

Ad Hoc Committee to Address Homelessness
Minutes of
Tuesday, June 9, 2020

The Ad Hoc Committee to Address Homelessness of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, met for a meeting on June 9, 2020, at 10:00 a.m via Zoom. Notice and Agenda of the meeting were posted at the Norman Municipal Building and at www.Normanok.gov twenty-four hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

Item no. 1 being: Committee Introductions

Members Present: Lisa Krieg
Michelle Evans
Rayna Cumbie
Bill Scanlon
Cary Bryant

Members Absent: Sereta Wilson
Eryn Tribble
Alison Petrone

Staff Present: Tara Reynolds
Lisa Lewis

Guests Present: Lee Hall

Item No. 2 being: Review of Summary Minutes from 05-26-2020 Meeting

No changes.

Item No. 3 being: Update on Strategic Homeless Plan RFP

- There was discussion about the documentation of the criteria ADG will be providing the City. The proposal was submitted for Manager approval.

Item No. 4 being: Discussion regarding Winter Warming Shelter for Fall 2020

- The Committee needs to begin searching for possible locations. Lisa will request a formal assessment of both the house on Robinson Street, and the Couch Center by the Fire Marshal. A follow up about the Red Cross building was also requested.
- Social distancing and other safety precautions will be needed for the Warming Shelter this year.
- A rented space might be required to house the Shelter.

Item No. 5 being: New Business

- Officer Bryant searched the north end of Sutton Wilderness and did not encounter any encampments, but the encampment at the river is growing.
- The number of homeless are climbing, so that is a consideration for the Shelter location space.
- There have been no reported instances of homeless individuals with Covid19.
- June 23rd is the next meeting date.

Item No. 6 being: Adjournment

The Committee adjourned at 10:32 a.m.