



# 2026 Council on Homelessness Meetings and Committees

## COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS GENERAL MEETING SCHEDULE

The Council on Homelessness holds a general meeting monthly on the first Thursday of the month, unless otherwise indicated. All meetings are hybrid (Zoom and in person) and open to the public.

Date	Time	Registration Link	In Person Location
January 8 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 4 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	2120 Diamond Blvd, Concord (Mc Morrow Training Room)
February 5 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
March 5 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
April 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	2120 Diamond Blvd, Concord (Mc Morrow Training Room)
May 7 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
June 4 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
July 9 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
August 6 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
September 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
October 1 <sup>st</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
November 5 <sup>th</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez
December 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 pm – 3 pm	<a href="#">Register</a>	1025 Escobar Street, Martinez

## COMMITTEES AND WORK GROUPS: RECRUITING NOW

### FUNDING COMMITTEE

**PURPOSE:** Direct the community input process for several time-sensitive federal and state funding streams, including revising scoring tools for the Continuum of Care Notice of Funding Opportunity (CoC NOFO) competition.

**WORKING GROUPS:** Funding Work Group, CoC NOFO Work Group

**COMMITTEE AND WORK GROUP MEETINGS:** monthly from February to June 2026, date and time TBD, last meeting in-person

### GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE [AD HOC]

**PURPOSE:** Review and revise the Governance Charter and Bylaws to increase CoH efficiency and impact.

**WORKGROUPS:** Governance Work Group

**COMMITTEE AND WORK GROUP MEETINGS:** monthly from February to April 2026, date and time TBD, last meeting in-person

### OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

**PURPOSE:** Review and assess the development, implementation, and improvement of: CoC, Coordinated Entry System, HMIS database, and System Outcomes

**WORKGROUPS:** Oversight Work Group

**COMMITTEE AND WORK GROUP MEETINGS:** Every other month, 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday 11:30am-1:30pm, in-person meetings TBD

## **HMIS (HOMELESS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM) POLICY COMMITTEE**

**PURPOSE:** Develops and shares updates on [Homeless Management Information System](#) (HMIS) policies & practices, compliance, & troubleshooting. Plans technical assistance & training.

**WORKGROUPS:** HMIS Policy Work Group

**COMMITTEE AND WORK GROUP MEETINGS:** 3<sup>rd</sup> month of each quarter, 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday 12-1:30pm, in-person March & September

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## **COMMITTEES AND WORKGROUPS: RECRUITING LATER**

### **NOMINATING COMMITTEE [AD HOC]**

**PURPOSE:** Reviews applications for potential new CoH members and provides recommendations to the full Council

**ESTIMATED TIMING:** July to October 2026

### **HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS MONTH WORKGROUP [AD HOC]**

**PURPOSE:** Plan for annual Homelessness Awareness Month (November) activities

**ESTIMATED TIMING:** August to November 2026

### **POINT-IN-TIME COUNT WORKGROUP [AD HOC]**

**PURPOSE:** Plan and implement the annual Point-in-Time Count, an annual HUD-required count of sheltered and unsheltered people experiencing homelessness

**ESTIMATED TIMING:** November 2026 to January 2027