

# HOMELESSNESS IN WATERLOO

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WATERLOO

**142**

*Federally Funded Beds*

**1:478**

*Beds:Residents*

DUBUQUE

**199**

*Federally Funded Beds*

**1:292**

*Beds:Residents*

CEDAR RAPIDS

**503**

*Federally Funded Beds*

**1:263**

*Beds:Residents*

# FEDERALLY FUNDED RESOURCES

## *Black Hawk County*

### SALVATION ARMY

**50**  
beds

Emergency  
Shelter

### AMERICANS FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING

**3**  
beds

Transitional  
Housing

### COMMUNITY HOUSING INITIATIVES

**13**  
beds

Permanent  
Supportive  
Housing

## *Waterloo*

### CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

**36**  
beds

Transitional  
Housing

### FRIENDS OF THE FAMILY

**15**  
beds

Rapid  
Rehousing

### WATERLOO HOUSING AUTHORITY

**4**  
beds

Permanent  
Supportive  
Housing

### CATHOLIC WORKER HOUSE

**21**  
beds

Emergency  
Shelter

# STAKEHOLDERS

04



## IOWA BALANCE OF STATE COC

Continuum of Care  
coordinates homelessness  
programs statewide



## CITY COUNCIL + MAYOR HART

City leadership has interest  
in improving the state of  
homelessness and obtaining  
federal and state funding



## LOCAL SHLETTERS + PROGRAMS

Coordinated entry requires  
acceptance of "undesirable"  
clients

# COORDINATED ENTRY



ACCESS



ASSESS



PRIORITIZE



REFER



*Our infographic is available here:*

[https://www.canva.com/design/DAEcs3Jetm8/Y7T4vyB8mAkjx7FP1gW\\_AQ/view?utm\\_content=DAEcs3Jetm8&utm\\_campaign=designshare&utm\\_medium=link&utm\\_source=homepage\\_design\\_menu](https://www.canva.com/design/DAEcs3Jetm8/Y7T4vyB8mAkjx7FP1gW_AQ/view?utm_content=DAEcs3Jetm8&utm_campaign=designshare&utm_medium=link&utm_source=homepage_design_menu)



# BEST PRACTICES



**DETROIT**



**IOWA CITY**



**SEATTLE**

## ***Coordinated Entry***

- CAM Detroit

## ***Permanent Supportive Housing***

- Cross Park Place
- Fairweather Lodge

## ***Resource Accessibility***

- Washington 2-1-1 website

# RECOMMENDATIONS

- ✓ Revitalize and expand the Homeless Coordinating Board
- ✓ Focus resources on housing solutions, rather than emergency solutions
- ✓ Increase accessibility of information for those needing assistance



# NEXT STEPS



## BOARD MEMBERS

Compile list of possible Homelessness Coordinating Board members



## FUNDING

Research and apply for grants-- Whose responsibility is this?



## ACCESSIBILITY

Compile information on resources to include on the Homelessness portal



# Thank you!

Contact us if there are any questions.

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