

HOMELESS POLICY DEPUTIES MEETING AGENDA

MEETING PARTICIPANTS AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WILL NEED TO CALL INTO THE MEETING

Date: Thursday, October 12, 2023
Time: 2:00 PM
Microsoft Teams Link: [Click here to join the meeting](#)
Teleconference Number: [+1 323-776-6996,,214215956#](#)

	AGENDA ITEM	LEAD
I.	Welcome and Introductions	Ivan Sulic, Fourth District
II.	Homelessness Emergency Response Update	Cheri Todoroff, Executive Director, CEO-HI Carter Hewgley, Senior Manager, CEO-HI
III.	Annual Funding Recommendation Process FY 24-25	Cheri Todoroff, Executive Director, CEO-HI Andrea Ilouljian, Senior Manager, CEO-HI
I.	US Interagency Council on Homelessness Update on All Inside Initiative	Helene Schneider, Senior Regional Advisor, US ICH Matthew Davis, Federal Team Lead for All Inside: Los Angeles
IV.	Items Recommended for Future Discussion	
V.	Public Comment*	

* Public Comment is limited to one minute. Those interested in speaking should raise their hand on Microsoft Teams and unmute once called upon by the Chair. Those on their phones should press *5 to raise their hand and *6 to unmute.

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LA County Homelessness Emergency Response Update



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Homekey 3.0 Award

- State granted \$34.6 million of Homekey 3.0 to convert a hotel in in Baldwin Park into 107 studio apartments for PEH or at risk of homelessness
- Board of Supervisors committed \$16 million to meet the “local match”
- Measure H will be utilized for supportive services at the site,
- The City of Baldwin Park plans to use its allotment of federal project-based vouchers to provide rental subsidies at several units
- LA County in partnership with L.A. Care and Health Net will support the use of tenant-based vouchers at this site





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Countywide Encampment Resolution Update

Pathway Home: Dawn



What's next for Pathway Home?


Service Connection Events:

- ☐ City of Los Angeles (SD3) (10/26)

Resolutions in the Planning Process:

- ☐ Tropical Storm Hilary Evacuees (SD1)
- ☐ City of Pomona (SD1)
- ☐ City of Hawthorne (SD2)
- ☐ Unincorporated West Rancho Dominguez/East Gardena (SD2)
- ☐ City of Compton (SD2)
- ☐ City of Santa Monica (SD3)
- ☐ City of Lynwood (SD4)
- ☐ City of Lancaster (SD5)
- ☐ Metro Partnership

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Pathway Home

A Los Angeles County-led Partnership for Encampment Resolution

Leveraging powers under the state of emergency on homelessness declared by the Board of Supervisors in January 2023, Los Angeles County has launched **Pathway Home**, a major expansion of its ongoing efforts to resolve encampments countywide, including recreational vehicles, in partnership with local jurisdictions and unincorporated communities.


With Pathway Home, the County will reduce unsheltered homelessness in specific communities by helping people living on the streets come indoors, receive supportive services they need to achieve housing stability, and ultimately move into permanent housing.

Latest News




AUGUST 30, 2023

Pathway Home participants connect with County services



AUGUST 29, 2023

Pathway Home Resolves East Gardena RV Encampment



AUGUST 16, 2023

New "Pathway Home" Program for Encampments

Support for Inside Safe

Phase	Status (28 Total Operations)	County Support Includes
Planning	<u>10 operations we are collaboratively planning:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 operations in SD1 (one in OCT, one in NOV) 2 operations in SD2 in (one in OCT, one in DEC) 1 operation in SD3 (NOV) 1 joint operation in SD4 (NOV) 1 operation with no date in SD5 1 operation in SD2 & SD3 (DEC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coordination and Planning Support from CEO-HI Jurisdictional Mapping support from DPW Outreach/Engagement Support from DHS's MDT Teams Collaborative resource-sharing conversations when encampment is split across jurisdictional boundaries
Response	<u>1 operation this week in SD1 and SD2:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Encampment Zones <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shatto Recreation Center Lafayette Park Virgil Middle School Oakwood & Silver Lake Blvd PATH is the Interim Housing Provider 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MDT Teams are often the lead Outreach providers for the operation MDT teams do harm reduction and overdose reversals if needed Measure H Funded Providers are usually the leads for interim housing DMH, DHS, and DPH are always on standby for unmet needs where HOME teams or Mobile Clinics may be requested by the MDT team DPW does debris and property removal when County property is involved
Stabilization	<u>27 operations in the stabilization phase:</u> <p>SD1: 3 Operations (175-211 days in)</p> <p>SD2: 9 Operations (76-254 days in)</p> <p>SD3: 11 Operations (8-281 days in)</p> <p>SD4: 1 Operation (133 days in)</p> <p>SD5: 3 Operations (216-295 days in)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DHS mobile clinic can visit motels to ensure continuity and connection to care Interim Housing Step-by-Step Guide Guide to Accessing County Services for Inside Safe sites (DRAFT) Deploying Interim Housing Support teams as available/requested Connecting residents to mainstream benefits Participating in Service Connection Events Collaborating with interim provider on referrals to higher levels of care
Mitigation	<p>6 Service Connection Events Held, 1 being planned</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 focused on Inside Safe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MDT teams continue to conduct outreach at targeted sites to engage residents and get them into care and safety The County may install fencing in flood control and fire danger zones



