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MISSION

The mission of the SDYHC is to prevent and end youth homelessness in San Diego County by creating a multi-disciplinary, community-wide system, in alignment with San Diego's Coordinated Community Plan (CCP), to serve youth ages 26 and under.

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Youth homelessness will decrease in San Diego County, and any housing instability faced by young people will be brief and non-recurring through our collective service efforts.

STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES – JUNE 2ND, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

A steering committee meeting of the San Diego Youth Homelessness Consortium was held on 6/2/2025 on Zoom. It began at 10:35 am and was presided over by Jessica Rihan.

ATTENDANCE

- Voting members present: Beth Davenport, David Baker, Haley Varges, Jessica Rihan, Krysta Esquivel, Laura Tancredi-Baese, Nicole Lillie, Stephanie Cox, Susie Terry & Tristian Berry
- Voting members absent: Aidan Lin-Tosado, Gillian Leal, Mauricio Torre
- Proxy/Guests: Amanda Sanchez & Justin Lipford
- Quorum: Yes

OLD BUSINESS

- Vote: April agenda. Motion Passes

NEW BUSINESS

1	Welcomes	All
2	Vote: April Minutes Motion: Beth Second: Nicole Abstentions: None Motion Passes	All
3	Vote: May Agenda Motion: Susie Second: Krysta Abstentions: None Motion Passes	All
4	Steering Committee Members <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stephanie cox joined Steering Committee, representation for Head Start. Committee wished Laura a farewell and	Jessica Rihan

	congratulations as she transitions from the committee	
5	<p>Discussion regarding the city, county, and state budget processes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussed concerns and Impact on programs and services • Current proposed city budget is concerning, massive cuts across the board: library cuts, afterschool spaces, child & youth success programs being cut, mental health & shelter resources are impacted • Medicare/ MediCal cuts that will impact transition age youth • Will be a greater need for supportive services to replace the ones being cut • SDYHC plans to continue to bring TAY youth into the conversation about updates & changes and see how we can prioritize them 	All
6	<p>Strategies for current housing & system influx discussion (Job Corps)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Job Corp losing funding 6/6. Youth must move out of housing • Meeting with Renia from Job Corps tomorrow for updates and ways to support youth using their housing & needs of support. Steering committee members attending to represent their agencies • Job corps will not be available any longer • Discussed how to identify beds available in programs, voucher support and emergency/bridge housing resources • 211 sending out some of their outreach staff to assist with the rehousing 	David Baker
7	<p>LGBTQ needs assessment update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beth will share w/ group • Survey unhoused youth in SD community 	Beth Davenport
8	<p>Youth Voice Network Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTTA held Policy over Pasta night. Cooked and discussed current policies and changes in the housing system • Mid City can conference this summer • Policy proposal for lots to be available to expand housing and advocacy efforts • Discuss the community raid that took place on Friday, impacting local business. OTTA and Youth will supporting rapid response trainings for protection 	Nicole Lillie
9	<p>YHDP & YHSI Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finalizing YHDP & CCP finalization and submitted this week • Identifying what each partnering agency will support and where 	David Baker

	the funds will be distributed for housing support	
10	Steering Committee Interest Form & Criteria Review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will discuss at next meeting 	All
11	Concerns/Announcements	All

ADJOURNMENT: 11:52 pm