

VISION COMMITTEE

Non-Profits/NGO Partnerships/County Government/Schools

February 24, 2021

MEMBERS PRESENT: Commissioner Tom Koch, Nicki Brame, Brad Ballentine, Jodi Cox, and Kitty Horton

MEMBERS ABSENT: Eric Leathers, Kyle Leonard, Rob Livengood, Ashley Mills, and Monique Smith

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION:

Commissioner Koch prepared the attached listing of organizations (Attachment A) for the group to review and discuss what each organization provides and their locations.

The committee discussed some options of how to get the list to the citizens. Some options mentioned were Mount Airy Police Department/Fire Department, Northern Regional Hospital Emergency Department, Surry Medical Ministries, possibly place in water/sewer bills, Schools.

Commissioner Koch stated that if committee members think more organizations or other options of how to distribute the list to citizens, please let him know. He will update the list and send to all committee members.

Next Meeting: 3-4 weeks. Carolyn will send an email with the date and time for the next meeting.

With no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned.

Attachment A

LIST OF ORGANIZATIONS

Friends Feeding Friends – 1st Baptist – a meal – Thursday at 5:00
Yokefellow – Old Jones School – food
Grace’s Closet – Old Jones School – clothes
Lyn’s Medical Closet - Old Jones School-Medical Equipment
City Utility Fund – Salvation Army – help with water bill
Shepherd’s House - Spring St. – Help for homeless women/children
Surry Medical Ministry – Rockford St. – Tues. @ 5:00/Thurs. 9-12:00
Reeves Community Center – Scholarship Program
Helping Hands - 114 W. Lebanon Street
Children’s Center – Dobson
Meals on Wheels - ??
Surry Domestic Violence - ??
Surry Friends of Youth – W. Lebanon Street-at risk kids
Surry Homeless & Affordable Housing – 1325 W. Pine, Suite 203
YVEDDI – Old Jones School-Transportation
American Red Cross-Westwood
Local Rescue Squads
Habitat for Humanity – 217 South South Street - affordable houses
Armfield Civic Center Camp – Pilot Mountain
Blue House Teaching Studio – 615 N. Main Street - Art therapy for special needs
Mountain Valley Hospice – Dobson
Retired Senior Volunteer Program-through YVEDDI
Salvation Army
Surry Arts Council – Special needs program
The PaRenting PATH – Family Counseling
Surry Senior Center - through YVEDDI
Daymark
Surry County Opioid Response Team