



## Supportive Housing Services Regional Oversight Committee application

[Supportive Housing Services](#) is a new regional program approved by voters in May 2020 that will fund supportive housing and programs that serve people experiencing homelessness or at risk of homelessness. The program is guided by a commitment to lead with racial equity by especially meeting the needs of Black, Indigenous and People of Color who are disproportionately impacted by housing instability and homelessness. The regional program will directly fund Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington counties to invest in local strategies and service providers to meet the supportive housing and service needs in their communities.

The Regional Oversight Committee will ensure transparent oversight of the regional program by reviewing implementation for consistency with measure requirements, regional program values and guidelines, and that taxpayer funds are used responsibly.

The committee will:

- a) evaluate County plans and recommend changes as necessary to ensure consistency with program goals and guiding principles, and make recommendations to Metro Council for approval
- b) accept and review annual reports for consistency with approved local plans
- c) monitor financial aspects of the regional program administration, including review of expenditures
- d) provide yearly reports and presentations to Metro Council and Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington County Boards of Commissioners evaluating program performance, challenges and outcomes

### Membership

The committee will consist of membership that includes a broad range of personal and professional experience, including people with lived experience of homelessness or housing instability. The committee will also reflect the diversity of the region. The committee will consist of 15 community members, 5 members from each county; members will be appointed by the Metro Council.

### Commitment

- Attend 2-3 hour meetings online, or in-person when safe to gather. Meetings will be more frequent in the first year, and at least quarterly throughout program implementation
- Spend an additional 1-2 hours preparing for meetings
- Serve a two-year term

Stipends, childcare, technical assistance, interpretation, accessibility assistance and other supports for participation are available for committee members.



## Application due date and process

Applications are due by Oct. 2, 2020.

Applications will be accepted using an online form, and other options are available if needed for any reason. Please email [housingservices@oregonmetro.gov](mailto:housingservices@oregonmetro.gov) for help with other formats such as print or assistance by phone.

If you need a communication aid, sign language interpreter or other accommodation in the application process, call 503-797-1890 or TDD/TTY 503-797-1804 five business days in advance.

All applicants will be informed whether or not they have been selected to serve on the committee, using the phone number or email you provide, by Nov. 1, 2020.