MINUTES

1. Introductions / Roll Call

In attendance: Audricka Jacob, Lynne Punnett, Helen Henricks, Brian Elliot, Laura Schultz-Pipis, Jill Hicks, Burt Fenby, Chris Howard, Candy Aranda, Mindy Goll, Ted Crockett, Mick Albig, Shannon Lucas, Samantha Tubbs, Nancy Bishop, Jackie Bradley, Tamara Gaines (by phone)

2. Approve Agenda / Previous Minutes
   a. Laura made motion to approve the Agenda and the April meeting’s Minutes as presented. Shannon supported. The motion carried.

3. Sub-Committee Reports – remove on off months
   a. Homeless Youth
      i. No report
   b. Public Awareness
      i. No report
   c. Affordable Housing / Short Term Emergency Shelter
      i. No report
   d. These items will be removed from the Agenda on months which include sub-committee break-outs.

4. Reminder: MOUs
   a. If you have not submitted an MOU on behalf of your organization, please do so as soon as possible. Signed MOUs should be given to Jackie, either in person or by email.

5. Additions / Comments / Questions
   a. Lynne was at a conference in Atlanta last week. The Senior Director of HUD Section 4 Housing spoke about some of the budget cuts that had been proposed. Most of these did not pass and some program received historic increases. This doesn’t necessarily mean more funding will be coming into Lenawee County, but we will need to see how it plays out.
   b. United Way of Monroe/Lenawee Counties
      i. Health Check on 5/24 at the Lenawee County Fairgrounds from 8:00 am to Noon. Coupons for free blood panels are available. (page 3)
   c. Michigan Works! Southeast
      i. Hiring Blitz on 5/25 at MI Works office from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. Nineteen employers will be there. (page 4)
      ii. Driver Responsibilities Fees can be waived before 10/1, if individual completes 10 hours of service with MI Works. After 10/1, they will be waived automatically. (page 5-6)
   d. Habitat for Humanity
      i. Habitat will be hosting an AmeriCorps NCCC Team for 8 weeks in May and June. There are 9 people on the team and each one needs to complete an Independent Learning Project separate from their Habitat work.
Lenawee County Continuum of Care By-Laws Purpose:

*The Lenawee County Continuum of Care serves as an advocacy, awareness, and planning workgroup of the Lenawee Essential Needs Council. Our mission is to meet the needs of the homeless population in Lenawee County.*

**PURPOSE**

The Lenawee County Continuum of Care was established to provide the homeless with access to shelter, resources, and services and to raise public awareness about homelessness in Lenawee County, Michigan. To this end, we are committed to becoming more aware of existing needs for shelter and related services offered within the community and to connecting the homeless with services and resources. We strive to meet the needs of the homeless and work towards providing, identifying and satisfying the needs of the homeless in an effort to eliminate homelessness in Lenawee County.
FREE AND LOW COST
HEALTH SCREENINGS
2018

UNITED WAY OF MONROE/LENAWEE COUNTIES

ADRIAN – Thursday May 24, 2018
8AM—NOON
Lenawee County Fair Grounds

Free Transportation to and from Fair Grounds
For rides call 517-264-6360 (Courtesy of DHHS)

ADULT VACCINES AVAILABLE --
The following vaccines may be available to adults 19 years of age or older who are uninsured*, or underinsured* and meet certain risk factors: Td/Tdap, MMR, Hepatitis B, Hepatitis A. Flu and Pneumonia will be available for Medicare part B recipients.

*Adults with vaccine insurance coverage or Medicaid do not qualify for this program.

NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY – MINORS MUST HAVE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN’S SIGNATURE
ALL HEALTH CHECK SITES WILL OFFER THE FOLLOWING FREE TESTS AND SERVICES:
Blood Pressure • Hearing • Nutrition and Medication Counseling • Height/Weight Measurement

THE FOLLOWING TESTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR A SMALL FEE:
ACCURATE RESULTS FOR SOME BLOOD TESTS REQUIRE FASTING FOR 12 HOURS.
TAKE ALL MEDICATION WITH WATER ONLY.

BLOOD PANEL—$20 A 22-test profile that includes a complete blood cell count, liver, kidney and thyroid function, glucose, sodium, potassium, cholesterol, triglycerides, HDL, and LDL.

HA1C—$15 A blood test that aids in diagnosing and in monitoring diabetes.

VITAMIN D—$15 Measures how much vitamin D is in your body. Vitamin D is essential for healthy bones, and a lack of it can lead to health problems, including cardiovascular disease.

COLORECTAL CANCER KITS—$5 Take home kits that may detect early warning signs of ulcers, cancer or colitis

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: HEALTH CHECK AT (517) 264-6821
SPONSORED BY:
United Way of Monroe/Lenawee Counties • Family Medical Center of Michigan • Michigan Department of Health and Human Services • Lenawee County Health Department • Community Action Agency of Jackson, Lenawee, Hillsdale, • First Presbyterian Church of Tecumseh • First Presbyterian Church of Adrian

*All tests: subject to availability at time of Health Check
THE 3rd ANNUAL
HIRING BLITZ

Bring copies of your resume and come dressed for an interview

Tuesday, May 15, 2018 | 10am-2pm
1040 S. Winter Street, Suite 1014 | Adrian, MI 49221

