

# STRENGTHENING FAMILIES LOCALLY

## Stevens County Meeting Notes

### In Attendance:

Dan Aune, Shannon Shelland, Donna Moulton, Stacey Hastings, Tia Amich, Geri Phillips, Joy Lile

### Project planning discussion:

#### What more do you need to understand or know before moving forward?

- Who do families go to now for prevention?
- Who are the ideal collaborators?

**DCYF data:** we are looking for a better map of the county which shows intakes geographically.

**Mapping needs:** Hearts/stars indicate rural areas that have higher needs for services. Based off anecdotal information from DCYF staff. Areas included Springdale and outlying areas, Hutters, Rice, Onion Creek and North Port. **(See map on next page.)**

#### Other issues raised:

- Broadband access for online participation?
  - Might have to rely on phone, or connections with a few key providers/community leaders who can help us connect to other groups.
  - Small groups/socially distances
- DCYF staff sees a lot of unaddressed needs around **housing and childcare**
  - Who are housing providers/coordinators we could loop in?
- Where are people going for support? DCYF staff see people utilizing families, friends, and neighbors, and churches to provide basic needs. There is little networking of these services.

**Collaboration:** We discussed who we could outreach to and the following were brought up:

Sector/Role	Org.	Name	Who will contact?
Early head start	Colville center and outreach throughout county		Joy - through DCYF



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Churches			
FQHCs			Dan?
Ethnic Communities, i.e. American Indian Community Center			
	Tri-county health district		
Mental health	New Alliance - BHO in Stevens/Ferry		Tia
Colville Confederated and Spokane tribes			Joy

Tasks:

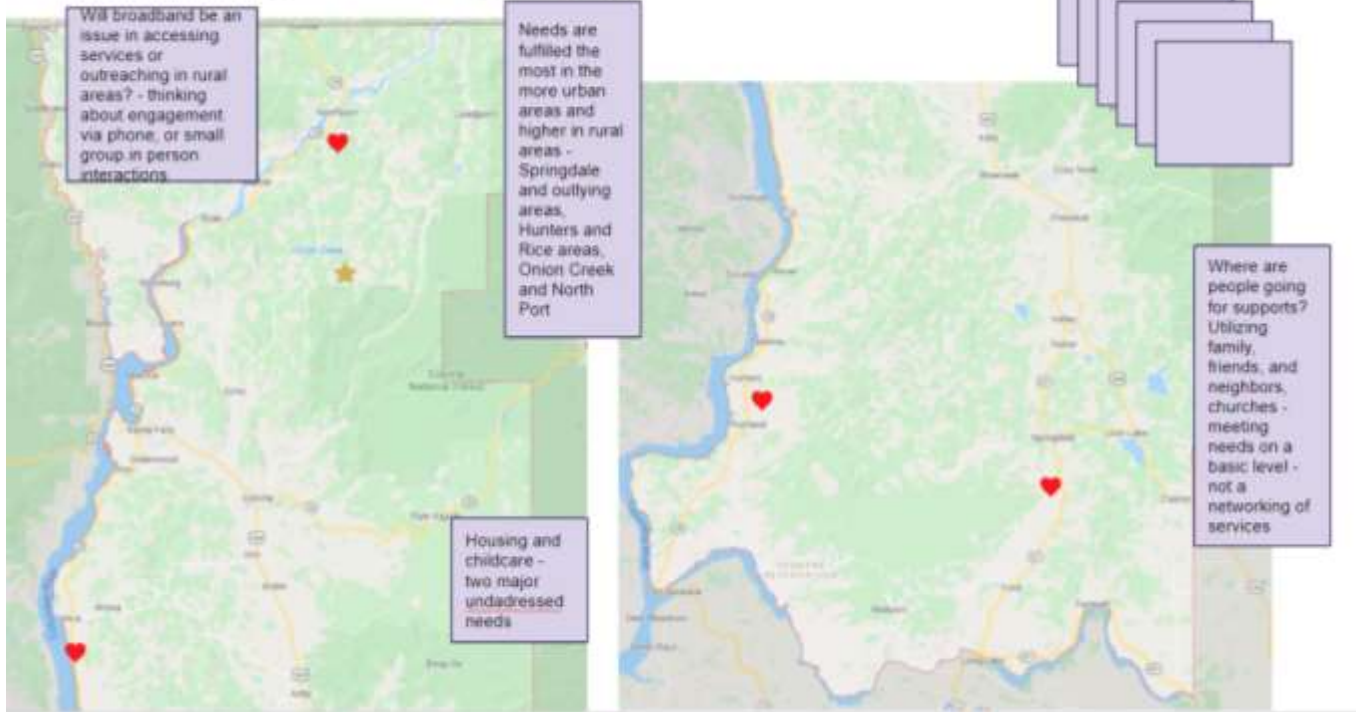
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Next Meeting:

- 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, 1 hour
- Sept 16<sup>th</sup> and October 7
- Discussion topics: Outreach materials, approach, and structure

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## Understanding Our Community: Mapping Services and Needs



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