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Pathway Home Service Connection Events

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4 Previous Connect Day Events – State Coordinated

- 4 mobile connect events hosted in collaboration with the State and Inside Safe throughout April and May. Included services from:
 - CEO HI, DMB, SSA, DPSS and RR/CC

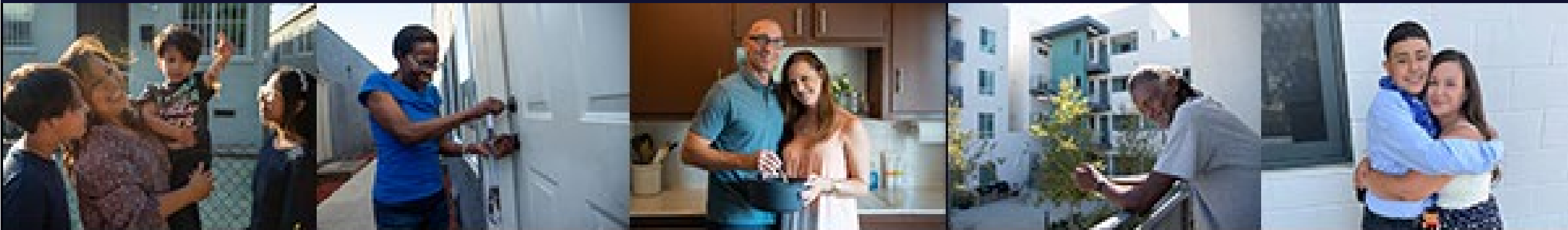
6 Service Connection Events – County Coordinated

- July 13th with LAFH for the Pacoima Wash Inside Safe operation
- August 11th with HOPICS for multiple Inside Safe operations
- August 23rd with PATH for Pathway Home unincorporated Lennox/Inglewood/Hawthorne operation
- September 6th with TPC for Inside Safe Selma/Schrader operation
- September 20th with SJC for the West Rancho Dominguez Pathway Home operation.
- October 5th with Hope the Mission for Inside Safe Aetna & Wyandotte operations

Pathway Home Service Connection Events



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Annual Funding Recommendations FY 24-25