- Army National Guard
- Cliff Buick GMC
- Fasco Employment Inc.
- First Student
- Goodwill Industries of Southeast Michigan
- Great Lakes Caring
- Inteva Products
- Kelly Services (Plastic Omnium)
- Manpower (Kirchhoff Automotive)
- Martinrea
- Michigan Regional Council of Carpenters
- METS
- Meijer
- Plastic Omnium
- ProMedica
- Rima Manufacturing
- Social Security Administration
- United Methodist Retirement Communities
- Versacut

PUBLIC WELCOME
PRIORITY FOR MILITARY VETERANS

Presented by the agencies that comprise the Region 9 Veterans Community Action Team and Michigan Works! Southeast
Driver Responsibility Fee Elimination
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FAQ's

If I am already participating in a workforce development program through Michigan Works!, will my debt be eliminated?
Yes. Michigan Department of Treasury is partnering with local workforce development agencies such as Michigan Works!, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), City of Detroit and other local government workforce development agencies to identify individuals who are already participating in existing programs. Identified individuals currently participating in a qualifying program will have their driver responsibility debt eliminated and will be notified by mail from the Michigan Department of Treasury.

What is the Workforce Development Program?
Michigan Department of Treasury and the Michigan Secretary of State are partnering with local workforce development agencies such as Michigan Works!, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), City of Detroit and other local government workforce development programs to identify and enroll participants in qualifying programs to assist in the elimination of driver responsibility fees in lieu of payment until October 1, 2018.

How do I apply for the Workforce Development Program?
Individuals interested in participating in a qualifying program in lieu of payment of their Driver Responsibility fees before October 1, 2018, should contact a local workforce development program agency to learn more about existing programs. Local resources may include Michigan Works!, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), City of Detroit or other local government workforce development programs. A new 10-hour workforce development program is under development for individuals who do not qualify for existing programs. Check for updates on this program at www.michigan.gov/driverresponsibility.

Is everyone eligible to participate in the Workforce Development Program?
Yes. There are a number of qualifying programs available to the public. Local workforce development agencies will assist individuals in determining the available qualifying programs. A new 10-hour workforce development program is under development for individuals who do not qualify for existing programs. Check for updates on this program at www.michigan.gov/driverresponsibility.

How many hours of participation are required?
Individuals will need to participate in a qualifying program consisting of at least 10 hours of participation to meet the time requirement for the Workforce Development Program.

What do I have to do to have my Driver Responsibility fee waived?
Individuals will need to work with local workforce development agencies to enter into a qualifying program and complete the Workforce Development Program Verification, Driver Responsibility Fee Waiver (Form 5586). The local workforce development agency will verify and approve the form. Approved forms should be sent to Michigan Department of Treasury, Office of Collections, PO Box 30149, Lansing, MI 48909. Identified individuals currently participating in a qualifying program will have their driver responsibility debt eliminated and will be notified by mail from the Michigan Department of Treasury.

When will my driver responsibility fees be waived?
Identified individuals currently participating in a qualifying program will have their driver responsibility debt eliminated and will be notified by mail from the Michigan Department of Treasury throughout April. New workforce development program participants will be required to complete a Workforce Development Program Verification, Driver Responsibility Fee Waiver form with their participating agency.

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Driver Responsibility Fee Elimination
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FAQ's

Michigan Department of Treasury will process these forms in the order they are received. Applicants will be notified once a driver responsibility fee has been eliminated by Michigan Department of Treasury.

**When can I get my license reinstated?**
Once your driver responsibility fees have been eliminated, you will be notified by Michigan Department of Treasury and you may then qualify to get your license back. Reinstatement fees will not be charged between March 31, 2018 and December 31, 2018. At that time the balance will be waived.

*Please note: If your license is suspended for other violations, such as failure to appear in court or driving on a suspended license, among others, you must clear these before reinstating.*

**Where can I find more information regarding the Workforce Development Program?**

3/29/2018
VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Mission:
To deliver intensive employment services to a targeted veteran population as an integrated partner with the Michigan Works! Agency, in accordance with the intent of the Jobs for Veterans State Grant program.

INTENSIVE INDIVIDUALIZED EMPLOYMENT SERVICES FOR ELIGIBLE VETERANS AND SPOUSES

Located within the Michigan Works! One-Stop Service Centers Veteran Career Advisors provide intensive and individualized employment services to eligible veterans and spouses with significant barriers to employment. The Veteran Career Advisors provide intensive one-on-one services designed to assist eligible veterans and spouses in reducing or eliminating barriers to employment. These services include, but are not limited to, resume development, interviewing skills, networking and direct referral to other service providers.

- Are you an eligible veteran or spouse with a significant barrier to employment?
- Interested? Not sure what a significant barrier to employment is?

Please visit your local Michigan Works! One-stop Service Center for more information. To find your local Michigan Works! Office visit www.michiganworks.org OR CALL 1-800-285-WORKS (9675).
9 Hole Scrambles Format
Competition with power cart
Luncheon
50/50 and Gift Basket Raffles
Closest To the Pin Contest
Longest Putt Contest
Longest Drive (In the fairway)

Date: Friday, June 1, 2018
Time: 9:00 am
Held at: Wolf Creek Golf Club
Registration starts at 8:00 am and shot gun start is at 9:00 am

Benefits the
Catherine Cobb Safe House—Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Advocacy Services

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A website promoting community access. Local businesses and public spaces that have been surveyed for accessibility of parking, entry, restrooms, and seating.