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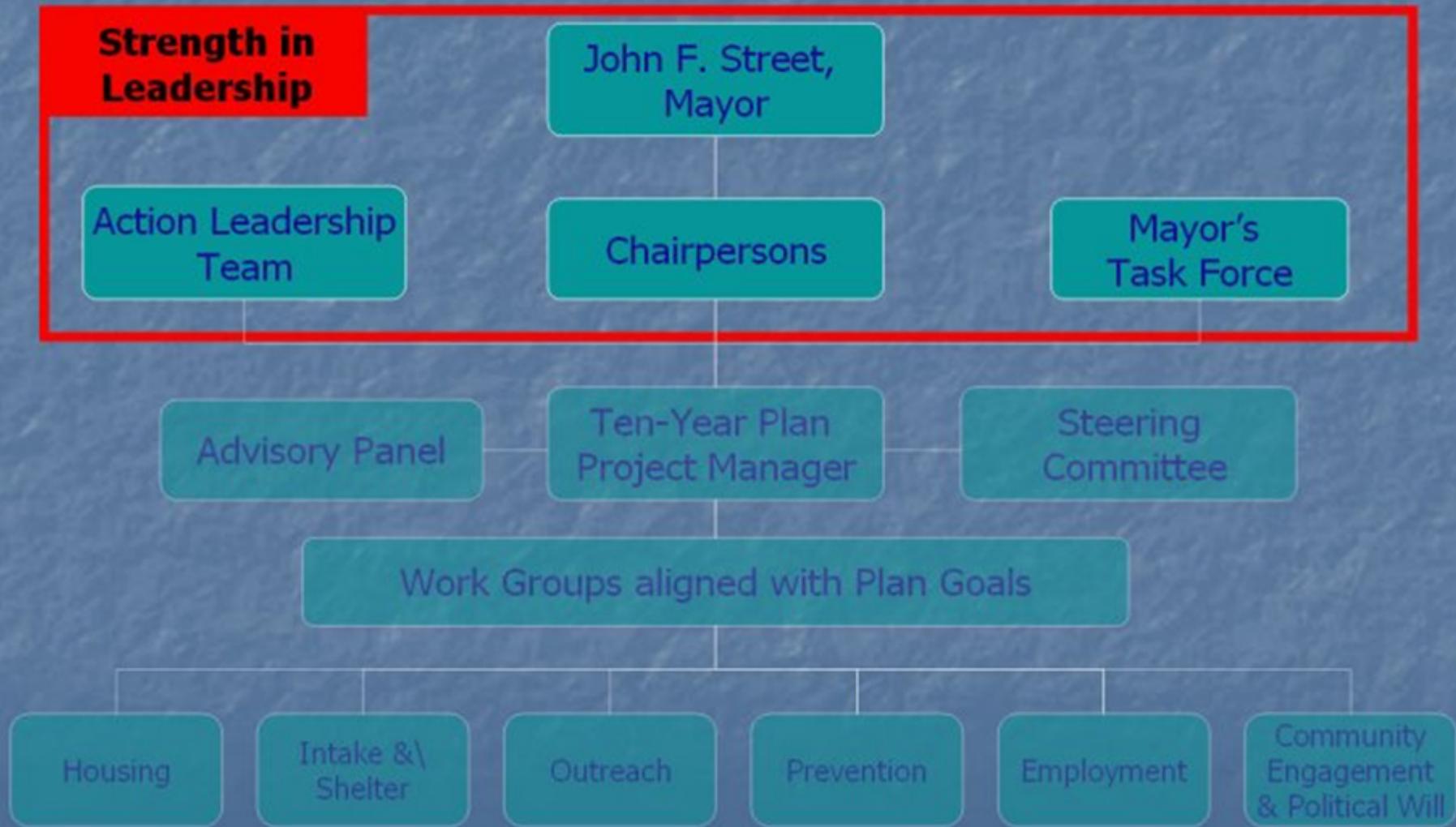
Philadelphia's Ten-Year Plan to End Homelessness:

