



**PINAL COUNTY  
COALITION TO  
END HOMELESSNESS**



**Meeting Agenda**

Tuesday, October 8, 2024, 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

IN-PERSON

135 North Pinal Street, Ironwood Room, Florence, Arizona 85132  
First Chairperson: Cinda Thorne; Second Chairperson: Sheryl Bigelow

<b>Committed Agencies</b>	<b>Representative</b>	<b>Date of Commitment (Valid 2024)</b>	<b>Present</b>
A New Leaf	Michelle Boyle, Amanda Flores	10/2023	
Against Abuse	Kiya Darlage, Dynia Abraham, Maria Elena Ochoa, Mary Duarte	10/2023	Kiya
Apache Junction Health and Human Services Board	Jeff Mitchell	1/2024	
A Servant's Hands	Angela Lies, David Lies	4/2024	
Autumn Community Foundation	Shavell KC Gounod	3/22/24	
AZ Complete Health	Melissa Dye, Marla Chavoya	10/2023	Mellissa
Banner University Health Plans	Kayla McGhee, Shelia Hill, Jennifer Vargas	8/2023	
BCBSAZ Health Choice	Rose Kent	8/2023	
Begin Again Homes	Maggie Berizzi, Sheryl Bigelow	10/2023	Sheryl
CAAFA	Marin Lasater, Jacob Black	10/2023	
Casa Grande Alliance	Michael Robinson, Lydia Montano, Sarah Graham	12/2023	Sarah, Michael, Jose, Lydia, Greta
CHIP	Richard Cunningham	6/20024	
City of Casa Grande	Mary Kay Allen, Felicia Rodriguez	10/2023	
CAHRA	Suzanne Payan, Robert Jason	1/2024	Suzanne
Compassion Connect AZ	Alicia Barela, Jennelle Esquivel	10/2023	
DES – DDD	Megan Akens	12/2023	
EMPACT-Suicide Prevention Center	Erica Chestnut-Ramirez Sarah Swonder/Samantha Gaskill	10/2023	
Genesis Project	Trinity Frey, Sheryl Bigelow	10/2023	Sheryl
HOHP	Kim Vandenberg	1/2024	
Horizon Health and Wellness	Robert Robles Jennifer Luna, Meredith Doyle	10/2023	Patrick
Mercy Care	Jennifer Page, Andy Wambach, Matthew Kelly	10/2023	
Molina Healthcare	Cinda Thorne, Veronica DeLao	10/2023	Cinda
National Community Health Partners	LeRaya Wilson, Nadine Vasquez	1/2024	LeRaya
Pinal County Adult Probation	Scott Smith	1/2024	Scott
Pinal County Attorney's Office and Diversion	Kent Volkmer, Teresa Fuller	10/2023	
Pinal County Housing Authority	Taliashiere Williams	11/2023	Tali
Pinal County Grants	Heather Patel, Jennifer Kosi, Peter Salerno, Diane Hunt	11/2023	Heather, Peter, Jennifer
Pinal County Medical Examiner	Andre Davis	1/2024	
Pinal County Public Health	Joanne Galindo, Jan Vidimos	10/2023	Joanne
Pinal-Gila Council for Sr Citizens	Marla Pierce, Martha Meyers	1/2024	Marla
Pinal Hispanic Council	Ralph Varela, Daniela Rodriguez, Jamileh Powers	1/2024	
Pinal Partnership	Rina Rien, Tony Smith	10/2023	Rina
PPEP Technical High School	Kelsi Foote	12/2023	
Southern Arizona VA Healthcare Services	Jocelyn Muzzin/Cara Donnelly	10/2023	Jocelyn



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Transitional Living Center Recovery	Nicholas Winchester, Jennifer	12/2023	
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Guest in attendance: Jesus Trevino, Michael Tucker

1. Call to Order at 1:05
2. Attendance/Establish Quorum (16/35) no quorum was established
3. Approval of minutes from August 13, 2024 meeting - *ACTION* postponed to a virtual vote
4. New Items for Discussion
  - a. FY24/25 Budget - update regarding the additional Capacity funds from ADOH was provided by Heather Patel
  - b. Outreach Service Coordinator call for interested agency(ies) - Heather Patel requested agencies interested in providing this service to contact her and/or visit [www.pcceh.com](http://www.pcceh.com) to view information under News.
  - c. Governance documents – *ACTION* postponed to a virtual vote
    1. Coordinated Entry Procedure
    2. Charter - discussion
5. Toward a Deeper Understanding of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion - Melissa Dye introduced Jesus Trevino, Ph.D.  
The DEI Committee will be completing the assessment provided by Mr. Trevino on the Coalition and will report on the findings.
6. Upcoming Training s shared by Heather and Cinda  
10/22: Tribal Symposium  
12/5: Reentry Roundtable
7. Agency Announcements/Agency Updates
  - a. AZ Complete Health is opening their giving portal in January. Please contact Melissa to discuss potential projects.
  - b. CAHRA has a new contract with DES for eviction prevention and utility assistance.
  - c. CG Alliance has a justice involved veterans program. Please refer people to their program for a variety of assistance.
  - d. AJ Project Connect is on 10/23 at the Salvation Army from 3-6pm. Agencies invited to have a table.
  - e. Pinal County Stand Down is on 10/12.
8. Next Meeting – Tuesday, December 10, 2024 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. VIRTUAL
9. Adjourn at 3:18