

**MARION COUNTY REENTRY
INITIATIVE (MCRI)
TRANSITIONAL REENTRY
HOUSING PILOT PROGRAM**

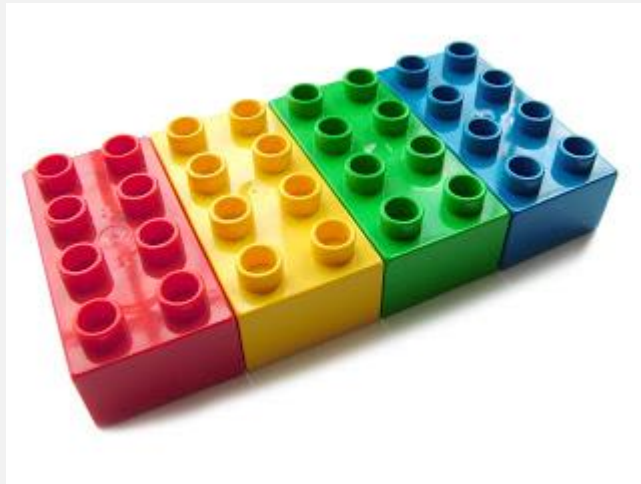
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The Marion County Reentry Initiative (MCRI), started in 2008, is a collaborative effort involving:

- community corrections
- education
- law enforcement
- health and non-profit community agencies

**A critical element
to achieve the
MCRI mission to
“rebuild lives”**



Transitional Service Supported Housing

The MCRI model is service supported housing and requires multi-discipline collaboration to serve the reentry population as they are housed initially on release and then provides permanent housing support via a tenant based voucher upon graduation from the program.



MCRI 2014 - 2015

With the leadership of Commissioner Carlson and Sheriff Myers a “transitional housing steering committee” has explored:

- development funding scenarios
- housing/service operating models
- various potential sites

MCRI transitional service supported housing model is inspired by the Sponsor's Inc. model in Lane County

- ✓ Residential model with direct on-site support services
- ✓ Housing developed in 2008 by HACSA (Lane County Housing Authority), funded by Oregon Housing and Community Services and is operated by Sponsors, Inc.
- ✓ Residents pay modest rent with general grants funding balance of building operating costs
- ✓ Services are funded by a combination service contracts, foundation grants, and/or donations.
- ✓ Sponsor's provides 24/7 staffing
- ✓ The housing consists of 2 two-story residential buildings, an administration building, a warehouse and a bike storage building.
- ✓ It is a residential model in with 45 studio units with common kitchens and community living space.

MCRI MODEL

- The MCRI transitional housing project is intended to:
 - initially be a small pilot program (12 units serving, 24 individuals)
 - leverage the support services of Marion County Parole & Probation (MCP&P) and the MCRI collaborative to serve the reentry population.
 - located on MCP&P, Aumsville Road Campus
 - residential design vs. institutional design
 - exploring modular construction
 - De Muniz Resource is located on the MCP&P campus

Development Funding

- ❖ The “steering committee” will be exploring funding options through Oregon Housing and Community Services (OHCS).
- ❖ Development costs and timelines will be developed within the next few months.
- ❖ A building operating budget will be created.
- ❖ An affordable rent structure will be created to support the transitional housing maintenance and utilities, etc.

Service Model Funding

- A comprehensive service program budget will be created.
- Long-term funding sources to sustain the services will be created.



Long-Term Housing

Upon certified successful residency and program participation, each resident will be given a Section 8 voucher and support to find permanent housing.

Q & A

