

**TACOMA (WA) LINKS
NATIONAL TRENDS AND SERVICES
COMMITTEE REPORT COVERING
March 25, 2023**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Stephanie Tisby (Chair), Gina Hatcher (Co-Chair), Connie Lassiter, Sharon Freeman, Pamela Jones - Hadley, Helen Henderson, Roz Woodhouse, Barbara Wesley, Alyce McNeil

Homeless Initiative

• **EVENTS**

- Project with the Power of Two on Saturday, February 25, 2023 at the First United Methodist Church in Tacoma was a success. NTS will be provided fruit, cookies, stickers, and bags for Heart Health Month.
- NTS will also be collecting items to make small hygiene kits for the homeless. We are asking members to keep them in their car. Please feel free to pass kits out to the homeless that you may come in contact within your community. NTS participated in Western Area's – Helping Hearts Project.
- NTS will be donating \$150.00 to the Tacoma Pierce County Black Collective for Black History Month. We will help provide spices for their "Taste of History" event.
- NTS donated a \$100.00 check to Services to Youth – Coffee Oasis Youth Shelter Project for the month of March.

Respectfully Submitted by Stephanie Tisby, National Trends and Services Chair, on March 15, 2023