*Creating Homes, Strengthening Communities, and
Improving Systems*

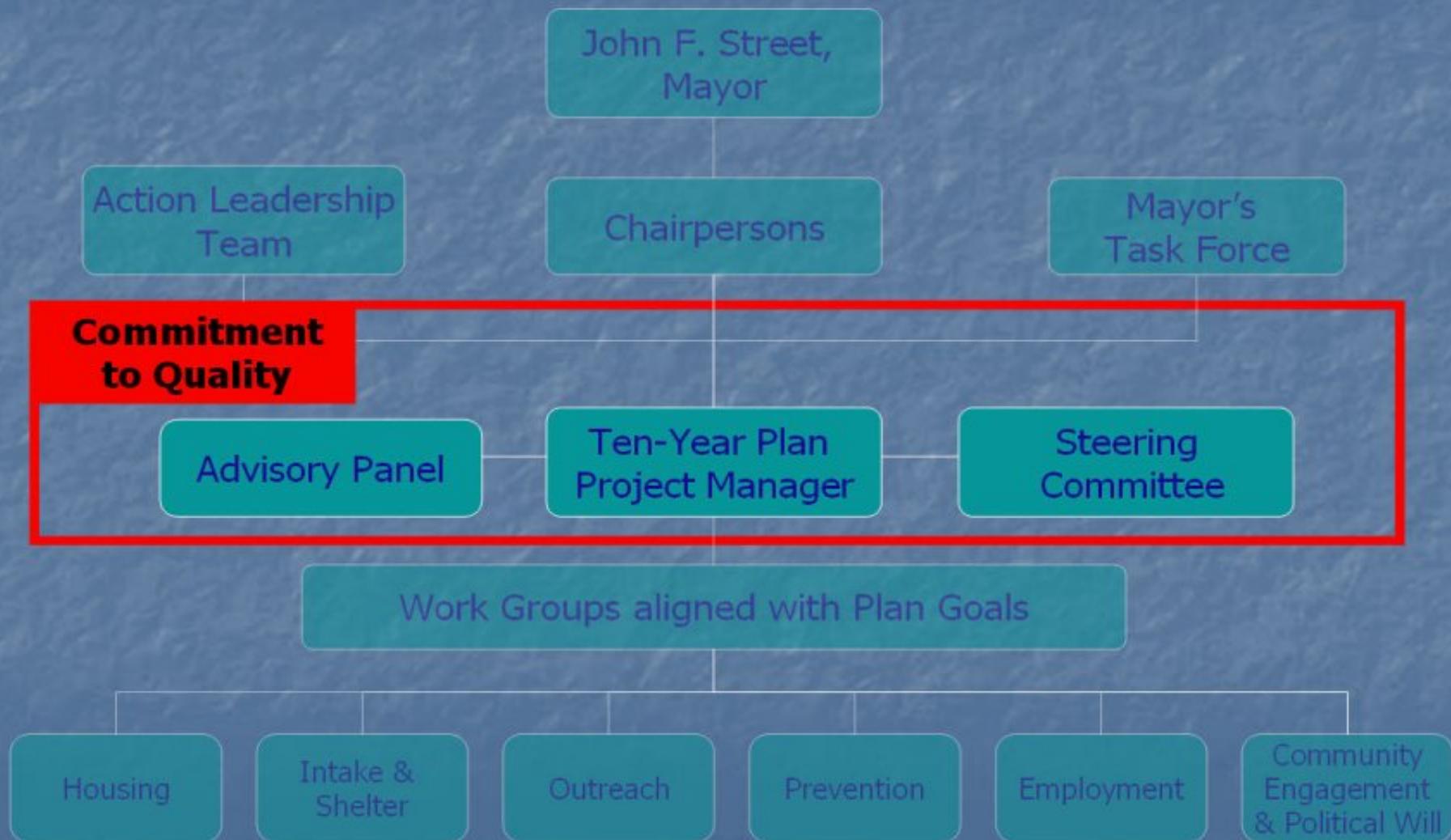
The organization is designed to successfully complete the work of the Ten-Year Plan



