

Ad Hoc Committee to Address Homelessness

Minutes of

Tuesday, July 21, 2020

The Ad Hoc Committee to Address Homelessness of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, met for a meeting on July 21, 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](http://www.Normanok.gov) twenty-four hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

**Item no. 1 being: Committee Introductions**

Members Present: Lisa Krieg  
Rayna Cumbie  
Cary Bryant  
Michelle Evans

Members Absent: Sereta Wilson  
Alison Petrone  
Eryn Tribble

Staff Present: Tara Reynolds  
Lisa Lewis

Guests Present: Lee Hall  
Bill Scanlon  
David Perry

**Item No. 2 being: Review of Summary Minutes from 7-7-2020 Meeting**

No changes.

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

- ADP is currently working on the RFP and will hopefully have it ready in the next few weeks. They met with Michelle who provided them with the background of homelessness in Norman.

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

- The ESG Grant was submitted and asked for \$147,000 to operate the Warming Shelter.
- CSBI is no longer a viable location for the Warming Shelter. There was a protest from one of the other building inhabitants.
- Michelle is following up with OU about the Red Cross building.
- Sooner Legends has also been contacted, and some realtors have been informed of our shelter location needs.

**Item No. 5 being: New Business**

- Encampments are holding steady, with outreach ongoing. Many are resistant to housing.
- Needs for the encampments are water, hand sanitizer, and trash bags.
- More signage is needed at the parks, and legal will meet with Parks to discuss adopting an ordinance banning camping at City parks.
- The next meeting is August 4, 2020.

**Item No. 6 being: Adjournment**

The Committee adjourned at 10:44 a.m.