# May 2016 ED Report

#### **Decisions for the Board**

- 1. House Parent: Can we raise the stipend to \$1200? \$1350?
- 2. Sarah will be moving over to 132 and setting up her office there. Computer purchase:
  - a. \$1099 or slight upgrade \$1299 21.5"
- 3. Saturday, consider participating or volunteering at the Faithwalk.
- 4. Flint Hills, Charity Golf Tournament, July 8, Board representation?
- 5. Would the board like me to advertise board membership invites again?

#### **Shelter**

Months:	2015 #of different kids	2015 Bed nights	2016_#of different kids	2016 Bed Nights
<u>January</u>	20	219	16	145
<u>February</u>	9	114	11	92
March	9	114	16	178
<u>April</u>	15	184	25	331

# Homeless Management Information System as of 5/24:

*Number of clients served so far this year (1/1/2016 to 5/24/2016): 52* 

Bed utilization rate (number of bed nights provided 1/1 to 5/24): 1106/1740 = 63% - highest so far ever

Male: 29 Female: 23 Victims of DV: 11

People with Disabilities: 29 18 year old clients: 12

Summer hours M-F - kids can sleep until 10:00a.m. with option to return from 12-1 for lunch or take a lunch. Kids can return at 4:00.

Nearly all the kids are going to summer school. FNSBSD created a summer school for McKinney Vento kids, (homeless) and it worked, they are all going - credit recovery, getting ahead, etc.

### **Story: 2 sisters**

### Thank you's:

- 1) Alaska Resources and Environmental Services, owned by Lyle & Ilene Gresehover donated \$6431.75 of work done last summer.
- 2) Fran-Clar Foundation: \$100K

#### **Personnel Update:**

• Sarah: Working 24 hours/week due to qualify for insurance needs.

- Hailey: new hire, additional person for evenings to help us through our "more than 6 kids" time
- **VISTA**: Kelli and Laquawna have interviewed and offered a position to Tegan White-Nesbitt -with potential start date June 1, this VISTA serves for 65 days only.
  - O Direct service but not able to supervise kids
    - Gardening
    - Outreach
    - Youth Activities
- **Kelli Boyle:** as of May 1, has the **Shelter Supervisor** role. She only wants to work 32 hours/week. I will submit an associate administrator application for her soon. She has taken over scheduling, most things shelter and will soon be sharing in the Admin On Call Responsibilities.
- **House Parent:** This position has come back around the need in the evening.....critical. Plan to post position after talking to the board about Stipend increase.
  - We have offered \$1000 in the past, what about 1200? Or \$1350?
- Kanny, volunteer, will be moving in June.
- Staff Meetings & Trainings:
  - Moving to every other week for the summer
  - I sent out a Doodle survey asking staff which night is best because Wednesday night working for the majority.

## **Current Events:**

- Property Updates
  - o 126, Green Space: soil amendment
    - Land farming contaminated soil:
      - We have been educated! Dirt heals itself so we are on it.
      - We are planting THE PILE Friday. Deidre has experience in this and has volunteered Gilmore Construction to purchase grass & flower seeds, and they make wattle, an erosion control product.
    - Next Step groups coming in June/July:
      - Building picnic tables,
      - Pavilion & Park Bench
      - Door Frames for doors
      - Shelter dining table
      - Basic Landscaping of 126
  - o 138, Broken water pipes
    - Currently we are still in problem solving phase. We see 1 leak at a fitting. They put a safety box down inside, attempt to repair it, and start the water up looking at pressure. If

there is a secondary leak, we need to consider putting in a new line because the alternative is a giant hole, removing the fuel and tank, etc.

## • **Fundraising:**

- o Faithwalk: This Saturday, 28th at Carlson Center. Sarah has been working on this with Lily.
- Flint Hills, Charity Golf Tournament, July 8, Board representation?
- One Homeless Night: can we start a small OHN committee?
- October Dinner and Dance? Still being discussed, not off the table yet

### • Outreach Plan:

- Has not moved forward in the last month with grant writing, etc.
  - Street Outreach will pick up with VISTA
  - Movie Theatre: Mammoth is still working on this
  - Pizza & Movie: First Saturday Rethinking this
  - Instagram Christina 101 followers
  - Outreach phone: sharing it among staff -
  - Radio...... Yet to come
  - Boys and Girls Club TEEN NIGHT