

Redmond City Council Update July 16, 2024

Plymouth Housing's Mission



To eliminate homelessness and address its causes by preserving, developing and operating safe, quality, supportive housing and by providing adults experiencing homelessness with opportunities to stabilize and improve their lives



Plymouth Housing Background



Nonprofit housing developer founded in 1980



Serves formerly homeless adults



Operates 17 permanent supportive housing facilities in King County, including one in Bellevue



Believes everyone deserves a home

Our Model - Permanent Supportive Housing



There is no time limit on our housing

"Supportive"

We connect our residents with services that can help them thrive

(e.g. case management to connect residents with Social Security or veterans' benefits)

"Housing First"

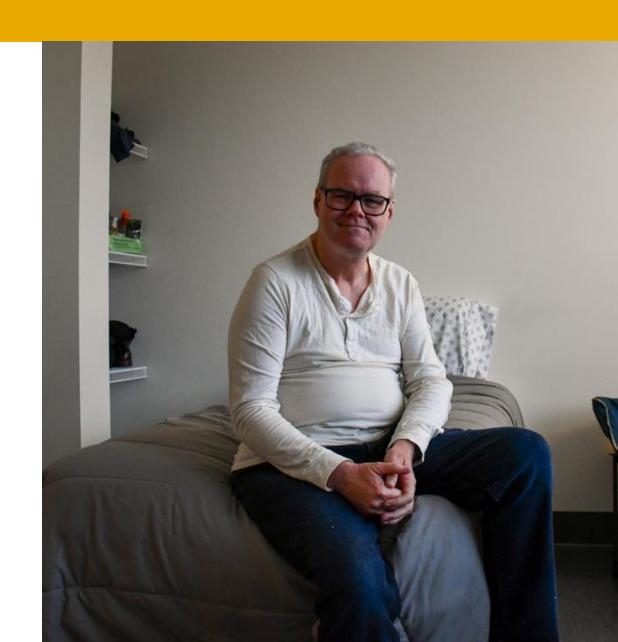
A stable home is needed before an individual can rebuild their life

Our Residents

Plymouth Housing serves adults with acute needs

Of the nearly 1,400 residents housed in 2023:

- **62%** seniors (55+)
- 52% people of color
- 11% veterans
- \$8,500 average annual income



Our Effectiveness



CHRONIC HOMELESSNESS

Results in increased time in the emergency room and jails—which are costly alternatives to housing

A COMPARISON OF COSTS



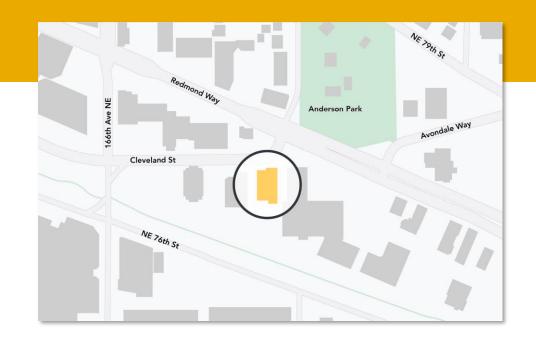




Redmond Updates

We hope to share more about:

- 1) Outreach efforts to date
- Plans for the CommunityAdvisory Group
- 3) How to join
- 4) Upcoming opportunities
- 5) Resources





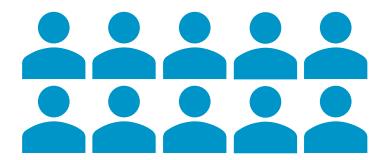
Outreach to Date

Since February

- Canvassed 70+ neighborhood businesses with OneRedmond
- Hosted tours of Plymouth Crossing
- Weekly meetings w/ Redmond staff
- Attended Redmond & Eastside events
- Hosted Neighborhood Business
 Focus Group
- Tabled at Derby Days



Community Advisory Group: Structure



10 members who collectively represent:

- Redmond residents, including immediate neighbors (within approx. 1,000 feet of site)
- Redmond businesses and workers, including immediate neighbors
- Nonprofit(s) providing housing/homelessness services in Redmond

- Lived experience
 of homelessness or
 housing insecurity
- Faith/religious organizations serving Redmond
- Redmond schools, such as parents/guardians, teachers, and other school staff
- Redmond community associations



Staff from:

- Plymouth Housing
- Redmond Parks Department
- Redmond Police Department
- Redmond Planning & Human Services Department



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Sample Representation Matrix

Percentages are for <u>demonstration only.</u> Actual representation will vary based on applications received.

