



Mountain Regional Steering Committee

and Homeless Provider Network meeting

Monday, April 14, 2025 • 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

St. Richard Episcopal Church Hall: 28708 CA Hwy-18, Sky Forest, CA 92385

IN PERSON for Board members & Via Zoom Teleconference

Meeting will be conducted pursuant to Calif. Government Code Sec. 54953(e)

& is hybrid: in-person Board, *et al*,/ & zoom—others

Alternate Meeting Satellite Sites:

Big Bear City Hall, Training Room: 39707 Big Bear Blvd, Big Bear Lake, CA 92315

Family Assistance: 1255 E. Highland Avenue, Suite#211, San Bernardino, CA 92401

Teleconference info:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83056213419?pwd=aVVUSy92c00xSWlqaHJRODJk0F0UT09>

Meeting ID: **830 5621 3419** + Passcode: **534180**

Dial in for just audio: (669) 444-9171

AGENDA

OPENING REMARKS		PRESENTER
A.	Call to Order	Wendell Wilson
B.	Welcome and Introductions	
C.	Public Comment and/or requests for additions to Agenda	
PAST MINUTES		
D.	Approval of Minutes of February 10 AND March 10, 2025	Wendell Wilson
ACTION ITEM		
E.	Confirming VOTE to add three new Voting Members: Isaac Garcia, Ginger Bedolla	Wendell Wilson
PRESENTATION		
	“The Work of DOVES (Domestic Violence Education & Services) in the Mountain Areas” ...by Lori Schindler	Lori Schindler
DISCUSSION ITEMS		
F.	Discussion:	Wendell Wilson
	1. CoC’s Strategic Plan update for SBC (ref: Homebase Consultants) 2. Proposed Mountain Homeless Summit – Summer 2025 (incl. report on pastors/camp-directors’ pre-summit gathering)	
G.	Member Roundtable & Public Comment:	
CLOSING		
I.	Adjournment	Wendell Wilson
	Next Meeting: Mountain RSC and HPN will next meet on: 2 nd Monday, April 14, 2025 - 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm St. Richard’s & via Zoom Teleconference	

Mission Statement

The Mission of the San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership is to provide a system of care that is inclusive, well planned, coordinated and evaluated and is accessible to all who are homeless and those at-risk of becoming homeless.

THE SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY HOMELESS PARTNERSHIP MEETING FACILITY IS ACCESSIBLE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. IF ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES OR OTHER AUXILIARY AIDS OR SERVICES ARE NEEDED IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC MEETING, REQUESTS SHOULD BE MADE THROUGH THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THE PARTNERSHIP MEETING. AGENDA AND SUPPORTI DOCUMENTATION CAN BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES LOCATED AT 560 E. HOSPITALITY LANE, SUITE 200, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92415 . OR BY EMAIL:

OHS@HSS.SBCOUNTY.GOV PARTNERSHIP WEBSITE: <https://sbchp.sbcounty.gov/>



**Minutes for San Bernardino County Office of Homeless Services
Joint meeting of Mountain Homeless Provider Network (HPN)
& Mountain Regional Steering Committee (RSC)**

These Minutes awaiting approval at April 14, 2025 Meeting.

Date **March 10, 2025**

Scheduled Time: 1:30pm-3pm

Location: In Person at St. Richard Parish Hall and via Zoom Meeting ID: **830 5621 3419** + Passcode: **534180**

Minutes recorded and transcribed by: Gary Bradley, Secretary with assistance from an A.I. program via Zoom

OPENING REMARKS	Presenter	
Call to Order Welcome and Introduction	Paul Fournier	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The meeting was called to order at 1:35 p.m. by Paul Fournier (Co-Chair) ▪ Meeting conducted IN PERSON at St. Richard’s Parish Hall in Sky Forest, and via teleconference pursuant to CA Gov. Code Section 54953(e). ▪ Attendees welcomed and introduced. Quorum present—5 of 6 voting members. ▪ Total Attendance: (23 present – In person and Virtual/Zoom) ▪ This February meeting of the Mountain Regional Steering Committee and the Mountain Homeless Provider Network included representatives from various organizations working to support homeless services in the region. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Voting Members Available 5 of 6—for Quorum): Wendell Wilson (Co-Chair (MHC-on Zoom); Paul Fournier (Co-Chair-in person); Shonda Szabo (Bear Valley USD on Zoom); Kelly Tinker (Comm.Dev.-Big Bear Lake on Zoom); Joselyn Field (Rim Fam. Serv. on Zoom); [[NOTE: Meeting “presence” via Zoom in the process of clarification/correction by SBCo.OHS]]</i> ▪ ABSENT: Annemieke Stalcup ▪ <i>Secretary: Gary Bradley (MHC) in person</i> ▪ <i>Presenter: ZaZette Scott – Family Assistance Programs</i> ▪ <i>Other Attendees (12): Jaylen Cleveland, HSS-SBCo- in person; Sue Walker (Pres., MHC- in person); Becky Beavers (Ops.Dir., MHC); Tyrese Crawford, HYE (Homeless Youth); Rita Nelson, Operation Grace; Marcus Dillard (SBCo- in person); Claudia Doyle (SBCo- in person); (Other woman-not audible) (SB Co in person); Heather Lilly (Equus- in person); Ginger Bedolla Fam.Asst.Prog.); Andrew Gonzales (Vets); Sergio Dominguez; Cynthia Robles Rolling Start);; Robin Meggs; Joy Woodward (OHS); ; E. Castillo;</i>
APPROVAL --MINUTES	Presenter	Also: PUBLIC COMMENT
Public Comment & Minutes	Paul	<p>Public Comment was invited. Marcus Dilliard, Chief of Homeless Services, San Bernardino Co., gave updates on several initiatives from the Office of Homeless Services. A new email address (OHS@hss.sbcounty.gov) has been established for general communications, while the homeless RFP email will be used solely for funding opportunities. The Continuum of Care Board meetings will now be held every other month, alternating with full CoC membership meetings. Paul also announces the development of a new Office of Homeless Services website, which will include a data dashboard. Additionally, he discusses upcoming projects such as a client portal for HMIS, kiosks for client information updates, a bedding unit inventory module, an outreach module in Clarity, a resource map, and the HUG (Housing the Unhoused Gateway) portal. The office is also working on revamping the county's strategic homeless action plan and implementing an encampment resolution process.</p>

