

**CITY OF SEATAC**  
**Human Services Advisory Committee**  
**Minutes**

**August 15, 2011**  
**5:30 PM**

**SeaTac City Hall**  
**Airport Conference Room**

**Call to Order** Committee members met at 5:30 PM

**Members Present** Joe Van, Dave Bush, Cheryl Forbes, Valerie Allan (alt.)

**Members Absent** Phyllis Byers, Ron Altier

**Staff Present** Colleen Brandt-Schluter, City Manager's Office  
May and June Minutes were approved.

**Approval of Minutes**

**BUSINESS**

Vice Chair Joe Van requested Val Allan as a voting member to complete the evening's business; members approved the request.

**Agency  
Presentation(s)**

New Futures Program Director, Dana Bowles, shared they focus on ensuring children's success in school and life by providing an Early Learning Program that teaches preschool children skills that readies them for kindergarten, while helping parents build skill to support their children's life-long learning and development; the After School Program that helps young minds grow throughout the school year and into summer by providing academic support and enrichment activities; and the Youth Program which supports students through ongoing home work assistance, academic tutoring and mentoring, and enrichment activities that allows students to explore educational and career opportunities. In addition they offer a skills training program with their Parent Involvement work focused on Strengthening Families. So far this year, 415 unduplicated served with 5,000 hours after school, 4,900 youth service hours and 175 family visits. All outcomes have been met.

**Business**

Back To School Fair – Backpack fill day August 16<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am, MG Y; BTSE August 18<sup>th</sup>, 10-2pm Valley Ridge Park.

Recreation scholarship update – \$15,000 from H.S. approved

Council approved endorsement of the King County Human Services and Veterans Levy renewal.

**New Business**

Colleen shared information on the following:

- Global to Local will implement Community Health Promoters (CHP) and the diabetes project with the Y in Sept.
- Minor Home Repair program – going strong, many folks in need
- Food Access Work Group – many organizations involved including U.W., Seattle Tilth, Food banks, Rotaries, Cascade Land Conservancy.
- Rain Barrels are available from Mayor Terry Anderson

**Next meeting:**

September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Time – 5:30pm. Airport Conference Room

**ADJOURN:**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00PM