



Siskiyou County Advisory Board Meeting

November 5, 2025

1:30pm – 3:00pm

Red Oak Room, Behavioral Health, 2060 Campus Drive, Yreka

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87395135252?pwd=TWcPbTguEJWBbbYCyQRTljhd4DeWaX.1>

Teleconference locations:

Karuk Tribe
635 Jacobs Way
Happy Camp, CA 96039

Dunsmuir City Hall
5915 Dunsmuir Avenue
Dunsmuir, CA 96025

United Way of Northern California
3300 Churn Creek Road
Redding, CA 96002

1. **Call to Order/Quorum Established/Introductions**
Meeting called to order at 1:35pm by Chair Nancy Ogren.
Quorum Present: Nancy Ogren, Michael Aiuto, Trish Barbieri, Christina Brown, Sarah Collard, Corey Middleton, Denise Patterson

Guest Introductions:
Shauna Aragon– NVCSS Interim Director, Siskiyou Pallet Shelter
Corey Watson – Deputy Director, Social Services
Ashley Lemos – Executive Director, Y.E.S.

2. **Approval of Meeting Minutes from October (Attachment A)**
Motion: Christina Brown
Second: Trish Barbieri
Approved unanimously.

Advisory Board Members:

Nancy Ogren, Chair
Siskiyou Co. Board of Supervisors

Michael Aiuto
Homeless Advocate

Trish Barbieri
Social Services Division

Christina Brown
Fairchild Medical Center

Michael A McNair
United Way

Sara Johnson
Siskiyou Co. Office of Ed

Sarah Collard, Ph.D.
Health and Human Services Agency

Mark Gilman
Yreka Police Department

Steven Bryan
Community Resource Collaborative

Corey Middleton
City of Yreka

Denise Patterson
Yreka Food Bank

Sara Spence
Karuk Tribal Housing Authority

VACANT
Youth Empowerment Siskiyou

VACANT
City of Dunsmuir

Carla Charraga
Siskiyou Domestic Violence & Crisis Center



3. **Public Comments (limited to 3 mins. per comment)**
 - Maddelyn Bryan:** Reported that Dunsmuir City Manager Dustin Rief is no longer with the city; the city may submit a new membership application.
 - Luther Findley (YSDA Church):** The church prepares about 80 meals weekly for unhoused individuals.
4. **Committee Updates**
 - a. **Executive Board Update—Maddelyn Bryan**
Agenda and meeting minutes have been posted online.
 - b. **PIT Committee—Duane Kegg**
A previous nonprofit contract for PIT coordination has ended; responsibility has returned to the lead agency. TEACH will use SIM Tech and the “Counting Us” app for PIT data collection. A NorCal CoC PIT Committee meeting was held on 11/18/25. Local PIT planning discussion included date/time options and general coordination. Attendees encouraged to participate in the local PIT Workgroup.
 - c. **HMIS/CES Committee—Maddelyn Bryan**
No HMIS updates. HUD may reduce funding, potentially affecting CE support. Discussion occurred regarding possible CES process changes; members expressed desire to keep standardized assessments with minimal changes.
5. **New Business**
 - a. **Action: Approve Michael Martinez from Y.E.S. as new member, replacing Brian Linsley**
Ashley Lemos will instead submit a Membership Application to replace Brian Linsley. No vote taken due to the change in applicants.
 - b. **Presentation: Ryan Romero from Y.E.S. Power Point Presentation**
Presentation postponed.
6. **Old Business**
 - a. **Warming Center Workgroup Update – Tara Kilcollins**
No update
 - b. **Unhoused Minors Workgroup Update- Sara Johnson**
No update
7. **Member Updates**
 - a. **Yreka Basecamp—NVCSS**
Tara Kilcollins: Reported operating near full capacity. 6-7 clients have transitioned to permanent housing.
 - b. **Other Updates—All Members**
Shauna Aragon: Reported two vacancies; priority given to Care Court referrals, then CE. Successful recent community meeting with strong attendance.



Social Services - Trish Barbieri: Provided update on federal government shutdown impacts, including CalFresh/SNAP delays.

Youth Empowerment Siskiyou – Ashley Lemos: Reported Y.E.S. has relocated; open house planned at 122 S. Broadway. Becky's Place remains full with a waitlist.

Yreka Food Bank - John Michael: Provided brief update.

Basecamp Kitchen Project – Maddelyn Bryan: Reported a work plan is underway to complete the project.

City of Yreka - Corey Middleton: Reported the Community Theater reopening early next year. City is negotiating to hire a new City manager. Escrow closing soon on Shop Smart building. Third firefighter has been hired.

7. Discussion Items for Next Meeting

- a. Trish Barbieri requested letter to Community Partners be placed on next months agenda.**

9. Adjournment

Motion: Corey Middleton

Second: Nancy Ogren

Approved unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30 pm.

Next Meeting

December 3, 2025

1:30pm-3:00pm

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