



Cambridge Human Services Commission
Meeting Minutes
December 13, 2018
5:30 – 7:30 PM
Citywide Senior Center
806 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139

Commissioners present: Julie Asher, Duane Brown, Christine Elow, Christopher Hall, Bran Shim, Nan Stone, Rachel Weinstein

Regrets: Khari Milner, Rev. Lorraine Thornhill

Presenter(s): Liz Mengers, DHSP Planning & Development Manager

Department of Human Service Programs (DHSP) staff present: Janice Alger, Mike Payack (recorder), Ellen Semonoff

- I. Welcome, Networking, and Dinner
 - Ellen Semonoff welcomed members of the Commission and introduced Liz Mengers, Manager of DHSP's Planning & Development division
- II. The Cambridge Continuum of Care's Racial Disparity Report
 - Liz Mengers presented the Cambridge Continuum of Care's [Racial Disparity Report](#), an initial assessment of racial and ethnic disparity in the occurrence of homelessness, provision of homeless services, and outcomes of those services
- III. Community Benefits Funding Request for Proposals
 - Ellen Semonoff reviewed the City of Cambridge's Community Benefits Funding [Request for Proposals](#)
- IV. Upcoming Schedule:
 - Mike Payack announced that the next meeting of the Human Services Commission is scheduled for Thursday, January 10, 2019
- V. Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Payack, DHSP/Planning & Development