



Broome County Safe Housing Task Force – Core Group
Thursday, December 27, 2-3pm
Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Dr. Tonia Thompson (Superintendent – Binghamton City School District), Dai Korba (Planning – Village of Johnson City), Nancy Williams (Commissioner – Department of Social Services), Larry Sal (Landlord – Sall Associates), Christina Cramer (BC Executive’s Office), Mark Schuster (Co-Chair – BC Health Department), Rebecca Rathmell (Co-Chair – Southern Tier Homeless Coalition)

1. Consensus – End of Year Protocol Recommendations

- a. Discussion Grid
 - i. Challenges, Discussion, and Recommendations
 - 1. Suggestions to the notes: ensure technical jargon is removed (i.e. Spiegel Act), be aware of literacy level, use inclusive language
 - ii. Discussion on coordination with other groups who are submitting policy suggestions to state legislators
 - iii. Group reviewed suggestion document, which brings all challenges and recommendations together

2. Public Forum

- a. Focus on one larger public forum
 - i. Mark and Rebecca can attend specifically targeted meetings for feedback
- b. A Tuesday evening in late January (consensus not reached), with option to send feedback electronically, at Decker Room at BCPL