

HOMELESS SERVICES COORDINATING COMMITTEE

NOTICE OF

CONTINUUM OF CARE PLANNING ACTIVITIES

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The Alexandria Homeless Services Coordinating Committee (HSCC) is a group of public and private non-profit service providers, private citizens and consumers working to meet the challenge of moving homeless families and individuals through a service continuum to permanent housing. The Committee was established in 1987 in response to the growing need for emergency shelter in the community. The Homeless Services Coordinating Committee has served as Alexandria's Continuum of Care Committee for federal programs for the homeless since 1998. The Committee welcomes participation from business, civic organizations, employers and service consumers.

Over the next several months, the HSCC will be engaged in activities in anticipation of the Department of Housing and Urban Development 2009 Super Notice of Funding Availability (the Super NOFA), which funds a wide variety of housing and service programs, including Continuum of Care and Supportive Housing Programs to serve the homeless. Organizations considering submitting proposals need to become active members of the HSCC. Applicants must demonstrate that projects are consistent with the local Consolidated Plan and meet the current priority needs of the community as established by the HSCC.

We encourage all housing and homeless service providers to actively participate. For additional meeting information please contact Ann Moore or Lesa Gilbert at the Department of Human Services (703) 838-0901 or by email at ann.moore@alexandriava.gov.