



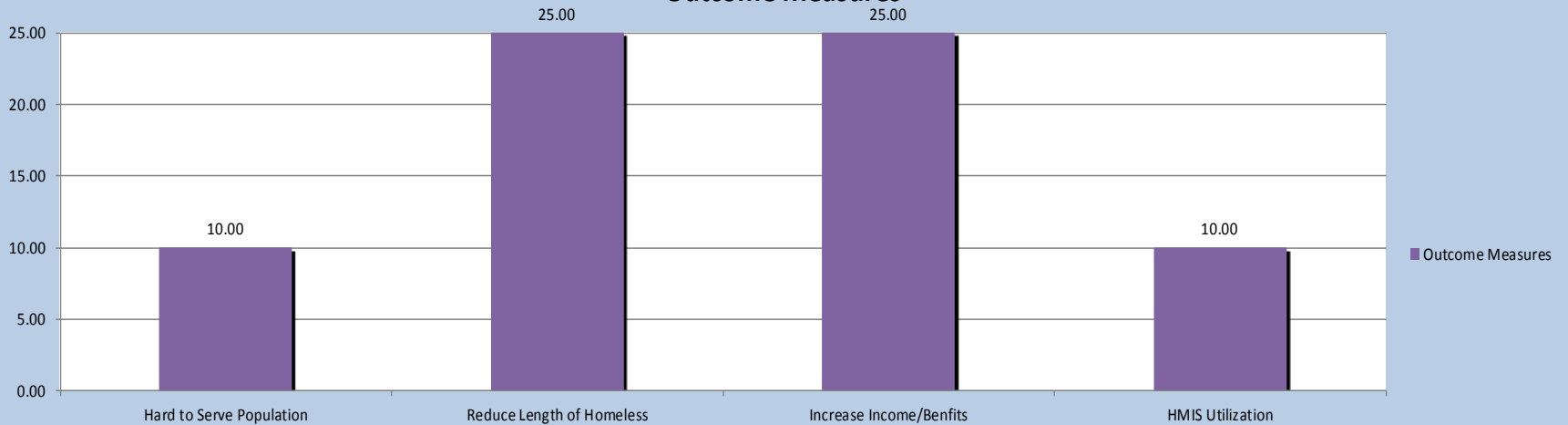
Monthly Utilization (May 2014 - April 2015)



