

Washington County OR 506 CoC Point in Time Count 2022



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<https://www.co.washington.or.us/Housing/EndHomelessness/homeless-data-and-point-in-time-activities.cfm>

Washington County 2022 Point In Time Count "PIT"

Planning Process

Built for Zero (BFZ) Street Outreach Convening Group

- Debrief Previous PIT
- Evaluate requirements for upcoming

PIT Steering Committee (October)

- Review HUD Guidance
- Settle on Methodology & Collection Tool
- Determine Enumerator Capacity Requirements
- Create Training Curriculum & Calendar
- Coverage of Geographic Areas

PIT January 26, 2022

HUD
Guidance on
the 2022
Point In Time
Count
"PIT"

Review HUD Guidance

- The e CoC Program interim rule defines Point-in-Time Count as a “count of sheltered and unsheltered homeless persons carried out on one night in the last 10 calendar days of January or at such other time as required by HUD.”

PIT January 26, 2022



HUD Guidance

- The PIT count should be completed using unduplicated counts or statistically reliable estimates of homeless persons in both sheltered and unsheltered locations on a single night.
- CoCs report on people based on where they are sleeping on the night of the count, as opposed to the program they are enrolled in.
- HUD requires that PIT counts be conducted in compliance with HUD counting standards.
- The PIT count only identifies a subset of individuals and families that meet HUD's definition of homeless.

Who Is Counted

Sheltered
Count

Unsheltered
Count

Sheltered

- CoCs must count all individuals or families “living in a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter designated to provide temporary living arrangements (including congregate shelters, transitional housing, and hotels and motels paid for by charitable organizations or by federal, state, or local government programs for low-income individuals)”

Unsheltered

- CoCs must count all individuals or families “with a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, including a car, park, abandoned building, bus or train station, airport, or camping ground” on the night designated for the count.”

Unsheltered Methodology

“Complete Coverage”

- Regular Contact with Population through BFZ Street Outreach
- All PIT census staff will wear PPE and are trained and experienced in working with the homeless population
- Assess the wellness of our homeless population
- Provide information on symptoms of COVID
- Access to COVID testing and where to find information on COVID vaccine availability

Unsheltered Methodology



- “Complete Coverage”
 - Enumerators
 - Service Providers, Municiple Staff & Police Dept Personnel
 - No Volunteers
 - Socially Distanced Interviews
 - Calendar of PIT
 - January 26,2022
 - Beaverton, Tigard, Forest Grove, Cornelius, Hillsboro, Aloha
 - Gaps 28th - 31st
 - Mobile Counting Application

Mobile Counting Application

SimTech Solutions

- “Counting Us”
- Implemented use in 2021

Testing

- 10 days
- 2-day "no activity" period

Activated "Live"

