

**Ventura Homeless Prevention Subcommittee  
Minutes for May 12, 2010 & June 1 VHPF update**

**In Attendance:** Paul Bramson, Cindy Cattle, Jill Forman, Shelli Locklear, Frans Reijerse and Debora Schreiber

**Old Business:**

**VHPF Update:**

**May Beginning Balance \$ 4,964.90**

Donations in May \$ 100.00 (Ventura Church of Christ)

Subtotal 5,064.90

Allocations – - 3,454.99 (Catholic Charities)

- 600.00 (Project Understanding)

Balance 1,009.91

Upcoming Donation \$ 2,828.00—Second round of funding Ventura Together

June Beginning balance \$ 3,837.91 (Must confirm deposit before allocating)

During May Project Understanding assisted one household for \$600; Catholic Charities assisted 6 households for \$3,454.99, bringing the total number of households to 7 and the total amount allocated \$4,054.99 or an average of \$580 per household.

Since inception, the VHPF has assisted 135 households.

Salvation Army will have the fund during June.

**New Business:**

On May 13 Karol Schulkin will attend the case workers meeting to discuss barriers to accessing HPRP funds and ways that our local agencies can make sure we're accessing federal funds whenever possible and that our local residents are able to take advantage of the increased resources those HPRP funds include.

**Lift Up Your Voice Partnership** – is moving forward. Cindy and Debora had a good meeting with Beth, Cindy is sending her materials/documents and we've changed our committee meeting time so that Beth can attend.

**2010 Committee Goals:**

Fundraising is our number one goal right now. If you have suggestions for donors or groups/organizations you think would like to hear from a speaker, please let us know.

**Meeting Date**

Our meeting time has changed to 1:00 p.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at Catholic Charities.

**Client Stories**

Jeannine at Catholic Charities will send Cindy at least one story about a household assisted by VHPF. That story will be added to the ones submitted by Ericka and sent to VC Together as part of the grant report.

**Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, June 9 at 1:00 p.m. at Catholic Charities.**