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In Attendance:

Hawai'i County:	Brandee Menino (BTG Chair, Chapter Vice-Chair)/Kristen Alice for Brandee Sharon Hirota
Kaua'i County:	4 Makana Kamibayashi (BTG Vice-Chair, Chapter Chair) 5 Mia Carroll, YWCA (KCA Vice-Chair) 6 Farah Aquino (Kauai County Rep)
Maui County:	7 Maude Cumming (BTG Past Chair) 8 Dr Ashley Kelly (Chapter Chair) 9 Thelma Akita-Kealoha (Vice Chair MHA) 10 Chris Kish, County of Maui
HMIS Lead / Collaborative Applicant:	Carlos Peraro, Ka Mana O Na Helu Alison Hinazumi, Ka Mana O Na Helu
Guests:	 Sue Sadeki (KHAKO Maui) Carlos Peraro, KMNH Alison Hinazumi, KMNH Clint Tanaka, HPO Harold Brackeen III, HPO Melody Lopez, CCH Kauai Carlos Palama, HIHR Pua Rubin, Kauai County Amber Nakihei, FLC Members Present: 9 of 10 @ 9:06 am Recorder: Thelma Akita-Kealoha

9:00am	Welcome & Housekeeping - Establish Quorum	Brandee Menino, BTG Chair
	 Affirm any leadership changes at local chapters 	



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9:05am		
	 Approve June 5, 2024 Board Meeting Minutes 	Thelma Kealoha, BTG Secretary Maude motion Dr Kelly second Approve with changes
Brandee	HUD NOFO Opportunity	Brandee Menino, BTG Chair
Menino,	1. HUD Releases the FY 2023 Youth Homelessness	
BTG Chair	Demonstration (YHDP NOFO)	
	 HUD will award approximately \$72 million 	
	 YHDP NOFO to support selected communities in the 	
	development and implementation of a coordinated	
	community approach to preventing and ending youth	
	homelessness, due August 29, 2024	
	2. ACTION ITEM TO CONSIDER	
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	provider organizations have an available	
	funding pathway to increase the capacity of organizations working to prevent and end youth	
	homelessness in our communities.	
	3. What are the requirements to be considered (Makana)?	
	This is on the HUD announcement, PIC did a demonstration	
	Project (Hawaii Rise lead org), PIC will also help us support	
	this. The project currently has neighbor island	
	involvement and youth boards driven by youth (Brandee).	
	 In reading the NOFO it says describe what is already in 	
	place, how is it integrated into our CoC Chapters? How do	
	we integrate these things into our own Chapters. Have	
	organizations looked at the NOFO and can they provide	
	answers to some of these questions? Youth collaboration	
	highlighted, what do we already have in place in our CoCs?	
	A big concern is that time is an issue. Maybe we could put	
	an application next year. We could identify all things that	
	need to be put in place for this year's NOFO. (Maude).	



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- PIC has created a board and BTG can use this as leverage since there are statewide orgs on this board. This includes youth from the neighbor islands. This grant will help build the capacity on the neighbor islands and NI youth are already involved at the PIC level as well as statewide organizations. Salvation Army and Humanity Hale said yes, Oahu agencies are also willing to assist. Would an RFI be helpful? (Brandee)
- Alison If we do this, someone would have to write this —
 one week to write, one week to score and submit. Driven
 by youth service providers, and reflect a need in the
 community. Oahu did a huge needs assessment/survey.
 BTG has not, low numbers for youth reflected in HMIS
 neighbor islands. Concerned that pieces are not in place to
 submit a meaningful, well thought out and executed
 application. Should we send this out to youth
 providers?

Alison suggest that answers be provided by organizations in relation to BTG, KMNH can review to see if worthwhile to submit. Is this worth moving forward, who will be responsible for what, what needs to be provided to be completed – would need this information and answers to the questions by the close of next Wed. See activities, bullet points

- Carlos youth providers, activities, needs assessment commissioned by UH – PITC just for youth. Additional data sources demonstrated need. How will activities will be implemented across neighbor islands? Short turn around. Need providers and local chapters involved as well
- Makana requesting an email from Brandee, the ask with the turnaround date, if you are interested please contribute to the conversation.

Motion: to send NOFO announcement with a request for answers from our CoC partners and members with the deadline for this information by Wednesday July 10, 2024.

Sharon motions Mia second Motion passes

Brandee to resend NOFO information.



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Alison	Collaborative Applicant and HMIS Administrator	
Hinazumi &	1. PIT Count 2025 Follow Up	
Carlos	 Board approved to do unsheltered PITC every other year, 	
Peraro, Ka	will continue to do yearly sheltered count. Looked at HUD	
Mana O Na	notice and CFR, requirement is bi-annually, with the shelter	
Helu	count every year. No unsheltered PITC in 2025, however if	
	HUD changes their policy then will need to change this. Set	
	up project with Redcap, will start designing and testing app	
	reaching out to outreach teams to test this.	
	2. HMIS Access Policy	
	Working on this, looking at different items, different	
	concerns as far as security when expanding the access. Will	
	get this to everyone after data committee review.	
	4. Other	
	Grant inventory worksheet for 2025 NOFO by end of July,	
	\$3.25 million. Will be merging some of the projects. This is	
	the sign that the NOFO will be coming out shortly. GIW last	
	step before NOFO comes out. (Maude)	
	step before NOFO comes out. (Madde)	
Harold	Updates from State Agencies	Brandee Menino, BTG Chair
Brackeen	1. HPO –	
III,	Recap of HUD RUSH, team submitted all documentation,	
Homeless	amendment to policies and procedures, as soon as HPO	
Programs	receives the grant agreement we can move forward.	
Administra	Increase waiver instead of 30% asking for 50%. CCH	
tor	continues to provide assistance for rapid re-housing and	
101	homeless prevention (RUSH/ESG 1).	
	Is there an increase of funding at State level (Sharon) – the logicleture passed a 50% increase but funding is not point to	
	legislature passed a 5% increase but funding is not going to	
	be made available until this is signed into law, maybe	
	August. Still have contracts that need to be executed.	
	Please respond to any requests to execute supplemental	
	contracts ASAP, notices will go out in August. Contracts will	
	increase by 5%.	
	increase by 5%. Local chapter Updates • Kauai Community Alliance – new Secretary for KCA	Makana Kamibayashi, Chair



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•	Maui Homeless Alliance – Lori Tsuhako has been named the Director of Human Concerns, the department was	Dr. Ashley Kelly, Chair
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	bifurcated and there is a new Dept of Housing.	
•	Hawaii County – Leadership Academy info, PITC	Brandee Menino, Vice-Chair
Anno	uncements & Adjourn	Brandee Menino, BTG Chair
1	. Save the date:	
•	Hawaii Leadership Academy: September 9-11, 2024 (Hilo).	
P	lease register as soon as possible. At 60 registrants for this	
a	cademy currently.	
•	State Homeless Awareness & Housing Solutions Conference:	
N	ovember 14-15, 2024 (Oahu)	
A	djourned @ 9:52am	
Т	he next Meeting is scheduled for August 7th, 9-10 am via	
Z	oom	