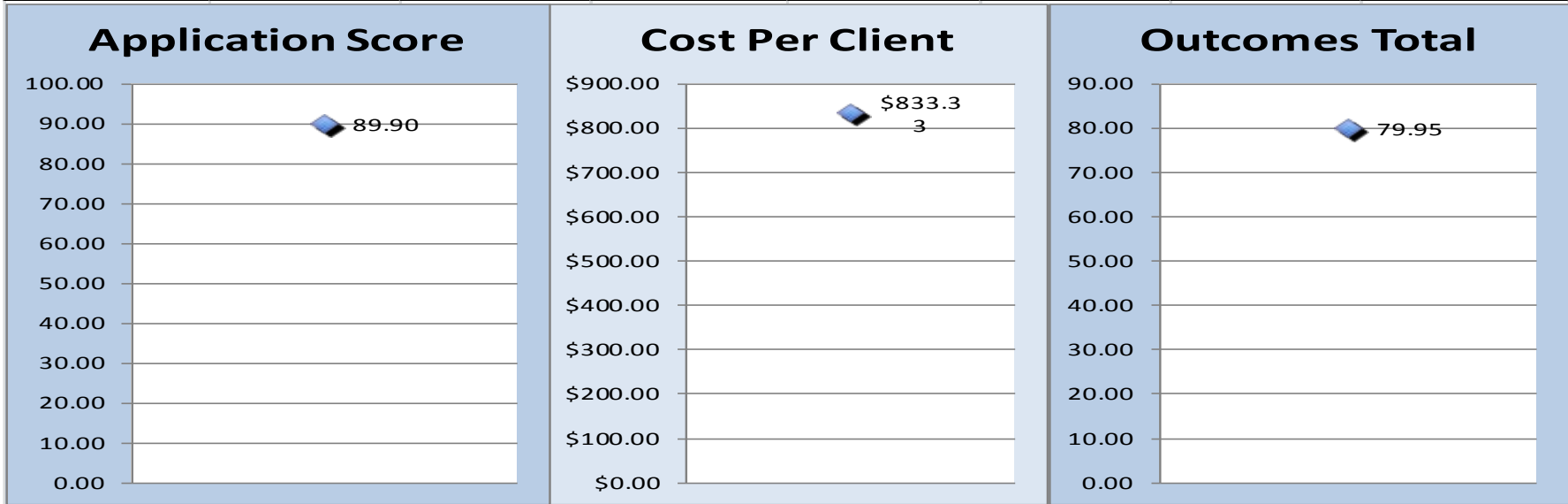
Average Utilization



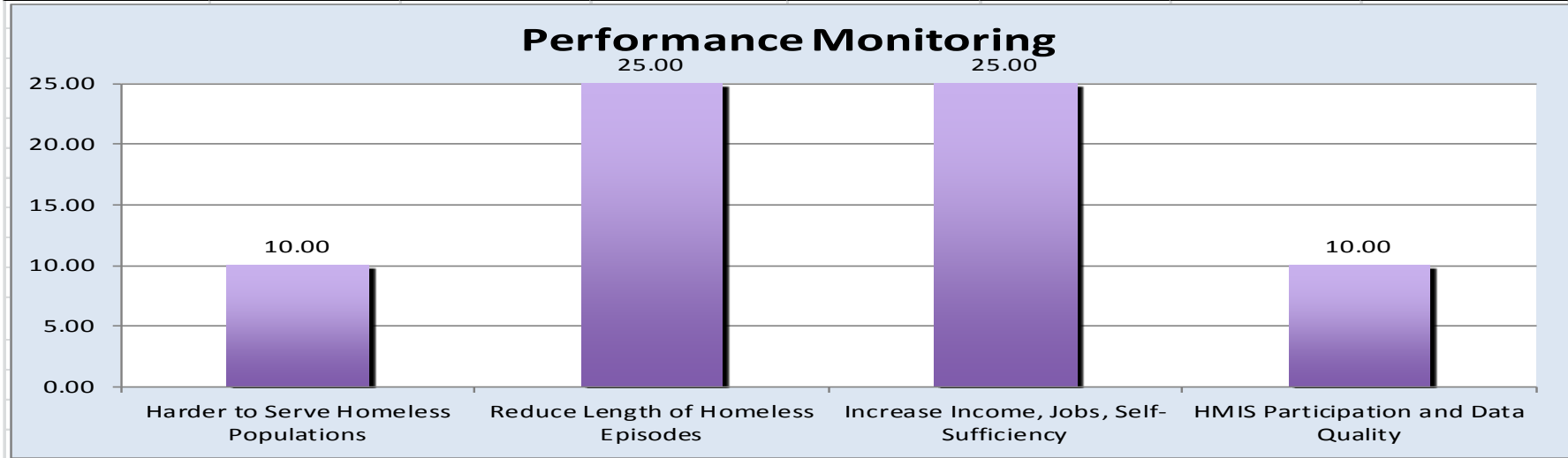
Outcome Measures



Agency A	Project Type:	TH
	Fiscal Year:	2014-2015
	Number of Beds:	100
	Application Total:	\$100,000.00



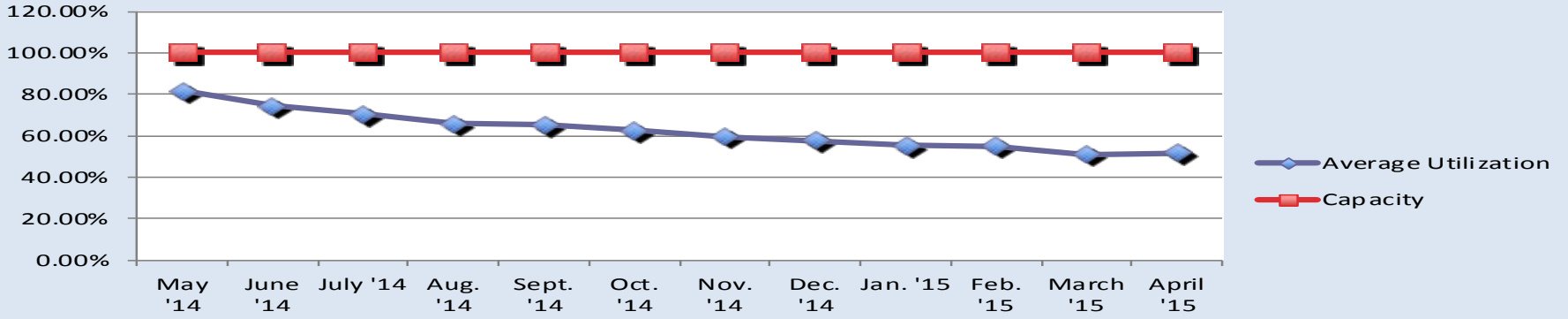
Performance Monitoring Scores (25 points maximum per section)



