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- A. CoC Board Update: No action has been taken since the last meeting to increase the CoC Board's membership.
- B. Point in Time Count
  - a. HUD requires that the homeless service providers across the US count individuals & families experiencing unsheltered (on the street) and sheltered (in emergency/domestic violence shelters) homelessness every January. Our count took place January 29, and results of the unsheltered count are
    - i. Macomb: 2
    - ii. Quincy: 3
    - iii. Jacksonville: 0

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C. Crisis Response

a. We have lost 59% of our emergency shelter/transitional housing capacity due to COVID-19.

i. New Start Rescue Mission & Fishers of Men (Quincy) and New Directions (Jacksonville) have exited all their clients and temporarily closed due to congregate setting. We're really looking forward to these partners getting back to business as usual, and they are too!

ii. State of Illinois DHS Emergency Lodging Funding: \$36,412.60

1. Quanada, Crisis Center Foundation, Salvation Army, MCS

2. 16 hotel rooms for the next 30-45 days

b. Next COVID-19 crisis: pending evictions

i. Homelessness prevention funding is available through IL Department of Human Services

1. WIRC: Hancock, Henderson, McDonough, Warren Co.

2. Salvation Army: Adams, Brown, Pike, Schuyler Counties

3. MCS Community Services: Cass, Morgan, Scott Counties

ii. The following data on the number of evictions per month comes from direct communication with each county's Circuit Clerk, or

[https://housingactionil.org/downloads/EvictionBrief\\_February2019.pdf](https://housingactionil.org/downloads/EvictionBrief_February2019.pdf) if they

didn't respond to my calls/emails.

COUNTY	MONTHLY EVICTIONS	COUNTY	MONTHLY EVICTIONS
Adams	5	McDonough	1.5
Brown	5/year	Morgan	6
Cass	1	Pike	5/year
Hancock	3	Schuyler	1/year
Henderson		Scott	4/year
		Warren	2

iii.

D. Next Meeting – July 9

a. Ending veteran homelessness