		NOTE: Minutes’ approval for February 2024 -- due to lack a quorum for voting, since board members participating online must disclose their locations in advance for public access, as a result, votes on meeting minutes and new members are postponed until the next month.
ACTION ITEMS	Presenter	
New Members:	Paul	Vote to approve 3 new Voting Members: POSTPONED (see above re: Minutes) Jalen Cleveland, Isaac García, Ginger Bedolla. (TABLED till April meeting)
Presentation	Presenter	
“Working in the Margins” CES at a Glance	Za Zette Scott: Family Assistance Program	<p align="center">“Working in the Margins” CES at a Glance</p> <p align="center">With Za Zette Scott, advocate, program manager and Host of Working in the Margins, a weekly radio show and podcast.</p> <p>Za Zette Scott from Family Assistance Program presented their services, focusing on the HIRE program for justice-involved individuals seeking employment. The program offers comprehensive support, including funding for basic needs to remove barriers to work. Scott also discussed their Coordinated Entry System for domestic violence, human trafficking, reentry, and victims of crime. She mentioned challenges with current funding availability across agencies and emphasizes the importance of inter-agency collaboration. Scott highlights Family Assistance Program's various services, including youth shelters, emergency housing, and reentry programs, noting the high demand for reentry housing due to the large number of individuals released from prisons monthly in San Bernardino Co.</p> <p>ZaZette hosts a radio show called "Working in the Margins" that focuses on community partners, updates, and resources. She shares information about various community events and services on social media using the hashtag #WorkingInTheMarginsWithZ. ZaZette invites guests from different organizations to discuss their work on her show, which airs on Thursdays at 2 PM. She also mentions that Family Assistance Program operates a transitional house for LGBTQ youth aged 18-24 in San Bernardino and is involved in forming a Human Rights Coalition in the area.</p>
MEMBER ROUND TABLE	Presenter	&PUBLIC COMMENT
1.Discussion: Proposed “Homeless Summit” 2. Public Comment	Wendell	<p>(NOTE: Wendell led a discussion on the proposed Housing and Homeless Summit on May 9th from 12-2 PM at Lake Arrowhead Presbyterian Church, with both in-person and Zoom attendance options. The event aims to present the state of affordable housing and homelessness in the mountains, attract community support, and appeal to potential resources. Speakers will include county officials, local leaders, and experts in homeless services. The coalition is also reaching out to various community organizations to gather perspectives and data on the local situation.</p> <p>Other input: Kelly to work on meeting space in Big Bear for public participation to allow for online participation in future meetings of this board.</p> <p>Mountain Homeless Coalition to consider conducting a mini Point-in-Time count around the end of July.</p>

FINAL ITEMS		
Other	Paul	
Adjourn	Paul	Meeting adjourned at 2:59pm
Next Meeting:	Paul	The next meeting—Mountain-RSC+HPN: Monday, March 10, 2025 from 1:30 to 3:00pm -- In-Person at St. Richard's & <i>Via Zoom</i> Tele-conference.

VOTING MEMBERS

First Name	Last Name	Organization	Email Address	Best Phone
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Wendell	Wilson	Mountain Homeless Coalition (CoChair)	wendellw@mtnhomeless.com	360-350-8692
PENDING:	Isaac Garcia	Dept. of Rehabilitation	Isaac.garcia@dor.ca.gov ;	951-201-6379
PENDING:	Ginger Bedolla	Family Assistance Prog.	ginger@familyassist.org ;	(760) 843-0701 Ext.: 2020
PENDING: <i>SBCo-Rep.</i>	Jalen Cleveland	Homeless Serv. – SBCo.	Jalen.Cleveland@HSS.SBCounty.gov ;	909-501-0603
non-voting: <i>Secretary</i>	Gary Bradley	Mt. Homeless Coalition	garyb@mtnhomeless.com	909-744-7999