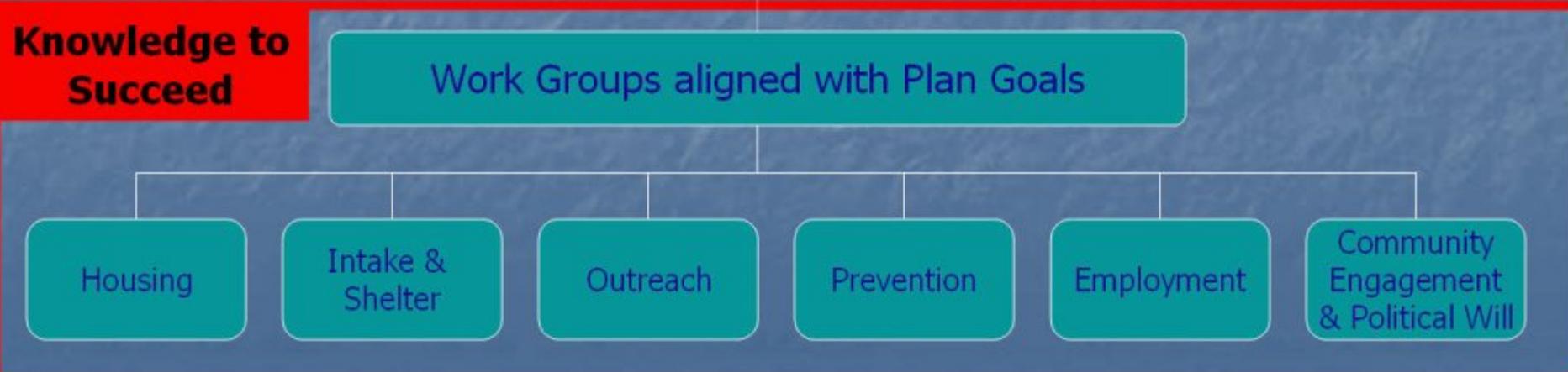
The organization provides strong leadership from the City, Providers, and the Community



The organization is chartered with delivering effective, efficient, and humane solutions



Work Group members have extensive knowledge of the current system & are opinion leaders in setting future direction



The Mayor endorsed the Ten-Year Plan on October 12, 2005

**John F. Street,
Mayor**

Mayor John F. Street provides the ongoing vision and support to realize the goals of the Plan.

The Chairpersons are committed to the shared goal of ending homelessness in Philadelphia by 2015

Chairpersons

Purpose

Champion the goals of the Ten-Year Plan to End Homelessness in Philadelphia.

Chairpersons

Sister Mary Scullion, Project H.O.M.E.
Pedro A. Ramos, City of Philadelphia

The Action Leadership Team provides corporate, judicial, non-profit, & community support for the Plan

Action Leadership Team

Purpose

Serves as a visible force behind the Ten-Year Plan, providing the support necessary to drive difficult tasks to completion.

Membership

Julia Danzy, Division of Social Services

Lynne Honickman, Honickman Foundation

Paul Levy, Center City District

Alba Martinez, United Way of SEPA

Honorable Louis J. Presenza, Phila. Municipal Court

Meeting Frequency

Approx. 3 times per year

First meeting tentatively planned for June 2006

The Mayor's Task Force to End Homelessness leads the collaborative effort to achieve Plan goals

Mayor's Task Force

Purpose

Coordinates the collaborative efforts of city agencies, service providers, advocates, area businesses, foundations, and residents towards a measurable and timely solution to homelessness in Philadelphia.

Membership

Pedro A. Ramos, City of Philadelphia

Sister Mary Scullion, Project H.O.M.E.

