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**Conference Call Meeting May 25, 2017**

**Hosted by Rockingham County**

**Present: Ellery Blackstock, Regional Lead, Funding Processor; Marlene Harrison, Alt. Lead;**

**Thadeous Carr, CA Lead; Faye Pierce, PIT Lead; Emily Stevens, ACAC; Amy Steel,**

**RCHH; April Allen, Help, Inc; Nikki Ratliff, Webmaster and Jamal Troublefield, Family**

**Endeavors**

**Ellery – Welcome and introductions**

**Review and approve of meeting minutes from the in-person meeting on April 27 -** Approved by common consent.

**Thadeous –** CA update:

* All required updates have been completed and the CAC will meet on June 16, for final approval.
* All 5 counties need to have their quarterly reports in to Thadeous, on time for submission.
* Thadeous plans to send out a template from the state to all agencies.
* The key people who are now working on the Veteran’s plan are Kathryn Cooper and Robin Henry with the VOA.
* **Ellery –**  Talked about the CA Outcome webinar hosted on May 23, and that the presentation is available on the NCCEH website.

**Ellery -**

* Thanks to Travis Patterson for accepting the position representing PRACC on the Score Card Committee and to Carl Thompson for accepting the position on the Project Review Committee.

**NC Conference on Homelessness –** Faye reported that the conference was well presented with a viable focus

on Rapid Re-housing. Amy stated that the program was well planned, with good information. Thadeous

agreed that the conference was a great success and an excellent time of networking and that there will be

national conference in Washington DC July 16-21.

**County Spotlights:**

* **Jamal –** Has had conversations with developers regarding bringing more affordable housing to Chatham County. Rev. Carl Thompson also continues to seek ways to bring additional housing into the county.
* **Thadeous –** Alamance County has a Housing Initiative geared to identify needs and resources of all 5 counties; plans to send out a MOU to all agencies.
* **Ellery –** The Rockingham County Rescue Mission and partners have initiated a program birthed from the Feed Rockingham County Project. It is called “Rockingham United” and has a goal to extend and expand services to the homeless and indigent within Rockingham County. The group obtained a grant to provide a “Mobile Market” which will go throughout the county providing food, services and resources. The grant is for 2 years. A 53 foot custom made trailer that is handicap accessible will travel throughout the county, into rural areas providing much needed assistance to the homeless and impoverished. The trailer will be equipped with a kitchen, meeting room, computer area, etc. The group will be collaborating with area providers such as nursing programs, etc.

**Adjournment:** Made by common consent.

**Next meeting:**  Will be in-person, hosted by Alamance County on June 22 at 10am at the ACAC building.

*Respectfully Submitted,*



*Marlene Harrison*

*Regional Alternate*