**Whittier Heights CAC Agenda/Meeting Notes**

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| CAC Name: | Whittier Heights Village |
| Date: | **June 29, 2020** |
| Meeting Location: | Zoom Call |
| Call to Order (time): | 5:35pm |
| CAC Members in Attendance: | Jean Darsie, John Lederer |
| Permitted Encampment Members in Attendance: |  |
| Operator Representatives in Attendance: | Josh Castle, Renata Bryant, Jeanette Causey |
| Community Members in Attendance: |  |
| City of Seattle Staff in Attendance: |  |
| Recorder/ Note Taker: | John Lederer |
| Previous Meeting Notes Approved: | Yes |
| Previous Meeting Notes Posted: | Will be soon when approved at <http://www.seattle.gov/homelessness/city-permitted-villages#whittierheightsvillage> |

Meeting called to order at ~5:35pm by Chair, Jean Darsie.

**April Meeting Minutes**

The April 27 meeting minutes were reviewed online prior to the meeting and approved as drafted.

**Village Management Report:**

Jeanette Causey stated that all fifteen units of the village are occupied. If all goes as planned, one or two residents should secure housing this week or shortly thereafter. This should yield one opening.

Flowers are going in and lights are going up. The grill is in use.

Since the Covid case upswing and due to guidance, community meetings have been suspended indefinitely.

Donations are coming in steadily of needed items like towels, blankets, toiletries.

At this point the group digressed into a discussion of the future of the Navigation Team (where most referrals are coming from) given public calls for police reform.

**Case Management Report**

Renata talked about the two potential moves coming soon to permanent housing. One of the residents has been at the village for two years working towards an opportunity to move to a behavioral health housing facility, which she will be visiting soon prior to placement.

An additional resident is high on a waitlist for housing and news is anticipated soon.

**Open Discussion:**

There was discussion about the SPD Victim Support Team and whether staff had any interactions with it. They have not.

Discussion about LIHI positions on City budget shifts and testimony given and planned before the City Council. Josh gave advice on how best to put your name on the testimony list if you want to offer testimony.

**Next Meeting:** Monday, July 27, Zoom call at 5:30 pm.

**Adjournment:** ~6:30pm