

REGION II
Behavioral Health Board
Housing Sub-Committee

MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA and MINUTES

9/19/22—2:00 – 3:00PM

VIA

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Meeting ID: 969 7465 1844

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- Welcome, and Introductions: Cheryl Dixon, Cara Snyder, Shaun Hollace, Michelle King, Lisa Martin and Loren Beauchamp
- Approval of July Minutes –
Motion mad by Shaun to pass the July 2022 minutes; Michelle King seconded the minutes.
- FY22 Needs and Gaps – we'll need to complete FY23 during this meeting – Lisa Martin
The committee completed the Needs and Gaps for FY23. A few comments below during conversation:
Lewiston is in the process of reviewing tiny houses
Clarkston is working on additional affordable housing through Catholic charities
- Senior Housing Project – Loren Beauchamp, Manager, Interlink Volunteer Agency
Loren reported that he is talking with a 501-c3 group in Spokane that has senior housing throughout the United States. This is a project he has taken on himself and is open to assistance and gathering new information and data.
- Update on Sober Living Grant and sober house in Lewiston - Shaun Hollace
Shaun purchased a single wide trailer located near the Mill. He and his business partner have begun filling beds. There are 2 RV spots on the property. This would probably be open up for either older or newer RV's.
They're trying to purchase additional properties.
- Update on Union Gospel Mission (if available) – Ken Miller/Frank Wright
No update at this time. It was heard in the community that UGM Thrift Shop closed. Lisa will follow up with a call to Ken Miller to get an update and clarification on the Thrift Shop.
- Miscellaneous

An idea for persons with disabilities is to look at the Oxford House model.
Clearwater-ceda.org – Clearwater Economic Development Association
Cara to speak with Barbara Leachman to be contacted
Intermountain Fair Housing and ID housing are partnering

Cynthia Nunez was unable to make it the meeting but was able to provide an update from the Lewiston School District. Resource Social Workers have seen an increase in the number of homeless families. Intermountain Fair Housing has been quick to respond. They're paying 2 months rent for 2 families, giving them time to figure things out. They have families in tents, campers, jumping from one camp ground to another. Parents and kids are very stressed. Its been very difficult.

*Next meeting scheduled for Monday, November 14, 2022. **This committee meets every other month***