Representatives from the Office of Adult Services

Representatives from Service Provider Organizations

Representatives from City Agencies and the community

Meeting Frequency

Approx. 4 times per year

The Ten-Year Plan Project Manager coordinates the work necessary to meet Plan goals

Ten-Year Plan Project Manager

Purpose

Compiles and shapes the detailed project plan supporting the Ten-Year Plan, and coordinates meetings, fundraising efforts, and other awareness efforts regarding the Plan.

Project Manager

Cheryl Binswanger, Office of Adult Services

The Steering Committee provides support and acts as a sounding board for the Project Manager

Steering Committee

Purpose

Supports the Project Manager, assists the work groups, serves as a bridge between competing or conflicting interests, and interprets & implements guidance from the Chairpersons, Action Leadership Team, & Mayor's Task Force.

Membership

Cheryl Binswanger, Project Manager
Anne Marie Collins, Drueding Center/Project Rainbow
Michael Hinson, Office of the Mayor
Roberta Sharpe, Office of Adult Services
Ed Speedling, Project H.O.M.E.
Laura Weinbaum, Project H.O.M.E.

Meeting Frequency

Every other week

The Advisory Panel brings together work in support of each Plan goal, addressing cross-boundary challenges

Advisory Panel

Purpose

Provides a cohesive analysis and evaluation of Plan activities; a forum where the efforts of all work groups are viewed as a whole and cross-boundary issues are addressed and resolved.

Membership

Cheryl Binswanger, Project Manager

All Work Group Leaders

Sister Mary Scullion, Project H.O.M.E.

Others as needed to address specific issues/challenges

Meeting Frequency

Every 6-8 weeks

First meeting held on March 15, 2006

The Work Groups are responsible for defining and implementing the tasks necessary to support the Plan



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**Each Work Group will be co-led
by a City and a Private Sector
Representative**

The Center for Urban Community Services (CUCS) is currently working with the Housing and Intake & Shelter Work Groups (April – October 2006)



**Housing and Intake & Shelter Work Groups are rolled out;
Others will follow by end of June 2006**

The Housing Work Group is responsible for fulfilling the objectives of Goal 1 of the Ten-Year Plan

Housing

Purpose

A key objective in Goal 1 of the Plan is to recommend the mix of housing to ensure that all Philadelphians have a decent, safe, accessible, and affordable home. CUCS will work with the Housing Work Group on this objective.

Membership

TBD, Team Co-Leader
Martie Bernicker, PEC, Team Co-Leader
Anne Marie Collins, Project Rainbow
Nora Lichtash, WCRP
Ginnie Davidov, RHD
Alisa Orduna-Sneed, Partnership CDC
Walt Kubiak, 1260 Housing
Harriett Herman, 1260 Housing
Judie Gilmore, PA CDC
Rylanda Wilson, PHA
Abbie DuFrayne, HAP
Joan McConnon, Project H.O.M.E.
John Wagner, Catholic Social Services

The Intake & Shelter Work Group is responsible for fulfilling the objectives of Goal 7 of the Ten-Year Plan

Intake & Shelter

Purpose

Two key objectives in Goal 7 of the Plan are to make recommendations regarding shelter configuration and the intake process., as a part of making shelters a dignified place for emergency assistance, not a destination. CUCS will work with the Intake and Shelter Work Group on these objectives.

Membership

Leti Egea-Hinton, OESS, Co-Leader
Dave Dunbeck, Horizon House, Co-Leader
Gary Deckert, Salvation Army
Ed Speedling, Project H.O.M.E.
Sue Dichter, Bethesda Project
Michele Levy, HAP
Mary Ellen Graham, St. Vincent's
Deborah McMillan, PHMC
Rachel Falkove, NW Phila. Interfaith
Allison Moore, Valley Youth House
Arlene Bailey, OESS
Maxine Ohringer, OESS



All Work Groups have similar characteristics and provide the structure to address all objectives in the Ten-Year Plan



We will continue to drive the plan forward towards the goal to end homelessness by 2015

- All work groups and advisory teams up and running by 6/30/06
- A baseline tactical plan by 9/30/06



Questions?

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