Shelter Capacity Committee Single Adults Winter Plan 2018-2019 Recommendations Revised June 27, 2018

Overview

The Shelter Capacity Committee met on June 14, 2018 to review the usage rates for single homeless men and women for the winter of 2017-2018. Based upon the Committee's review, we noted that the highest reported usage for men was 1,393 and for women 501. The most frequently reported usage rate for men was 1,099 and for women 385.

Men

The Shelter Capacity Committee recommends the overall bed capacity for men for the winter of 2018-2019 should be 1,401. The Committee noted that the Greenleaf Recreation Center, which provided 50 beds for men briefly last winter, will be used for women only for the winter of 2018-2019.

The following is the general proposed breakdown

432
180
360
135
50 (co-ed)
44
15
100
45
40
Overflow
1,401

^{*}Total of 100 beds will be available for men and women.

^{**}Reduced from 25 beds last winter due to space limitations.

^{***}Increased from beds 30 beds last winter due to the higher usage rate.

Women

The Shelter Capacity Committee recommends the overall bed capacity for women for the winter of 2018-2019 should be 600 beds.

The following is the general proposed breakdown:

CCNV 2 South	48
Harriet Tubman	100
Hermano Pedro (Nativity)	25
Patricia Handy	152
*Emery Recreation Center	50 (co-ed)
Greenleaf Recreation Center	100 (increased from 50 last winter)
New Covenant	25
Community of Christ	25
Sherwood Recreation Center	75
	
Total	600

The Committee noted that the District government is expanding the capacity at Harriet Tubman for 175 - 200 beds for women. The additional 75 - 100 beds are expected to come on line this winter. The additional beds could increase the overall women's capacity to 675 - 700 beds by the end of the winter 2018-2019.

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