



SEPTEMBER 2023 NEWSLETTER

Hello, Friends!

General Meeting

COME ONE...COME ALL!!

Please join us for the HART of Folsom General Meeting on October 18, 2023! Senator Roger Niello, our guest speaker, will share his thoughts and answer questions. Folsom Police Sgt. Mike Gruenberg will provide an update regarding his group's work with unhoused folks in Folsom. HART's professional case manager, Jason Majko, will give updates on HART's Transitional Housing/Client Services Program.

We'll introduce our new board members and bring everyone up to date on our programs and activities! Please mark your calendars and join us!

HART General Meeting

Wednesday, October 18, 2023 at 6:30 pm
Oak Hills Church Family Auditorium
1100 Blue Ravine Road, Folsom

We look forward to expanding our partnerships in the Folsom community with residents, our local and county elected officials, and businesses that desire to be part of the solution to help those who are unhoused in our community find safe shelter, hope, support, and renewed lives. Thank You!



Case Management Services Update

Case management services have been going very well with the HART of Folsom Transitional Housing participants. Case Management Services have been scheduled frequently to address barriers to permanent housing opportunities.

Generally, our HART Clients are eager and receptive to additional supportive services. Clients have been connected to ancillary services unique to each case. Some of these services include: Cal-Aim providers, Primary Care, Mental Health Services, Credit Counseling, Money Management, Social Security Disability Income, AOD treatment. The majority of participants are employed or are working towards supplemental forms of income. One participant is working to move into a market rate unit as of September 1st.

Sacramento County opens tiny homes for the homeless.

It's great to see some new changes in our area. Sacramento County has unveiled its first "Safe Stay" temporary shelter on Florin Road. Please click on the link to read the article and see pictures of the new temporary housing location. It is encouraging to see some new solutions to the homeless needs in our area.

[Read more](#) on what the temporary shelter offers.



2024 Folsom Winter Shelter

Our planning group is off to a great start for the shelter to run January-March 2024. Thank you to all who are participating as leaders - you make it happen! It's wonderful to be working on it together with the city of Folsom and other nonprofits to fully serve our guests each night. Online signups for weekly shifts

will begin in October, so watch for that next month. We do have a few team lead positions open - Storage Pod, Weekend Drivers, Moving Team, Welcome Team - we'd love to have you on the leadership team! Leading a group is a great way to be more involved with our volunteers and guests during the fall and the shelter season. Please contact Bev Siess by email at bevsiess@hartoffolsom.org or by phone at 530-306-6484 if you might fill one of those spots or have any questions. We have a place for everyone to serve!

Kind regards,
Your Team at HART of Folsom

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