

**Heading Home Hennepin Executive Committee Meeting**

**December 8, 2021**

**Minutes**

Attendees: Council President Lisa Bender, Andrea Brennan, Co-Chair Commissioner Angela Conley, Co-Chair Mayor Jacob Frey, Kyle Hanson, John Knowland, Stephan LeSure, Melissa Pohlman, Dr. Danielle Robertshaw, Council Member Jeremy Schroeder, Julia Welle Ayres, Scott Vargo

Non-members: Peter Ebnet, Rebecca Huebsch, Binta Kanteh, Josh Leopold, Jessica Oaxaca,

Katie Topinka

Hennepin County staff: Mikkel Beckmen, Jeanette Boerner, Robert Gruba, David Hewitt, Mark Legler, Erin Mehta, Barb Nesheim, Kyle Olson, Casey Schleisman, Danielle Werder, Erin Wixsten, Patricia Zagaros

Welcome: Co-Chair Mayor Frey

Approval of agenda moved by mayor Frey and seconded by Angela Conley

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Mayor Frey and seconded by Melissa

Pohlman. The minutes were approved.

Recognition of Council President Bender and Council Member Schroeder’s service on the committee.

Brief updates on veteran, chronic and family homelessness

* *David Hewitt, Hennepin County Housing Stability* (see attached PowerPoint\*)

COVID – 19, the homeless/health response and next steps (see attached PowerPoint\*)

* *Josh Leopold, Minnesota Department of Health*
* *Erin Mehta, Hennepin County Public Health*
* *Danielle Werder, Hennepin County Housing Stability*

Responding to the economic impacts of COVID-19 (see attached PowerPoint\*)

* *Julia Welle Ayres, Hennepin County Housing and Economic Development*
* *Katie Topinka, Minneapolis Community Planning and Economic Development*
* *Mikkel Beckmen, Hennepin County Housing Stability*
* *Jeanette Boerner, Hennepin County Adult Representation Services*

Youth Homeless Demonstration Program (see attached PowerPoint\*)

* *Casey Schleisman, Hennepin County Housing Stability*

Shelter and unsheltered homelessness updates (see attached PowerPoint\*)

* *Katie Topinka, Minneapolis Community Planning and Economic Development*
* *Erin Wixsten, Hennepin County Housing Stability*
  + Seeking Warming Centers
  + [Point in Time Count 2022](https://www.hennepin.us/residents/human-services/pit-2022)
* *Danielle Werder, Hennepin County Housing Stability*

Continuum of Care notifications (see attached PowerPoint\*)

* *David Hewitt, Hennepin County Housing Stability*

Adjourn

