SLIR Meeting Follow Up: Utah Area Corrections Council Request for help

**SLIR INFO**  **From:**info@interfaithroundtable.net

Dear Interfaith Friends,

Following a delicious lunch on Wednesday, January 17 at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Conference Center, we heard a  very enlightening message from Elder Ross Workman.

At our request, Elder Workman sent a summary of the ways the SLIR membership can aid in the transitioning of qualified inmates from incarceration to newly acquired freedom.

All successful transition plans require a sure connection on the outside of Prison/Jail with the following essential needs:

* + Housing (short term)
  + Clothing
  + Food
  + Transportation
  + Employment
  + Communication (e.g. cell phone)
  + Health Services

Also important:  Church, Religious, or Social/Counselling Affiliation

* + Identification and contact information
  + Confirmation of willingness to accept and support released inmates.

He has attached a blank template in XL form which can be used to report transition resources. These resources can be sent via email to [workmanhr1@ChurchofJesusChrist.org](mailto:workmanhr1@ChurchofJesusChrist.org) or such other address as he may later communicate to you.

We are very grateful to the Church of Jesus Christ Latter-day Saints for hosting us and to Elder Ross Workman for his insightful presentation.

We hope that you will take the time to look around your faith's property to determine what resources are nearby and respond to Elder Workman using the attached template as indicated above.

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