



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS

HOUSING SOLUTIONS COMMITTEE NOTES

Meeting Details

Date: September 20 2021

Time: 2:00 – 3:30 PM

Location: WebEx

Agenda and Meeting Notes

Discussion

1. Stay DC (See Slides)
 - a. Success / Current Expenditures: still funds left, encourage all to keep applying; STAYDC updated site so now when provider completes application and sent to tenant, tenant applicant prepopulated with info from landlord (not applicable in reverse)
 - b. Communication / Events: all events visible at <https://stay.dc.gov/dcevents>
 - c. What's next: DC positioning to receive new funds; additional local eviction prevention work ongoing
 - i. Those with questions about STAY DC or eviction prevention encouraged to email Joseph.Lippi@dc.gov and STAY@dc.org
2. Capacity Initiatives (See Slides)
 - a. Resources Available / Progress update
 - b. Internal Capacity for DHS / DCHA
 - c. Provider Capacity: hosting focus groups w/ PSH providers to understand which supports might be helpful as they scale up
 - d. Update from T6 on Landlord Initiatives
 - i. EHV Portal: 9 providers have access, 107 units in system; program unrelated to Deputy Mayor's encampment pilot program

Parking Lot / Additional Questions

- Question about staffing in FY 2022 budget; DHS + DCHA HR departments mobilized to start hiring; question about reducing barriers like background checks / education checks
- Question about how vouchers fit in w/ transition to Medicaid; DHS looking to share support on how providers will make this transition, strategic planning ongoing
- Questions about how encampments – fielded to Emergency Response and Shelter Operations (ERSO) ICH Committee

Next Meeting

Date: October

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Participant List

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