



Housing Access and Support Alliance Workgroup Agenda
March 20, 2025, 1:30PM – 3:00PM
Love Columbia (1209 E Walnut St., Columbia, MO 65201) and virtually via Zoom

Meeting Objectives:

- Develop next steps for pursuing a streamlined application and/or universal background check
- Information sheet planning

Population Results Statement: All people in Boone County have safe, quality, and affordable housing.

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Follow up from last meeting
3. 2025 workgroup planning
 - a. Streamlined application and/or universal background check
 - b. Information sheets
4. Next Steps
5. Closing
 - a. Partner Updates
 - b. Comments and Questions

Next Workgroup Meeting: April 24, 2025, 1:30 – 3:00 PM at Boone Electric Community Building or virtually via Zoom.

Upward Mobility is the idea that everyone deserves the chance to improve their lives and economic well-being, to be valued and feel like they belong, and to have power and autonomy. Thriving communities are those that support opportunities to boost upward mobility and aim to narrow inequities for children, youth, and adults.

Ground Rules (*Adapted from University of Michigan Guidelines for Discussing Difficult or High Stakes Topics*)

Listen respectfully. | Listen actively and with an ear to ‘understanding others’ views. | Commit to learning, not debating. | Comment to share information, not to persuade. | Discuss ideas. | Avoid blame, speculation, and inflammatory language. | Avoid assumptions about any member of a social group. Do not ask individuals to speak for their (perceived) social group. | Allow everyone the chance to speak if they choose to do so.