- January 24-31

2022 PIT

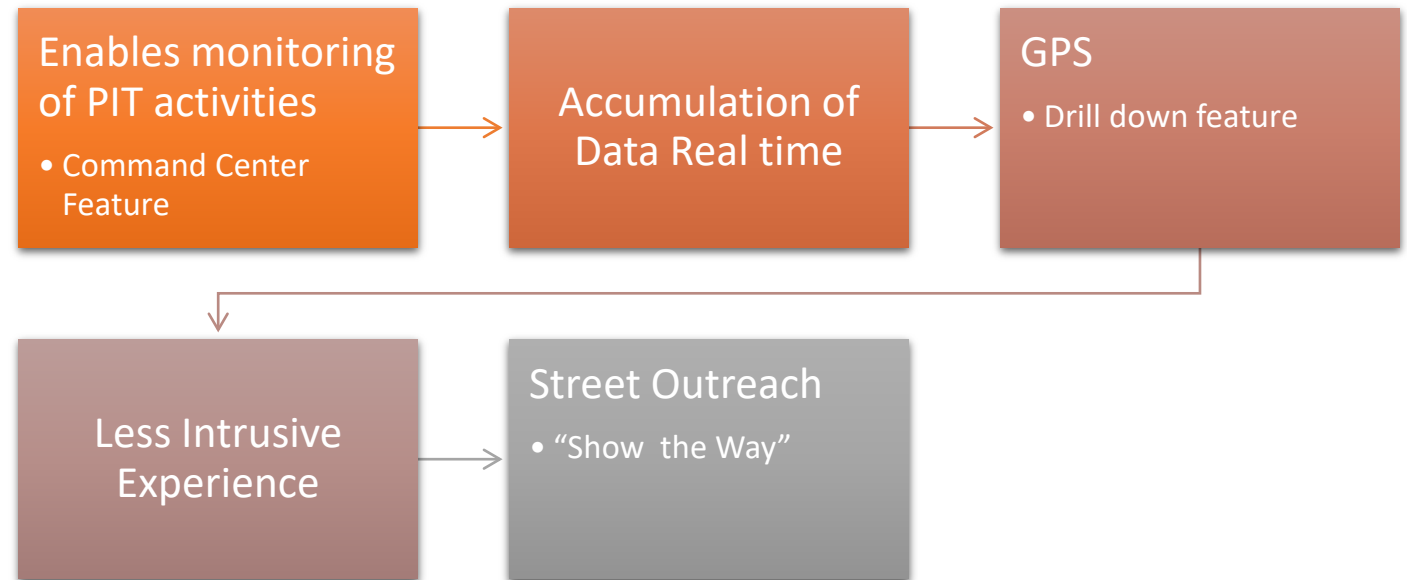
- January 26, 2022
 - Forest Grove/Cornelius, Hillsboro, Beaverton/Aloha, Tigard, Tualatin
 - Gaps Coverage--Sherwood, Banks, Gaston, North Plains

Counting Us



Because Everyone Counts

Use of 'Counting Us' App Experience and future Uses



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OR-506 2021 Point in Time Count

