



DATE: January 7, 2011

minutes by G.R. Laughlin, CRC

Present: Brian Cole-Shawnee Cty. DOC, Jan Craig-Gatekeepers/SCHA, Lynn Davis-Breakthrough House, Glenda DuBoise-Antioch FLC, Theresa Gartner-Topeka North Outreach, Crystal Helm-KCSL Family RC, John Homlish-Comm.Action, John Jage-ResourceCntrIndpLivin, Patricia James-Westar, Nancy Johnson-CRC, Jeff Karas-Topeka Rescue, Jessica Kejr-Harvesters, Lewis Kimsey-SRS, G.R. Laughlin-CRC, Christina Lingard-Heidrich-Doorstep, Shelly Lowery-Let'sHelp, Bob Mackey-HCCI, Kelli Martinez-Topeka Parole, Debra McClelland-ERC, Zuleika Reynoso-CommAction HS, Doug Wallace-Valeo

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	FOLLOW UP
Let's Help, Inc presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shelly Lowery presented Let's Help to group. They are open from 8am-4pm, offer Lunch M-F from 1130-1p and a brunch on the last Saturday of each month. Shelly wants to use LH as a community bldg. Services available are Food Bank, Clothing Bank w/ a Career Clothing Closet by appointment-contact Denise Fasse, Education-GED & job Placement. LH needs more Career Clothes for Men. Rents/Utilities funds available at LH. Located at 200 S. Kansas, 785-270-5238 	Thank You to Shelly and staff for being such great Hosts! ☺
Committee Areas Refined	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tabled, ran out of time 	Break outs to determine appropriate committees, Feb. mtg.
Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LIEAP, www.ks-energy-assistance.com Westar to help customers fill out applications at the Holiday Bldg. on Jan 27 830-430 in the big room. 800-432-0043. Income guides stay the same. 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PIT, update by Doug Wallace, handed out posters and asked for more volunteers. 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Glenda DuBoise, Lynn Davis, Shelly Lowery all volunteered to join a group to review pros/cons of combining both EA and HomelessTask Force meetings together in the future. 	Nancy Johnson to set up meeting

Next meeting will be Hosted by Major Brian Cole, Deputy Director, at the Shawnee County Dept. of Corrections from 9a-1030a, Optional Tour of Facility to follow meeting. 501 SE 8th St., 291-5000, come in Southeast Entrance, please.



Agenda for 2-4-2011

- 1. Presentation by Major Brian Cole, Deputy Director of Shawnee County Department of Corrections**
- 2. Committee Areas Refined Breakouts**
- 3. Announcements**

Next meeting, March 4th, at Breakthrough House, 12th & VanBuren, 232-6807