Georgetown Tiny House Village Community Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

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| CAC Name | Georgetown Tiny House Village |
| Date | September 8,2020 |
| Meeting Location | On line via Zoom |
| Call to Order (time) | 4:00pm |
| CAC Members in Attendance | Barbara Grace Hill, Andrew Hershey, Peter St John, Bill Oliver, Sheyne Benedict |
| Permitted Encampment Members in Attendance | Stacy, Jason, Chris |
| Operator Representatives in Attendance | LIHI: Hattie Rhoades GV site mgr., Andrew Constantino Interbay site mgr., Ladonna Hurn GV case mgr , Josh Castle, Rebecca Finkes |
| City of Seattle Staff in Attendance | Shawn Neal, HSD |
| Guests in Attendance | LIHI guests: Lydia Stamper, Amanda Easton, Maddie Harris |
| Recorder/Note Taker | Barbara |
| Previous Meeting Notes Approved (No or Yes/Date) | Yes/ August 2020 |
| Previous Meeting Notes Posted (No or Yes/Date) | Yes / August 2020 |

**CAC Member Reports:**

Barbara –

New CAC member search

* Welcome Sheyne Benedict, our newest CAC member!
* Barbara is in process setting up a meeting with newly elected Georgetown Merchant’s Association President Crystal Sturm

The Flume project has passed the street vacation and land transfer process by the design commission, according to an email received from Kate Kolhler of the Georgetown Open Space Committee.

Peter St John –

Sent an email to New Directions Baptist minister to consider joining us on the CAC

Andrew H –

This month at SVdP:

* 76, 912 lbs food donated
* 3512 people served, 82 new clients
* Mobile Med Van visits again on the 11th and 18th
* Several break-ins this month at the gate, food and clothing stolen from warehouse :-(
* VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help pack food bags, make clothing pickup runs, hand out Food Bank food (outside) To volunteer go to <https://svdpseattle.org/get-involved/>

Bill Oliver –

No village related news or issues

Sheyne Benedict –

Shayne introduced herself. She is a neighbor, works in community health care and has past experience working with tiny homes via Opportunity Village in Eugene OR.

**Village Operations/Development:**

Hattie reported:

* Everyone working on a major village clean up then will do a coordinated beautification effort to bring a more cohesive atmosphere to the village.
* Therapeutic Health Services continues coming every week. Provides substance abuse treatment and mental health service
* Country Doctor nurses continue weekly visits
* Recovery Café has started visiting!
* NW Harvest has begun hot meal delivery M-W-F
* Villagers doing OK in spite of smoke and heat on top of C-19
* Self-management is going well, new village leaders recently elected via paper ballots since they can’t meet as a large group
* Some discussion about tent/awnings for shade, Hattie will follow up with Barbara
* **STILL NEEDED - Other shelf stable food donations**

Stacy reported –

Adults: 53 - Men: 30 / Women: 23

Children: 0

Couples: 6

Families: 0

Pets: 23 (dogs 11, cats 12)

Intakes: 2

Outs:0

Into Housing: 0

Permanent Bar:0

Temporary Bars: 0

6 911 calls: 3 medical (all ok), 1 mental health, 1 harassment, 1 couple arguing

Josh Castle reported:

**LIHI is doing Get out the Vote efforts:**

* Homeless people on the street can register by entering the nearest intersection where they are living or use the LIHI address:
	+ LIHI

1253 S Jackson St

Seattle 98144

* They can pick up ballots at Aurora Commons or Urban Rest Stop – Ballard, Downtown, U District
* Tiny Home villagers also get ballots sent to their villages

**Case Management Report**

LaDonna introduced herself. She is the Part time Case Manager.

**City of Seattle Human Service Dept**

Shawn Neal gave an update on the Regional Housing Authority progress. CEO search in progress, expected to fill position early next year. Stakeholder organizations are being queried for input on selection.

**Next CAC meeting October 13th at 4pm via Zoom.**

**Adjournment: 5:00 pm**