

RECOVERY HOUSING SUBCOMMITTEE

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MEETING LOCATION

Chambers
301 N. Main Street - Adrian, MI

Agenda: Wednesday, January 24, 2024 – 1:30 p.m.

Present: Commissioners Jenkins-Arno, Francine Zysk, Garry Clift, Jackie Bradley, Jacqueline Wyse, Sherriff Bevier, and John Glaser.

Also Present: Shannon Elliott, Jen Ambrose, and Carissa Zubke.

I. Call to Order

II. Introductions

III. New Business

- a. **Appointment of Subcommittee Chair and Vice-Chair** Commissioner Jenkins-Arno was nominated for Subcommittee Chair by Sherriff Bevier supported by Garry Clift. Jacqueline Wyse nominated Garry Clift for Vice Chair, supported by Sherriff Bevier.
- b. **Review of Housing Standards – Recommendations and Examples** Francine provided information to help understand the role of Recovery Housing in Lenawee. Included in the packet was information about two other successful organizations. They include Andy's Place from Jackson, MI and Dawn Farms from Washtenaw, MI. Bringing other counties in to hear their success, will assist in planning a model and recommendation for Lenawee County.
- c. **SWOC of Housing in Lenawee County** Francine shared a document that opened up discussion. **SWOC** stands for Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, and Challenges. Collaboratively, the group discussed each section and how those apply to Recovery Housing, in Lenawee County. Some ideas shared include:
 - i. **Strengths:** Multiple agencies, specialty courts, Neighbors of Hope, Decent continuum of care systems approaches outside of housing issues, a significant amount of people with lived experience.
 - ii. **Weakness:** Impact Weekend is no longer offered, coordinating the different organizations, no inpatient or recovery Housing, Stigma, Transitional support

iii. Opportunities: Educate community, post jail coordination, obtaining ideas from other communities

iv. Challenges: Transportation, funding, needs to be centrally located, neighborhoods may not like housing in their community, opportunities for recovery with families and/or various genders.

d. Goals and Vision Francine will be sharing the Recovery Housing Vision Statement at the next meeting. Francine has invited two Recovery Housing organizations to upcoming meetings. The goals established consisted of, develop a model and recommendation to bring to the Board of Commissioners, Determine what recovery looks like for this kind of housing, reduce recidivism because of housing, reduce overdose and death.

It was discussed that the Recovery Housing will be for *any* substance use recovery.

e. Action Items for Next Meeting (February 28, 2024 at 1:30 PM): Data from the Community assessment Opioid study will be shared with the subcommittee. It will be narrowed down to data related to the Recovery Housing Lenawee needs.

IV. Public comment There was no public comment.

V. Adjournment

Motion by Jacqueline Wyse, seconded by Francine Zysk, to adjourn the meeting at 2:35pm. Motion carried.

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