



2019-2020

# Work Release Expansion Project

North Central Counties



## Agenda

- Meeting Objectives:**
- ✓ Introductions
  - ✓ Understand where the DOC Work Release Expansion Project is in the process
  - ✓ Advisory Committee
  - ✓ Review location considerations
  - ✓ Review/develop communications plan draft
  - ✓ Closeout and follow-up

Time	Topic	Lead
4:00 – 4:10	Introductions	Michael Schindler
4:10 – 4:20	LAC Member Contacts	Michael Schindler
4:20 – 4:40	Consolidated Site Considerations	Michael Schindler
4:40 – 5:00	Update: Site Assessment	Gar Rodside
5:00 – 5:10	Update: LAC Data/Inquiries	Mark Kucza
5:10 – 5:30	Update: Communications Plan	Mark Kucza/Sebastian Moraga
5:30 – 6:00	Tasks for follow-up, next meeting details, closing	Michael Schindler



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## Consolidated Siting Considerations

- **Close to services**
  - Substance Abuse Treatment
  - Mental Health
  - WorkSource, Laborworks
  
- **Close to Transportation**
  - Bus lines need to connect to other buses
  - Frequency of bus/transit options
  - Local & regional bus options
  
- **Walking distance to green space, proximity to parks, Outdoor space**
  - Existence of sidewalks or other walkable areas
  - Proximity to schools, single family residential area



## Consolidated Siting Considerations Cont.

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- **Shopping**
  - Clothing, Hygiene, Food, pharmacies
- **Building Security**
  - Security Lighting, methods to control movement
- **Building Requirements**
  - Meeting spaces/classroom areas for programming/presentations to residents, etc.
  - Parking (for staff and visitors)
  - Traffic
  - Backup systems for interruption such as power, water, gas, etc.
  - Resource room with computers, High speed internet (for communication, job searches, online application access, and other web-based services)
  - Storage for extra supplies (mattresses, linen, etc.), Secure resident property/evidence, Staff property
  - Exercise/fitness options
- **Other**
  - Minimize NIMBY issues



## Site Review/Assessment update

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- Currently assessing the two responses to the RFP
- Site visits scheduled for Thursday, 4/16 have been postponed due to COVID-19 and the bulk of the DOC and contracted assessment work can be completed with a document review; sight unseen



## Local Advisory Committee Data/Info Inquiries

- Are there any inquiries?
  - (e.g. current employer/employment specifics, etc...)
- Questions?



## LAC Communication Plan

### **Communication plan considerations:**

Sebastian Moraga designated as lead on LAC Communication Plan.

### **Communication plan considerations:**

- Communication needs to be made even before a site is decided
- Make our intentions clear to as many people as possible
- Inform the public that a Work Release facility actually reduces recidivism

### **Examples of recommended communication methods:**

- Interview with NCW Life
- Interview with Mike Magnotti (he does Street Talk and Other Stuff)



## LAC Communication Plan Cont.

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### Who needs to be communicated with:

- United Neighborhood Association
- Housing: Coordinated Entry, YWCA, Women's Resource Center
- Managed Care Organizations: Molina, Amerigroup, and Coordinated Care
- Training: SkillSource, Wenatchee Valley College
- Transit: Link Transit
- Wenatchee Valley Chamber of Commerce
- Employers who have experience with Work Release participants (Crunch Pak, Standard Pallet, Loues Trusses, and apple packing businesses like Stemilt)
- WorkSource – Ashley Olson (already part of the LAC)
- Local law enforcement
- Wenatchee City Council
- East Wenatchee City Council
- Mayor's office
- Commissioners
- Department of Health and Social Services (DSHS)
- Newspapers/media
- Press release in conjunction with contact info of those who can answer questions
- School districts (principals and Superintendents)
- Community Partnership Transition Services (CPTS) – Ashley Olson is a part of this group



## Communication Plan

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- Local Advisory Committee materials
  - DOC website: <https://doc.wa.gov/about/business/capital-planning/capacity-work-release.htm>
  - Materials available within 2 weeks



- Email questions

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## Questions/Wrap-up

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- Questions?
- Tasks for follow-up
- Next meeting
  - Wednesday, May 13, 4:00 – 6:00pm
  - Wenatchee Police Department  
140 S. Mission, Wenatchee, WA 98801
- Closing

