I. Opening Welcome – Franklyn Baker, President and CEO UWCM

II. Review of 2017 Legislative Session

III. Updates on New Business

IV. Homeless Services Framework – Work Group Updates

V. Administrative Items

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Welcome to Our New Members

Kate Farinholt, National Alliance on Mental Illness

Lisa Klingenaier, Catholic Charities

Shannon Snow, Episcopal Housing Corporation

Jeff Garrett, Homeless Advocate and Speaker
Review of 2017 Legislative Session

Regan Vaughan
Catholic Charities
HB 134 passed both houses of the General Assembly and was signed into law.

Four homeless service grant programs, currently under DHR will transfer over to DHCD as of July 1, 2017.
A Needs Assessment for the ICH on Maryland Emergency Shelter Services

Anne Wagner
Master’s Candidate
Goals of the Project

• To fulfill the tenth goal of the ICH

• To quantify gaps in emergency shelter services that inhibit access, especially in rural CoCs

• To identify prioritization tools and practices that reduce barriers to entry into emergency shelters

• To understand safety conditions shared by clients and staff

• To identify and recommend best practices for fair admission, equitable access, and safe shelters
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**Will Interview:** Mid Shore (Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot Counties) and Howard County
Questions?

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Thank you
Work Group Updates