

HOMELESS SERVICES UPDATE

HOUSING IS NOT HOMELESS

SEPTEMBER 27, 2016

CONNECTING THE COMMUNITY

- An individual's health is greatly influenced by the social and economic conditions in which they live, work, and play. Safety-net populations often experience a multitude of physical and behavioral health issues stemming from or amplified by psychosocial challenges such as housing instability, unemployment, and food insecurity, which influence access to care and health outcomes.
- There is a growing interest in better coordinating social services, behavioral health, health services, and public health in the safety net to create models of "wholeperson care," recognizing that vulnerable individuals often have unmet needs spanning multiple systems.

HOUSING FIRST

- An immediate and primary focus on helping individuals and families quickly access and sustain permanent housing.
- A focused strategy on supporting individuals and families to stay in housing and access health, education, and employment services.
- Need for a comprehensive housing plan to increase the low-income housing inventory.



HOMELESS SERVICE UPDATE

- Homeless Services Update and Board of Supervisors Review –Brent Barnes/Jim Rydingsword/Enrique Arreola
 - 1. 2016/17 Winter Shelter Program
 - 2. 2016/17 Warming Shelter
 - 3. HUD Helping Hands Program
 - 4. CalWORKs Housing Support Program
 - 5. Community Services Center
 - a) 2014 CDBG Grant State Review Update
 - b) ESG Grant Application-Funded
 - c) 2016 CDBG Grant Application Grant
 - d) AHEAD Grant- Denied
 - 6. CDBG Over The Counter Grant-Denied
 - 7. CMSP Pilot Project



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2016/17 Warming Shelter

- Seek BOS Approval October 25, 2016
- December 3, 2016 March 31, 2017
- 5:00 p.m. to 8 a.m.
- 40 beds available (10 rooms with 4 beds each)
- Security provided for the entire duration of the program
- Security check-in measures enforced at all time
- 3 meals provided daily: Hot Dinner, continental style breakfast and sandwich lunch
- Transportation Provided with several pick-up and drop off points
- Supportive Services
- Guest Speakers
- Activities throughout the week

NEED to HIRE STAFF ASAP



WHOLE PERSON CARE CONNECTING THE COMMUNITY

Homeless Community
At Risk of Homelessness
High Community Service Users

Second Round of Funding Application Release – November 2016



SAN BENITO COUNTY WHOLE PERSON CARE

Individual Assessment Interagency Navigation Team Interdisciplinary Multidisciplinary Teams

> Navigation Team Navigation Case Managers Navigation Advocates Data Coordinator

> > Multidisciplinary Team



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- Multi-stream Recycle Center
- Food Processing Center
- Food Preparation/Management Center
- Home Services Training Center
- Entrepreneurship Training



LOW INCOME HOUSING DEVELOPMENT

No Place Like Home

- This adopted initiative seeks to repurpose monies from Proposition 63, the 2004 Mental Health Services Act, into a \$2 billion bond to construct permanent, supportive housing for, specifically, chronically homeless persons with mental illness.
- Meeting with Housing Authority
 - Project Based Housing Vouchers
 - Prioritization of Housing Vouchers
 - Housing Authority Managed Housing
- New Self-Help Units on Southside Property
- Available Hollister Homes
- CHISPA Buena Vista Project
- CSDC Mobile Home Family Units





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