

**Ventura Homeless Prevention Subcommittee
Minutes March 20, 2013**

In attendance: Cindy Cattle, Jill Forman, Keri Jaeger and Frans Feijerse.

VHPF Update

Prevention Subcommittee – Cindy provided an update of the fund balance and statistics as of March 1.

Salvation Army had fund in February. – Ericka Bigger assisted 2 households, a total of 3 individual, 1 child for a total of \$1,775.

Salvation Army has the fund in March and \$4,000 for allocation. Keri Update updated us that she has not used the fund this month; however, Frans had a client who was eligible and they worked together to assist a household of 2 adults and a grandson with \$1200.

As of March 20, 2013, the total number of households assisted is 268 as approx. 681 people.

Catholic Charities will allocate the fund in April and May.

Wrist Band Promotion efforts –We are actively seeking ideas on how to promote wristbands and increase awareness of VHPF as well as increase donations. Next event: July 4th. However, if you know of an event/meeting/presentation opportunity please let us know.

New Business:

- Thank You Notes – Cindy could use some help getting the final list out. Could we set up a card party?

Old Business:

- **United Way Rental Assistance Database-**

Update from service providers on United Way data base and blended recipient list.

3-19-13 – Cindy contacted by Nancy Older at United Way to say that system should be accessible now, and requesting we add our info in from past months. If providers have problems accessing, United Way asks you to contact Nancy Older.

Other:

Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 17, 12:30 pm* at Catholic Charities. (new time)