

# *Mid-Willamette Valley Homeless Alliance*

## **CoC Point-In-Time (PIT) Count Workgroup**

October 19, 2020 | 11am - 12:00pm

### **Zoom Meeting:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82085146364?pwd=VjBmSlo2dXNPRXJ1SjdidGFWN2hEUT09>

### **AGENDA**

#### **1. Welcome and Introductions**

**DJ Vincent, Committee Chair**

Welcome guests and members. Lieutenant Treven Upkes was approved as a new member of the PIT Count Workgroup at the October MWVHA Board of Directors meeting—welcome!

#### **2. Workgroup Administration**

Review and approve September Meeting Minutes.

#### **3. Impact of Wildfires**

Discuss the potential impacts of Oregon wildfires on the 2021 PIT Count; discuss where those who are now homeless due to wildfires are living and/or receiving services.

#### **4. Incentivizing Participation**

Follow up to collecting and storing donations for 2021 PIT Count.

#### **5. Regional Hubs: 2021 PIT Count**

Review Regional Resource Hub Overview document drafted to mobilize the hosting of regional magnet events for conducting surveys onsite, simultaneous with street outreach and agency surveying.

#### **6. Geographic Coverage and Outreach Plans**

Review available lists for volunteers and geographic leads for street outreach of PIT Count; review those who have responded to Chair Vincent's call to action from the 2020 distribution list for engaging in the 2021 PIT Count; how to coordinate volunteers from 1) a centralized volunteer list, or 2) agency- and hub- based volunteer lists; identify how to recruit local leaders for geographic areas (survey?).

#### **7. Updates: Board, CoC Committee Updates, Other Updates and Follow Up**

Time for updates from the CoC board meetings, Collaborative Committee, agency updates and summarizing the meeting for follow up items.

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PIT Count Workgroup Membership (as of 10/2020):

<b>DJ Vincent</b> , Chair		<b>Matt McWilliams</b> , City of Independence	
<b>Sara Webb</b> , Community Action Agency		<b>Julie Conn-Johnson</b> , SKSD McKinney-Vento	
<b>Robin Winkle</b> , Shangri-La		<b>Tricia Frizzell</b> , Community Action Agency	
<b>Adam Menning</b> , Chemeketa CC		<b>Andrew Copeland</b> , Keizer Police Department	
<b>Linda Strike</b> , Community Action Agency		<b>Wendy Roberts</b> , SKSD Federal Programs	
<b>Gretchen Bennett</b> , City of Salem		<b>Lt. Treven Upkes</b> , Salem Police Department	
<b>Eddie Maestas</b> , Salem Housing Authority		<b>Staff:</b>	
<b>Ben Crosby</b> , City of Keizer		<b>Carla Munns</b> , Consultant MWVHA	
<b>Guests</b>			