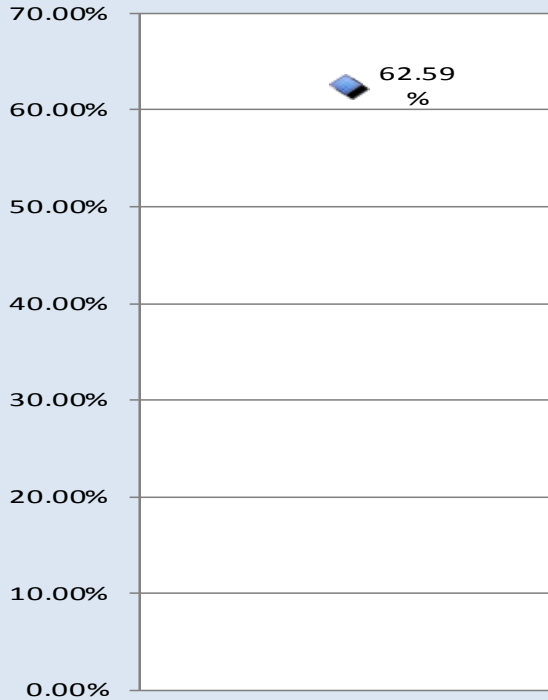
Populations Served

Victims of DV, Chronic Homeless, persons with HIV/AIDS ; unaccompanied youth ages 18-25

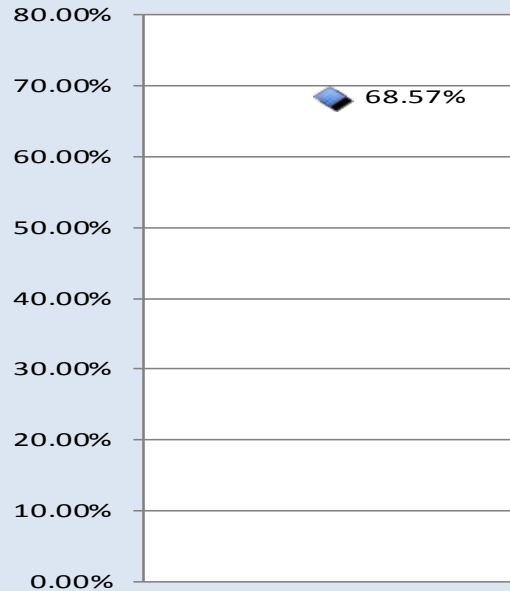
Utilization Comparison



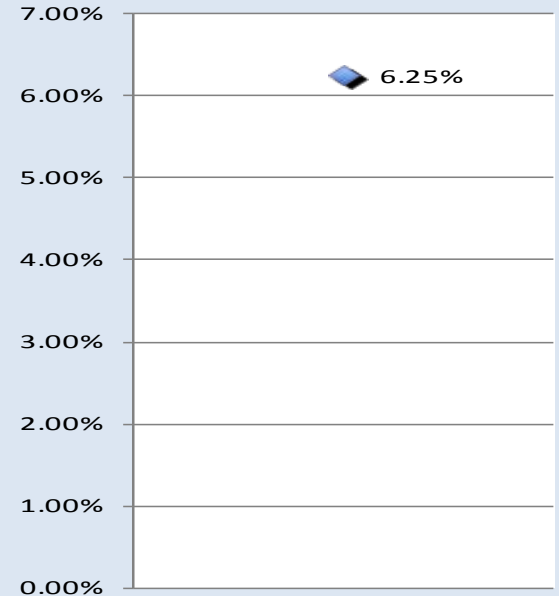
Avg. Yearly Utilization



Exits to Perm. Destinations



Recidivism Percentage



Ranking/Recommendations

- Receive presentations
- Score applications
- Scorecard information
 - CoC Monitoring Working Group information
- Coordinated Intake Change Advisory Team compliance report
- HUD Policy Priorities
- HUD Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) funding priorities and guidance
- Local needs
- Rank projects
- CoC Board recommendations

Calculation of Tier 1

- Annual Renewal Demand (ARD) and Tiers are set BEFORE statutory updates
 - HUD will conditionally select projects for award before updates to permanent housing projects based on FMR changes
- Tier 1 selected in order of CoC score
- CoCs should carefully determine the priority and ranking for all project applications in Tier 1 as well as Tier 2.

Calculation of Tier 2

- Tier 2 is the difference between Tier 1 and is the CoCs ARD + the amount available for the CoCs permanent housing bonus
- Tier 2 projects will receive a point value:
 - 60 Points for CoC Application score
 - 20 Points for CoCs ranking
 - 10 Points for the type of project
 - 10 Points for Housing First commitment
- Tier 2 projects will be selected by point value and in the order of CoC score.

