

2023 Northwest Minnesota CoC Membership



| BOARD MEMBERS | | | Term End |
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| 1. | Anishinaabe Legal | Rita Ostman | 12/31/2024 |
| 2. | Housing Matters | Jennifer Dunham | 12/31/2023 |
| 4. | Evergreen Youth & Family Services | Elena Guerra | 12/31/2025 |
| 4. | Institute for Community Alliances (non-voting) | Thom Romano | N/A |
| 5. | Inter-County Community Council (ICCC) | Lori Wollman | 12/31/2024 |
| 6. | MAHUBE-OTWA Community Action Partnership | Shannon Lee | |
| 7. | Sanford Behavioral Health | Catie Lemay | 12/31/2025 |
| 8. | Alluma | Sheril Schluchter | 12/31/2025 |
| 9. | Priority List Manager / TVOC (non-voting) | Lori Anderson | N/A |
| 10. | NWICDC | Kayla Madigan | 12/31/2024 |
| 11. | Tri-Valley Opportunity Council | Maureen Hams | 12/31/2023 |
| 12. | Legal Services of NW Minnesota | Karyn Novak | |
| 13. | Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe | Jean Roper | 12/31/2024 |
| 14. | White Earth Band of Ojibwe/Homeless Program | Matt Folstrom | 12/31/2023 |
| 15. | Youth Lived Exp. Representative/Youth Action Board | Kieran Zshokke | 12/31/2023 |
| 16. | Adult Lived Exp. Representative | Laura Robertson | 12/31/2023 |
| 17. | NW MN Multi-County HRA | Myranda Seopia | 12/31/2025 |
| 18. | Violence Intervention Project | Stacy Reay | 2/31/2024 |

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| EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE | MEMBER | TERM |
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| Chair | Lori Wollman | 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2023 |
| Chair-Elect | Rita Ostman | 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2023 |
| Secretary | Elena Guerra | 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2023 |

| COMMITTEES | | |
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| COMMITTEE | GOALS | MEMBERS |
| Executive Committee | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nominate Officers as needed 2. Support CoC Annual Plan & Calendar 3. System Performance Measures 4. Evaluate CoC Coordinator 5. Inform & monitor planning grant goals & budget | Maureen Hams Lori Wollman Rita Ostman |
| Coordinated Entry Committee | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assure compliance w/ HUD. 2. Annually update CES Policies and Procedures 3. Annually evaluate CES 4. Identify system improvements 5. Establish & monitor CES training guidelines 6. Develop CES marketing materials 7. Marketing campaign for “Housing Access” 8. Explore database development for DV and Youth 9. Quarterly Data Review & evaluation for trends and gaps– demographics, outcomes, & equity 10. Monitor & support data quality and compliance via quarterly review 11. Help inform CoC data training 12. Support & Review PIT/HIC/AHAR | Maureen Hams (TVOC) – Chair Open to any CoC Members |
| Performance Evaluation Committee | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review CoC projects (ES, TH, RRH, PSH, OPH) and system performance 2. Help inform and improve CoC training 3. Conduct site evaluations 4. Support TA to underperforming projects 5. Support system and project goals for increased earned and overall income. 6. Systems Performance Goals and Targets 7. Review NOFA | Melody Gordon (VA) Chair Sandy Hennum (NWRDC) Catie LeMay (Sanford) Karyn Novak (NWLS) Sheril Schluchter (NWMHC) Lori Anderson (TVOC) |

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| Youth Action Board | 1. Bring youth voice and perspective to YHDP 2. Co-equal governance partner with Youth Cte. 3. Participate in Continuous Quality Improvement for YHDP projects | |
| Youth Cte. | 1. Support systems goal of ending youth homelessness 2. Develop and support Youth Action Board & Youth Collaboration Process 3. Implement Coordinated Community Plan 4. Participate in Ranking/Scoring for YHDP Projects 5. Integrate YHDP learning into CoC processes and structure 6. Oversee continuous quality improvement process for YHDP projects | Chair: Lori Wollman Open to all CoC Members. |
| Minnesota Tribal Collaborative & Sub regional Homeless Committees | Sub-regional planning group focused on monitoring homeless programs, specifically state FHPAP-funded program. Provide local updates on planning and homelessness to the full CoC. | Hyacinth Stiffler – BI-CAP FHPAP Mary Riegert - Minnesota Tribal Collaborative / FHPAP Marcia Otte – MAHUBE-OTWA FHPAP Maureen Hams – Tri-Valley FHPAP |

General Member Agencies

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| Anishinabe Legal Services |
| Akeley Regional Area Community Center and Emergency Shelter |
| Alluma |
| Beltrami County |
| Bemidji County Social Services |
| Bemidji School District ISD 31 |
| Bi-County Community Action Program |
| Care and Share of Crookston |
| Center for Human Environment |
| Clearwater County Social Services |
| Evergreen Youth & Family Services |
| Family Safety Network |
| Housing Matters |
| HRA of Bemidji |
| HRDC – Beltrami/Hubbard/LOW |
| Hubbard County Social Services |
| Institute for Community Alliances |
| Inter-County Community Council |
| Kittson County Social Services |
| Lake of Woods County Social Services |

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| Leech Lake Housing Authority – Homeless Resource Program |
| Legal Services of NW MN |
| Mahnomen County Social Services |
| MAHUBE-OTWA Community Action |
| Marshall County Social Services |
| MN Assistance Council for Veterans |
| MN Coalitions for the Homeless |
| MN Council of Non-Profits |
| MN Dept. of Corrections |
| MN Interagency Council (MICH) |
| MN of Human Services (Economic Opportunity) |
| Nameless Coalition for Homeless |
| Norman County Social Services |
| Northwest Community Action |
| Northwest Indian Community Development Center |
| Northwest Minnesota Foundation |
| Northwest Minnesota HRA |
| Northwoods Coalition for Battered Women |
| Park Place (Bemidji) |
| Pennington County Social Services |
| Peoples Church |
| Polk County Social Services |
| Red Lake County Social Services |
| Red Lake Homeless Shelter |
| Red Lake Housing Authority/Red Lake Band of Chippewa |
| RMCEP |
| Roseau County Social Services |
| Sanford Behavioral Health |
| Social Services Advocacy Tribal Coordinator DHS |
| St. Cloud VA-Leech Lake Tribal HUD VASH |
| Tri-Valley Opportunity Council |
| Veterans Administration |
| Village of Hope |
| Violence Intervention Project |
| White Earth Band of Ojibwe |
| White Earth Tribal VASH/Fargo VA |
| Youth Action Board |