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Agenda

1. Review and Reflections from FY2023-24
2. Considerations for FY2024-25
3. Timeline & Next Steps





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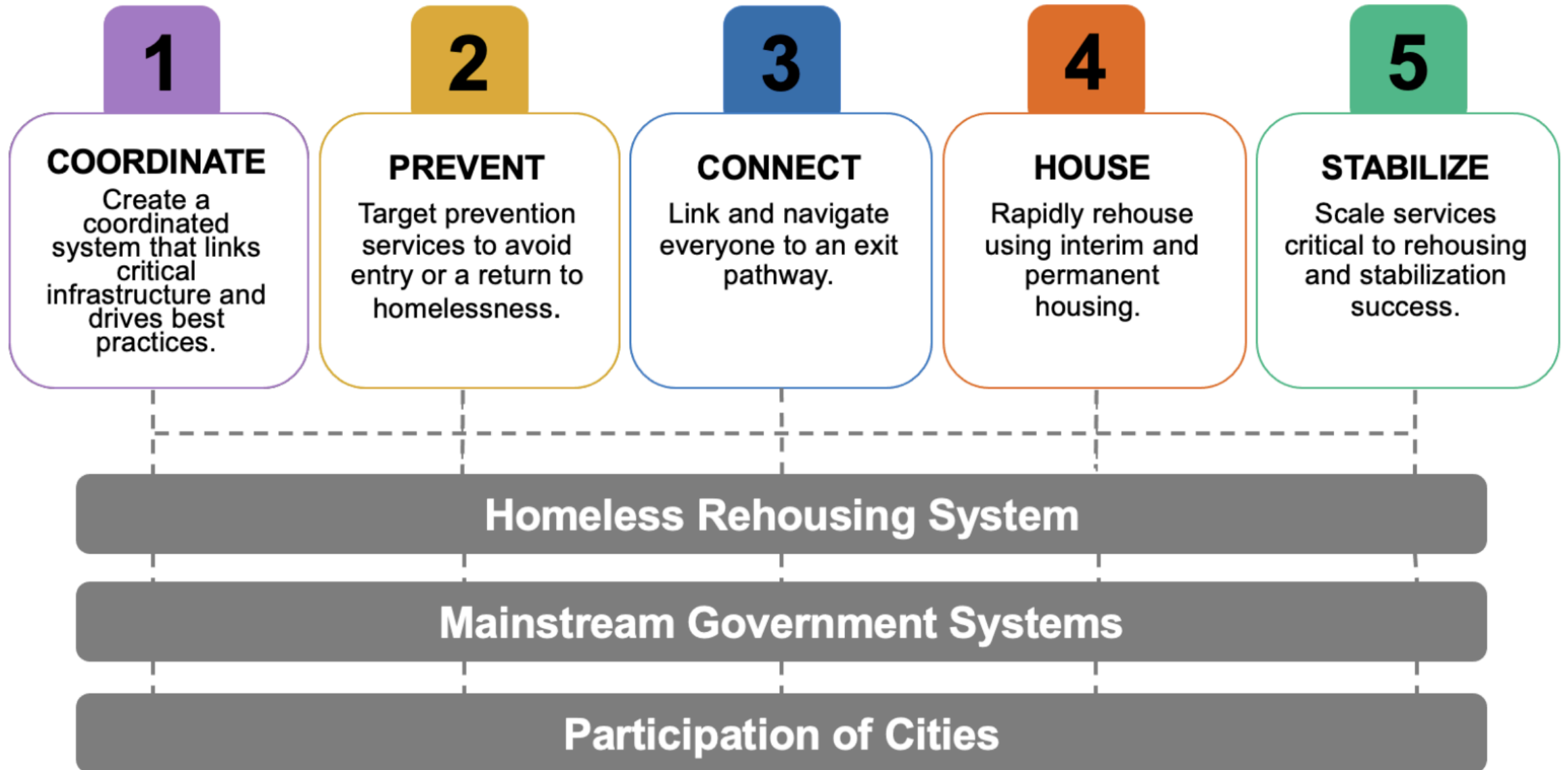
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Annual Funding Recommendations: Review and Reflections from FY2023-24

Funding Recommendation Reflections from FY23-24

1. Last year was the first year of budgeting in the ***New Framework***.
2. Community/Stakeholder Engagement sessions provided us ***with list of high priority areas*** for funding opportunities, one-time investments and ways County departments can leverage other resources to respond directly to those priorities.
3. LA County declared a State of Emergency on Homelessness on January 10, 2023, with a focus on three missions:
 - Encampment Resolution
 - Housing
 - Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Services

New Framework



Funding and Implementation Decisions Should Be...

- Based on the **New Framework Principles**:
 - Respond, at scale, to the **persistently underserved**
 - **Consolidate** rehousing system strategies, and **streamline** program models and practice standards
 - Increase **exits to permanent housing**
 - Advance racial equity, and integrate input of people with lived expertise
- **Data-driven**
- Focused on supporting programs that have demonstrated the **greatest impact** in moving principles forward
- **Performance should be measured** accurately and consistently, and **course corrections** based on analysis of outcomes should be implemented swiftly

Stakeholder and Community Engagement: Feedback and Highlighted Priorities

Outreach

- Increased HOME and MDT teams to support clients with complex health and/or behavioral health conditions
- Scaled up encampment resolution through Pathway Home and Inside Safe
- Increased housing navigation and Time-Limited Subsidies aligned with outreach efforts

Stakeholder and Community Engagement: Feedback and Highlighted Priorities

Interim Housing

- Interim Housing Outreach Program (IHOP) teams who will provide specialty mental health assessments, case management, crisis intervention, medication support, peer support and other rehabilitative services
- Increased alignment of housing navigation resources with interim housing
- Interim housing cost analysis will be released soon

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Permanent Housing

- CalAIM Community Supports - Personal Care and Homemaker Services
- Increased master leasing to increase the number of units
- ICMS cost analysis is underway

