## Regional Housing Council

## **Communications Team**

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The Regional Housing Council's (RHC) Communications Team is comprised of members from each represented jurisdiction, along with support from Thurston County Housing Program staff.

The Communications Team is responsible for creating and implementing the RHC's communications plan and serving as the point of contact for media. Activities in the communications plan include developing a stakeholder list, holding panel discussions or town halls with stakeholder groups, managing the RHC's website, and working with the media on articles to support the mission and highlight milestones of the RHC.

The activities within the communications plan also align with strategies developed in the county's <u>Five-Year</u> Homeless Crisis Response Plan.

The activities listed in the first-year communications plan is to establish the identity of the RHC in the community to ensure the community understands the intent and scope of the RHC's activities.

The Communications Team lead meets monthly with RHC's leadership to ensure the communications activities align with expectations of the RHC, nest within the council's mission and vision, and are meeting the needs of the stakeholders.

The Communications Team will update the communications plan annually or as the RHC develops its workplan and communications strategies evolve.

For more information about the Regional Housing Council, visit: <a href="https://www.thurstoncountywa.gov/bocc/Pages/Regional-Housing-Council.aspx">https://www.thurstoncountywa.gov/bocc/Pages/Regional-Housing-Council.aspx</a>