	Questions	Affordable Housing	Teen Mental Health and Racial Perceptions	Racial Division
		Matt - Scribe, Jeff - Facilitator	Melinda - Scribe, Steph W. - Facilitator	Stephanie O. - Scribe, Muna - Facilitator
1	**Who is already doing work in this area? With the work that is already being doing, what are the limitations or barriers within those programs or services?**	Transitional Housing of Steele County - Eviction Protections & 2 yr. rental; SCHRC - Project Home, PATH Program, Homeless Resources, Mental Health assistance, Supportive Housing (16 individuals), Youngdale Living (16 units), scattered sites (eastgate & southgate), rent downtown apartments; Healthy Seniors - Keeping Seniors in their homes; Owatonna HRA - Section 8, Bridges, Countylike vouchers, Mainstreet Vouchers; Tax Credit Apts, Local Programs; MNPrairie, St. Vinceint DePaul - downpayment, Salvation Army - downpayment assistance, Workforce Development - temporary assistnce; Shelters (Rachel's Light, Hospitality House, Beyond Brink) homeless assistance.	programs (i.e. Change to Chill ...) Young Life/Real Life ... Exchange Center: parent mentoring and help resources Challenges include lack of funding to pay for mental health services, making services relatable for kids, South Central Human Relations Center - challenges with funding and transportation barriers, debate of which is more important: missing school for mental health appointments, Riverland - immersed mental health services on campus: challenge awareness .... removing stigma that it is ok to ask for help and that mental health is something you need to tend to not that something is wrong with you, mental health and stigma surrounding it impacted positively and negatively by social media and 'influencers' there, building trust and putting resources where the kids are, schools - provide counseling service, Mental Health 1st Aid (training at Riverland), challenge of identifying kids who need help, online/virtual counseling, parent engagement to getting resources for their kids, MnPrairie County Alliance, burn out of kids/families/educators/providers, lack of therapists offering services, wait lists for providers, Exchange Club - partnerting with schools to deliver curriculum ... parent circles including mom/dad/children support circles ... BB/BS - establishing connections, Hand in Hand in Club ... for kids who don't have after	provide details of purpose for a board, who do you call, community outreach, challenge of who to invite, determine how to reach diverse groups, world of perception is reality, Perception drives action, open doors, how do we open doors. sharing of information, identify the where we have information, list the resources, access to information, can we put signs in the yards to share events like this are available, WFC, developing inclusive workforce group, new program, Mayo Kuntz, challenged where we get our information, cit counci, OPP, website, Steele County Times, social media, only 50% use the resources to use the venues. Invite people to attend meetings or join social media outlets. invite to dance, then we need to dance. Also, need to feel safe. same audience tallking to the a same audience, identify the communication contact and how do diverse groups share information. Huge disconnect with resouces, language is a barrier, where is cross pollunation effort? Welcome Center in Austin is a good example, welcome centers are successful. City referred to tecnhology/internet solutions. Need visability to the issues, Brian, need virtual versus internat based. Research Austin Welcome Center
2	**The GAP Analysis Recommendation (insert which of the three) encompasses a large issue within our community that cannot not be solved through a singular solution. Please list out the smaller, attainable outcomes, that will take us in this direction. Remember, we are not here to solve the problem, we are here to identify all the pieces that make up this larger issue.**	Incentivize Landlords - Homestead Tax rates reductions, Property Management services, dumpster/clean up; Educate public about "Housing Choice"; Funding gap to get apartments to pass inspections; Affordable Single Family Homes; create more Senior Housing Options for them to downsize at lateral move; $325,000 new construction for house;	ESTABLISH CONNECTIONS, HUMANIZING, GATHERING TO REDUCE ISOLATION ... consistency ... support ... Workshops, organized gathering opportunities, identify space for kids to gather with positive adult and child mentors, creating place for kids to go after school, recognizing that kids don't all get along and racial tensions still exist, kids need a bond with someone, creating the "no name/no affiliation group for kids" who don't do sports or drama or whatever ... Something to create a sense of belonging, **How do we build a sense of inclusiveness and connections in our communities?** Health Finders Collaborative - Intercultural Effectiveness training ...Somali and Spanich tracks to learn about culture - teach diversity in the community ... Challenge of bringing content to those who don't want it.. Opportunities for connection for teens and parents ... that are desirable. Summer camps for kids to engage. Use resources like **Community Pathways** to spread the word about other resources available. Building connections within resources. Community Calendar ... like Faribault has community calendar called Youth Connect.	Welcome Center, workforce center program, communmity center, Gather list of events first to fill the gap, communction vehicles, Roger made a point of words EID, Intence conversation, Changes starts witj leadership
2a	**Volunteer to Transfer Ideas to Notepad**	Brad Meier		Kim Purscell
2b	**Volunteer to Report out on top 3 outcomes/actions**	Brad Meier	Stephanie Wanous	Muna Mohammed
2c	**What are the top 3 outcomes/actions selected by your team?**	How to develop Affordable Single Family Homes (Troy K & Matt D.), Mitigate loss to Landlords & provide resources to improve properties (Bill O), Educating public about negative perceptions about Section 8 (Matt D.)	1. Identify a space to provide classes, training, education and be consistent. This allows for teens to come when it fits their schedule. Create an opportunity for people to be involved. 2. Create a group and space where every kid can belond, example Room 218. Must communicate and market the space or program, so everyone is aware of where they can go. 3. Open up line of communications between our groups so we can share all our services & events - Community Calendar.	Not in a position to pick top three, next step is to gather wiht Greater Health Alliance meeting, follow-up with discussion.
3	**How do we best work as a team to move this issue forward?**			
4	**Who would be willing to act a team leader or co-leader to ensure that the work continues to move forward? This does not mean that you are doing the work, it means that you are making sure that everyone is on the same page and that commitments are followed through with.**	Troy Klecker, Matt Durand, Bill Owens	Beth Hortop and Carrie Johnson	Rebecca from Greater Health Alliance sending google poll to schedule followup meeting.
5	**Who is interested in serving on this Action Team going forward?**			Who are leaders- invite faith communities Brian, Kris, Mohomed Greater health alliance, Peng Olson