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Hello Council Members,

Among the many items on your agenda this evening is a resolution to continue with a coordinated funding approach for safety net human services in the community. As referenced in the resolution, and as planned when Coordinated Funding was adopted in 2010, the model is moving us closer to being able to understand the community impact of your investments. To advance that understanding, staff, nonprofit agencies, and human service experts have worked intensively over the past six months to identify community-level outcomes and measurements against which we can better understand our progress in achieving a better quality of life for those most in need. I have attached a document which includes that work, for your review and reference. As you'll see, each priority area has one to two high-level outcomes, with the method to be used to measure each over the next two-year cycle.

Thank you,
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WASHTENAW COORDINATED FUNDING

COMMUNITY-LEVEL OUTCOMES (2014 – 2016)

Updated November 5, 2013

Community Priority Area	Community-Level Outcome	Measurement Tool(s)
<p>Early Childhood</p>	<p>Increase the developmental readiness of children with high needs* so they can succeed in school at the time of school entry.</p> <p><i>*Children with high needs are defined as: children from birth through kindergarten entry who are from low-income families (i.e., at or below 250% FPL) or otherwise in need of special assistance and support. Specifically those who have disabilities or developmental delays; those who are English learners; those who are migrant, homeless, or in foster care; and/or those who are the children of teen mothers.</i></p>	<p>Kindergarten Entry Assessment (KEA)</p>
<p>School-Aged Youth</p>	<p>Increase the high school graduation rate of economically disadvantaged youth.*</p> <p><i>*Economically disadvantaged youth are defined as those who qualify for the free or reduced lunch program, or youth from families with incomes below 185% of the federal poverty limit (FPL).</i></p>	<p>High School Graduation</p>
<p>School-Aged Youth</p>	<p>Increase the physical and emotional safety of economically disadvantaged youth* in their homes, schools and communities.</p> <p><i>*Economically disadvantaged youth are defined as those who qualify for the free or reduced lunch program, or youth from families with incomes below 185% of the federal poverty limit (FPL).</i></p>	<p>Michigan Profile for Healthy Youth (MiPHY) and Senior Exit Survey</p>
<p>Safety Net Health</p>	<p>Increase access to health services and resources for low-income residents.*</p> <p><i>*Low-income residents are defined as individuals or households that are at or below 200% of the federal poverty limit (FPL).</i></p>	<p>Health Improvement Plan (HIP) Survey, DHS Green Book, and the American Community Survey (ACS)</p>
<p>Hunger Relief</p>	<p>Decrease food insecurity* for low income residents.**</p> <p><i>*Food insecurity is defined as the limited or uncertain availability of nutritionally adequate and safe foods, or limited or uncertain ability to acquire acceptable foods in socially acceptable ways.</i></p> <p><i>**Low-income residents are defined as individuals or households that are at or below 200% of the federal poverty limit (FPL).</i></p>	<p>Feeding America Survey</p>
<p>Housing and Homelessness</p>	<p>Reduce the number of people who are experiencing homelessness.</p>	<p>Point-in-Time (PIT) Count, and Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)</p>
<p>Aging</p>	<p>Increase or maintain independent living factors for vulnerable, low income* adults who are 60 years of age and older.</p> <p><i>*Low-income residents are defined as individuals or households that are at or below 200% of the federal poverty limit (FPL).</i></p> <p><i>Note: Geographic Catchment and Housing Area Priorities are rural townships, subsidized housing units, mobile home communities, and community dwellers who reside alone.</i></p>	<p>Older Adult Survey</p>