Summary

Responses

Users

Regions

Settings



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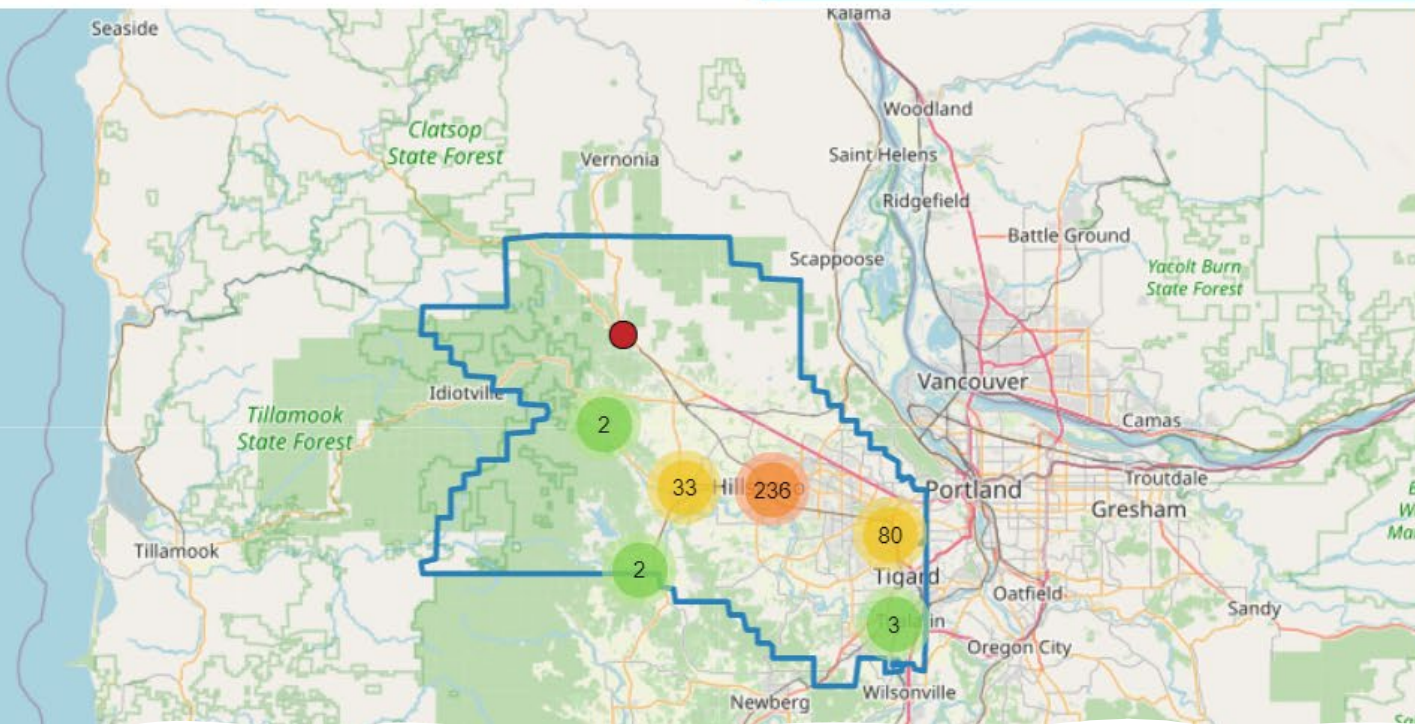
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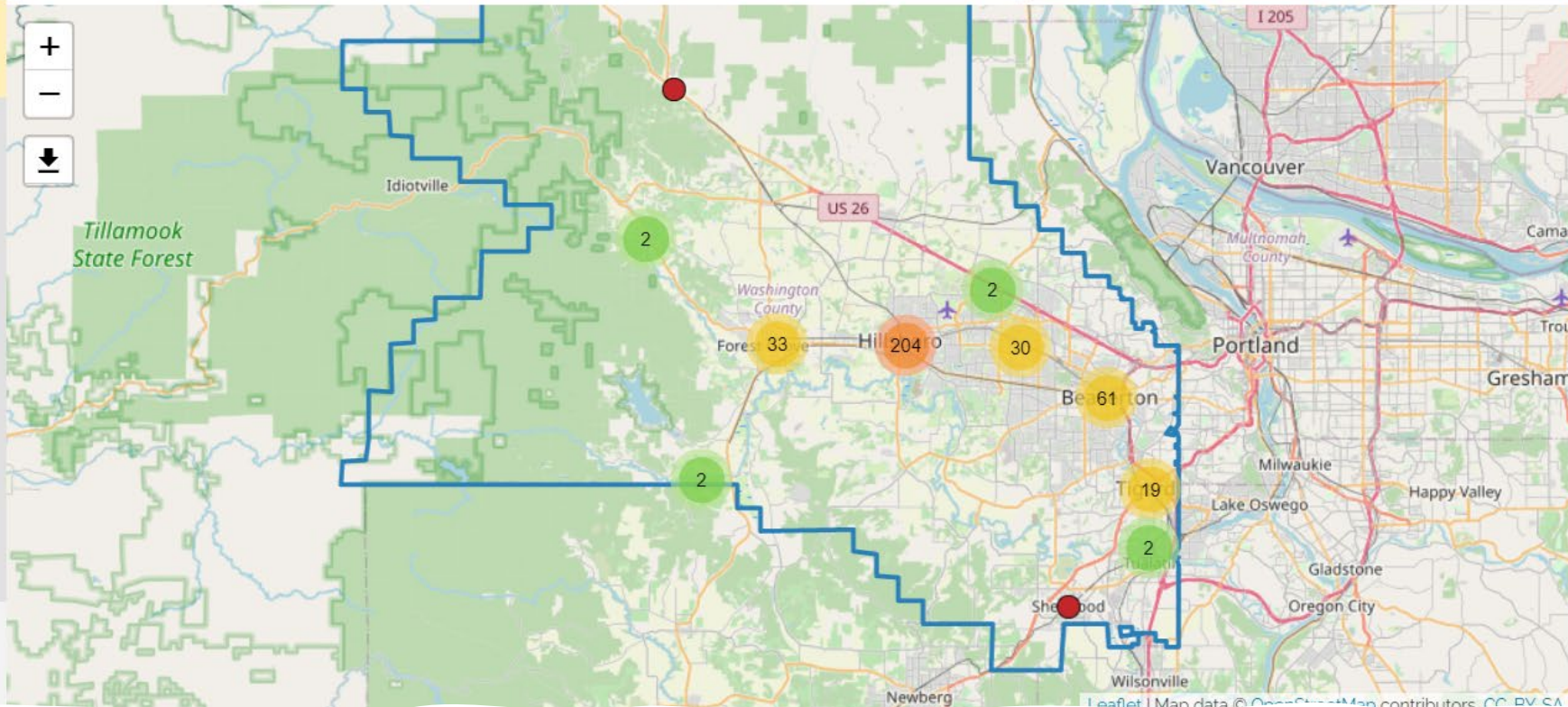
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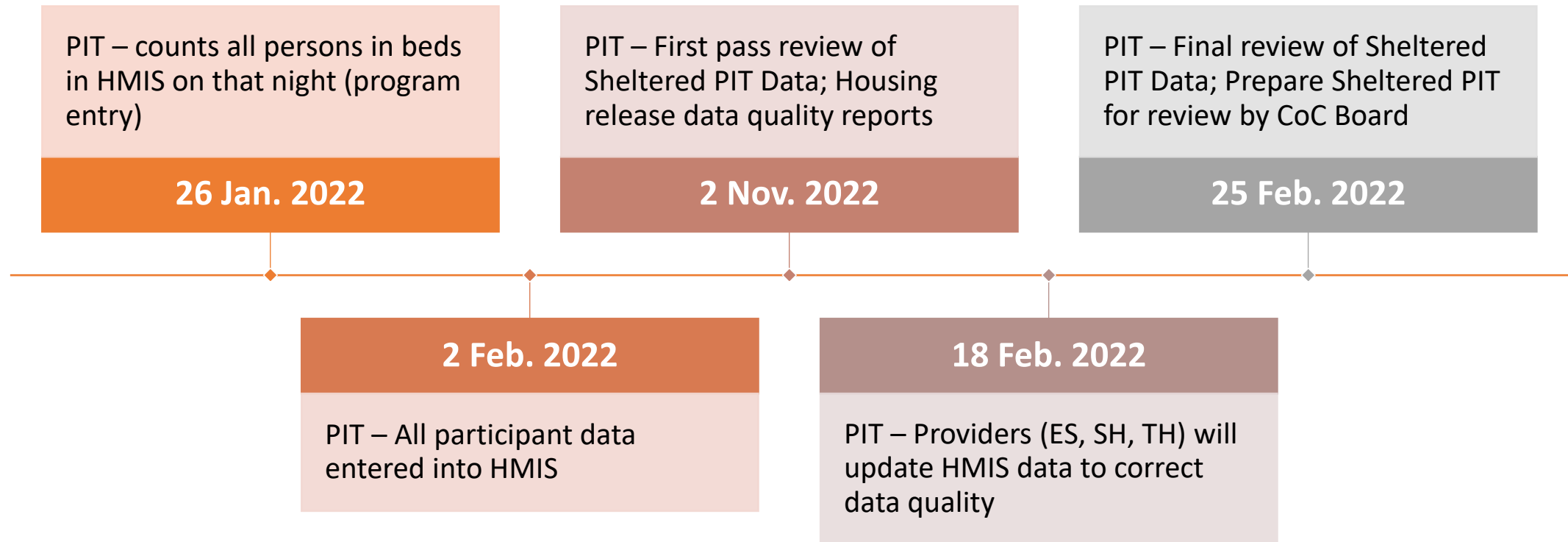
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Sheltered Methodology

All Shelter and Transitional Housing providers need to ensure all participants are accurately entered into HMIS for all persons who entered the project on or before the Wednesday, January 26, 2022.

Next steps is to ensure data quality and prepare to submit both sheltered and unsheltered count to HUD.

Sheltered PIT Timeline



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