	Redmond resident (<1000ft of site)	Redmond resident	Own, work, or conduct business in Redmond (<1000ft of site)	business in	Nonprofit providing housing or homelessness services in Redmond	Lived experience of homelessness or housing insecurity	Faith/religious org. based in or serving Redmond	Experience with Redmond schools (i.e. parent or guardian, teacher)	Redmond community association leadership (current/former)	Prior experience w/ related housing or homelessness planning and oversight
Annette Benning	✓	✓		✓						
Bradley Cooper		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
Carey Mulligan				✓						✓
Cillian Murphy				✓			✓		✓	
Colman Domingo				✓	✓					
Emma Stone		✓				✓				
Jeffrey Wright	✓	✓								
Lily Gladstone			✓	✓						
Paul Giamatti								✓	✓	
Sandra Huller		✓								✓
Total Representation	20%	50%	20%	60%	10%	10%	10%	20%	30%	20%

Community Advisory Group: Initial Work Plan

Five meetings

- In person in Redmond
- 60-90 minutes

First meeting in November/December 2024

Future meetings approx. bi-monthly in 2025

- February
- April
- June
- September

Exact dates, times, and frequency subject to member availability and direction

Member expectations

- Active participation in and outside of meetings
- Commitment to building relationships with Plymouth, Redmond, and CAG members
- Invite and solicit feedback from community to bring to CAG discussions
- Provide or support new engagement opportunities in 2025

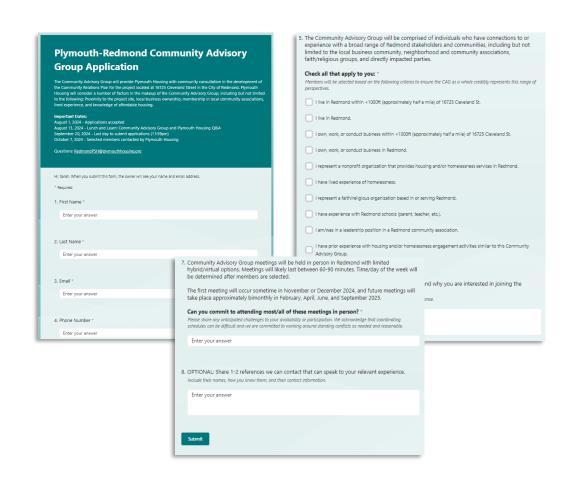
Ongoing topics

- Discuss draft Community Relations Plan and any proposed modifications
- Recap community feedback received
- Share engagement opportunities

Community Advisory Group: How to Join

Apply to join at: PlymouthHousing.org/Redmond

- Applications accepted starting August 1
- Last day to submit September 20
- Members selected in early October
- Members will be selected to ensure CAG is a representative cohort of residents, businesses and workers, nonprofit(s), lived experience of homelessness or housing insecurity, faith/religious organizations, schools and parents/guardians, and community associations
- All applicants who are not selected will automatically receive regular updates on CAG activities





Community Advisory Group: Learning Event

Lunch and Learn Community Advisory Group Information Session

Tuesday, August 13th 12:00pm-1:30pm Together Center

RSVP:

PlymouthHousing.org/August13



Resources

Project information, including how to apply for the Community Advisory Group:

PlymouthHousing.org/Redmond

RSVP to August 13th CAG Learning Event: PlymouthHousing.org/August13

Questions:

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Thank you!

Plymouth Housing