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## **Strategic Planning, Funding and Advocacy Committee (SPFAC) Meeting Minutes 10.7.2024**

**Present:** Ashley Cuniberti, Julia Steinberg, Erinn Johnson, Max Glick, Eric Burton, Kirsten Elliott, Jenny Poma, Khadija Walker-Fobbs

### **Strategic Plan & Funding**

#### **Advocacy and Public Awareness**

- Community Resource Day
  - October 9<sup>th</sup> from 4-7pm at Genesis Church (309 N Main St, Royal Oak)
  - At least 20 agencies are confirmed to attend including the Secretary of State Mobile Unit, OC nurses giving free vaccines, MI Works, CHN, Lighthouse, and other agencies providing free dinner, voter registration, etc.
  - We are hoping for 50 people to attend and would like help spreading the word.
- MCAH's Legislative Action Committee Meeting today at noon will provide updates on Source of Income Discrimination and presentations on the Michigan Statewide Housing Needs Assessment.
  - Guest Speakers from the Housing Solutions for Health Equity Team at the University of Michigan:
    - Melika Belhaj, MURP
    - Kate Brantley, MSW
    - Roshanak Mehdipanah, PhD
  - Guest Speakers from MSHDA:
    - David Allen, PhD, Manager of the Office of Market Research
  - Meeting registration: <https://mihomeless-org.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMtce2urTiiHNzFLI1FBIFnuB4GINL7Hd96#/registration>
- Homelessness Awareness Month (November)
  - Discussion around sharing November events and educational material on social media, shared calendar for Alliance member agencies to upload info, newsletter on listserv, and promote through RHP & Blueprint groups.

### **PR Portion**