Tier 2 - Scoring

- 60 Points – directly proportionate to the CoC Application Score
 - CoC Applications that score 198.5 out of the possible 200 points will receive the full 60 points.
- 20 Points – based on the CoCs ranking of project applications
 - Project applications ranked higher will receive more points
 - Maximum points for a project application ranked higher in Tier 2 by the CoC and request less than 5 percent of funds available in Tier 2

Tier 2 – Scoring (cont.)

- 10 Points – based on the type of project applications submitted and the population served
 - Renewal and new permanent housing
 - Renewal Safe Haven
 - Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)
 - Supportive Services Only (SSO) for Centralized or Coordinated Assessment System
 - Transitional Housing exclusively serving homeless youth
- 3 points for renewal Transitional Housing
- 1 point for renewal Supportive Services Only
- 10 Points based on project applications that commit to the Housing First model
 - HMIS and SSO projects for centralized or coordinated assessment system automatically receive these 10 points.

Southern Nevada Homelessness Continuum of Care Board Responsibilities to the Process

- Receive CoC Evaluation Working Group Recommendations
- Vote to accept or deny recommendations
- Give Collaborative Applicant/CoC Coordinator authorization to complete and submit HUD CoC Consolidated Application and associated documentation

HUD CoC Consolidated Application

- Operations
- Committees
- Project Review, Ranking and Selection
- Housing Inventory
- HMIS
 - System Implementation
 - Funding Sources
 - Bed Coverage
 - Data Quality
 - Data Usage and Coordination
 - Policies and Procedures

HUD CoC Consolidated Application (cont.)

- Point in Time (PIT) Count
 - Methods
 - Data Collection
 - Data Quality
- Performance and Strategic Planning Objectives
 - Increase progress towards ending chronic homelessness
 - Increase Housing Stability
 - Increase project participants income
 - Increase the number of participants obtaining mainstream benefits
 - Using Rapid Rehousing as a method to reduce family homelessness

HUD CoC Consolidated Application (cont.)

- Discharge Planning
 - Foster Care
 - Health Care
 - Mental Health
 - Corrections
- Coordination

Coordination

- Strategic Plan
- Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)
- Other Federal, State, local, private and other entities
- Public Housing Authority
- Assess barriers to entry (income, eligibility, length of time clean, background checks, credit checks, etc..)
- Utilizing Housing First Approach
- Coordinated Assessment System
- Outreach efforts
- Engagement of market housing
- School District
- Emergency sheltering options for intact families
- Monitoring recidivism

HUD CoC Consolidated Application (cont.)

- Coordination with HUD's Strategic Plan Goals
 - Incorporating Opening Doors goals in local strategic plan
 - Efforts address the needs of and to end homelessness for:
 - Families
 - victims of domestic violence
 - Unaccompanied youth
 - Veterans
 - Chronic homeless

HUD CoC Consolidated Application (cont.)

- Reallocation
- Project priorities
- Project Performance
 - How we monitor performance
 - Technical assistance
 - Capacity building
 - Underperformance
 - Increase performance
- Employment Policies for low or very low income persons
- Assessing Mainstream Resources

HUD CoC Consolidated Application (cont.)

- Certification of Consistency with Consolidated Plans
- CoC Governance
- HMIS Governance
- CoC Rating and Review
- CoC process for cutting projects
- Project Prioritization
- Grant Inventory Worksheet
- Project listing
- Public Solicitation

HUD CoC Consolidated Application (cont.)

- Submit by due date
- Time to complete HUD CoC Consolidated Application (30-75 days)
 - The due date is announced as part of the HUD CoC NOFA

Planning Grant

- CoCs may request up to 3 percent of the FY 2015 FPRN amount or \$1,250,000, whichever is less
- NV-500 allowable request = \$372,637
- 25% Match = \$93,160
- 150% Leveraging = \$558,956

CoC NOFA Timeline

- October 6 via ZoomGrants: NEW Rapid Rehousing Applications due at 11:59:59 pm
- October 12-13, 8:00 am-5:00 pm: Evaluation Working Group Scoring and Ranking
- October 14: Notification of Project Ranking
- October 22, 2:00 pm: Southern Nevada Homelessness Continuum of Care Board Special Meeting
 - Recommendations for funding by the Evaluation Working Group will be presented to the Board for approval
- October 29, 8:00 am-5:00pm: esnaps Application Entry Technical Assistance
 - Clark County Government Center, ODC 4, 500 S. Grand Central Pkwy.
- November 5, 4:00 pm: Project Applications **due in esnaps**
- November 6: Distribution of CoC Community application to review team
- November 17-18: Consolidated Application submission to HUD via esnaps from CoC Coordinator