Hunger Free Lenawee!

MINUTES from 07/11/17

Call to Order/Introduction: Nancy Bishop DHHS, Anthony Davis St Vincent de Paul, Cynthia Heady LCF, Andrea Aguilar MSUE, AnneVictoria Smith, Heather Mauney FBSCM, Jackie Bradley UW, Vickie Pfeifer MSU, Tami Gilbert WIC/CAA

MEET UP and EAT UP

- Letters were sent, Information Cards were handed out. We were unable to meet with superintendents. Next year we need to reach out to the schools in February to ask about who is applying for the program.

- The goal for supporting this effort is to increase usage.

- Vickie Pfeifer stated that “Dinners on Us” suggested that we reach out to the network of churches in Lenawee County. Care Pregnancy Center may have the contact information.

Pantry Visits

- Time to start revisiting the pantries. Andrea and Cynthia reported that the Tool Kits are almost completed. We need to have the follow up visits done by September. The Community Foundation will assist with printing out the tool kits and signage for the pantries. Andrea is going to create a schedule and send it out electronically.

The Structure of HFL!

- We reviewed the “Plan” that was last updated in 2015. We discussed having a Chair, CoChair and Secretary. We need to establish job duties, update the plan and nominate individuals that will fill the positions.

The Lenawee County Fair
Heather confirmed that the option will be there for individuals to donate livestock to the Food Bank and is looking into having a table on the day of the livestock auction. We will need volunteers to be there.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- HFL! Breakfast. November
- Trunk or Treat. October

**Agency Updates**

- WIC needs enrollees. Remember to refer expectant moms or moms with kids under the age of 5 to WIC!!

*MISSION STATEMENT: Leveraging the power of Collective Impact in order to fight hunger by efficiently utilizing all of the resources available in Lenawee County.*

**Adjournment:**

- Next Meeting Date
  - The First Tuesday of the Month
  - 08/08/17 @ 1:00PM
  - The Department of Health and Human Services