



Working Group Report to the Board January 2019

Working Group: Community Engagement Working Group (CEWG)

Champion: Emily Paulsen, Nevada Homeless Alliance

Meeting date, time, and location: January 14, 2019 from 1:30 – 3:00 pm at the Clark County Social Service 3rd Floor Training Room

Working Group Members: PRESENT – Catherine Huang Hara (CCSS & lead during Emily's leave), Dan Kulin (Clark County PIO-phone), Danita Osborne-Morris (CCSS), Joshua Gray (VA), Kate Royer (NHA), Kelly Swan (RENEW Therapeutic Enhancement Services), Shalimar Cabrera (U.S. VETS)

Accomplishments - Action Items Completed:

- Homeless Census Promotion
 - Catherine provided event information and informed the group volunteers were still needed, with a goal of 300.
 - Recruitment information on website, with link to registration and flyers
 - Messaging
 - Catherine and Dan discussed with the group that an initial press release went out sometime ago but a second press release will be going out this week. Press release to include information regarding volunteer recruitment as well as training opportunities that will be occurring this week.
 - Volunteer
 - Recruitment and Sign-Up: <http://helphopehome.org/volunteer/>
 - Over 200 registered so far, goal of 300
 - Training
 - Videos available at HHH website
 - In-person training on January 17th at 7:30 am & 9:30 am at Clark County Commission Chambers
 - Deployment captains also hosting on-site trainings
- Monthly HHH Newsletter- Kate informed the group that all content would need to be provided to her by February 4th to ensure she can get it together and get feedback from the group in order to get the newsletter out on time.
 - Finalize February Content
 - Project Homeless Connect Results, Homeless Census Feedback Survey, 2019 Mainstream Programs Basic Training, March 26th Homeless Awareness Day at Nevada Legislature, Speakers Bureau Promotion,
 - Ideas for future content
 - Youth Street Outreach: March/April
- HelpHopeHome.org
 - Working with vendors to update the hosting, then the website functionality. Catherine informed the group that currently they are working the update to calendar with current meeting dates on the HelpHopeHome website. They are also working to update the hosting and getting some addition functionality from the HHH website.
- HHH 101 Orientations
 - Quarterly schedule for 2019, 3:00-5:00pm at Clark County Social Service- It was determined that orientations would switch to quarterly to get a bigger audience.
 - February 25th, May 20th, August 26th, November 19th or 20th (TBD on time)
- Other- VA is currently working on a documentary, looking at Veteran homelessness in our community and what the community is doing to tackle the issue. The first 4-5 minutes of the video will consist of setting up the subject and the rest will follow 2-3 individuals or families through the process.

Next Meeting on February 11, 2019 at 1:30 pm