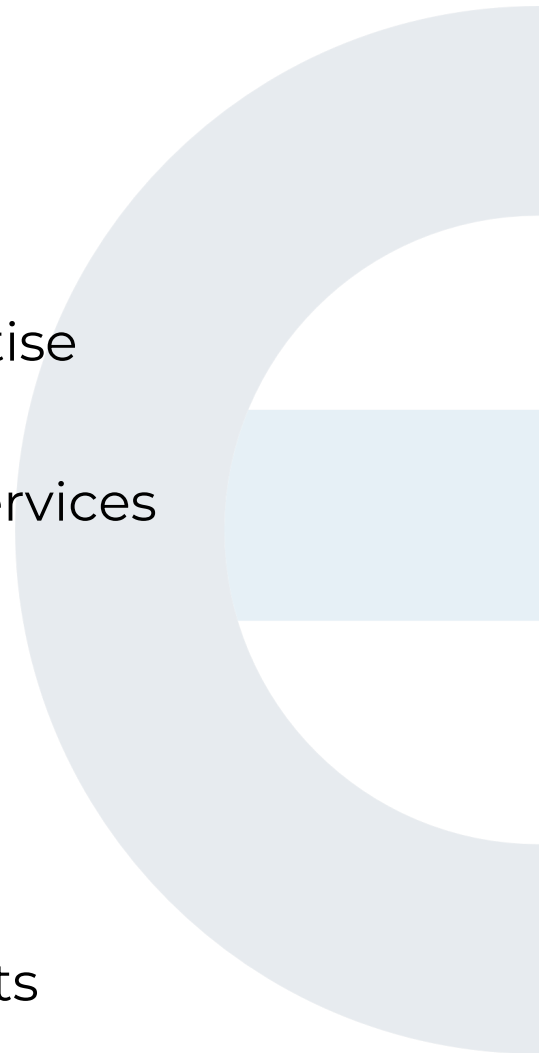


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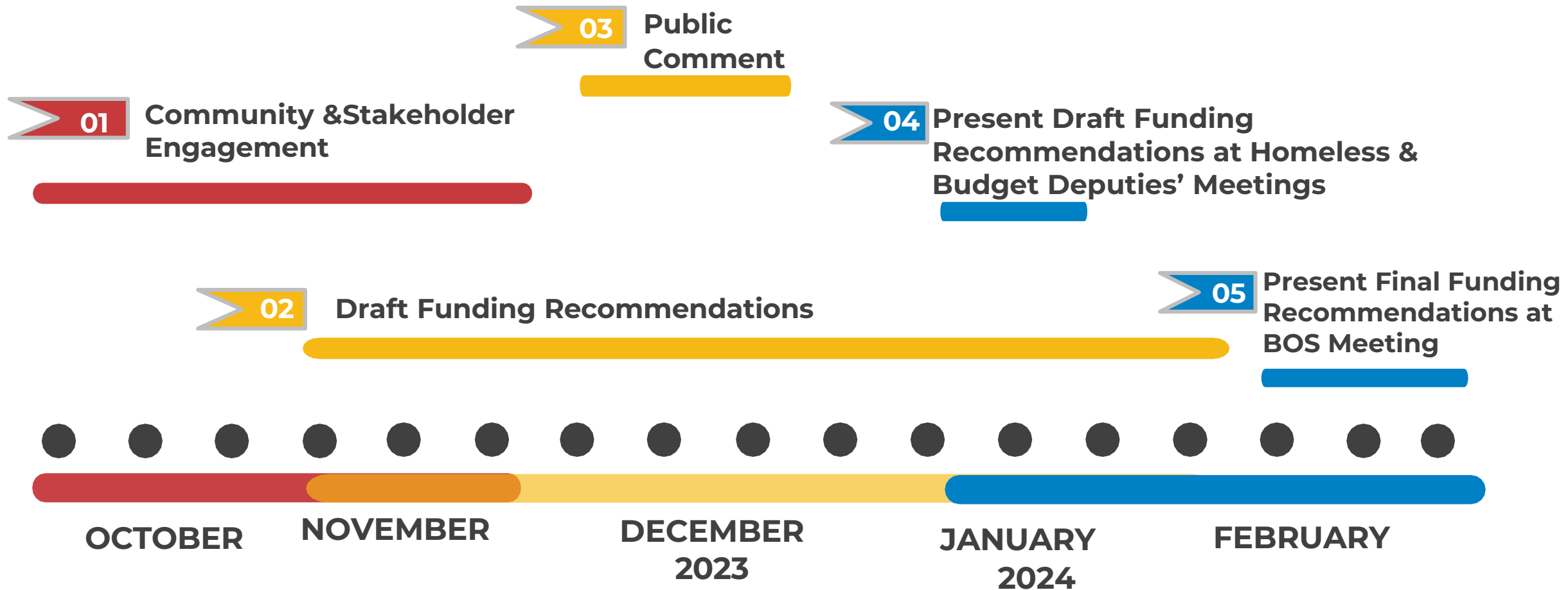
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Annual Funding Recommendations: Timeline and Next Steps

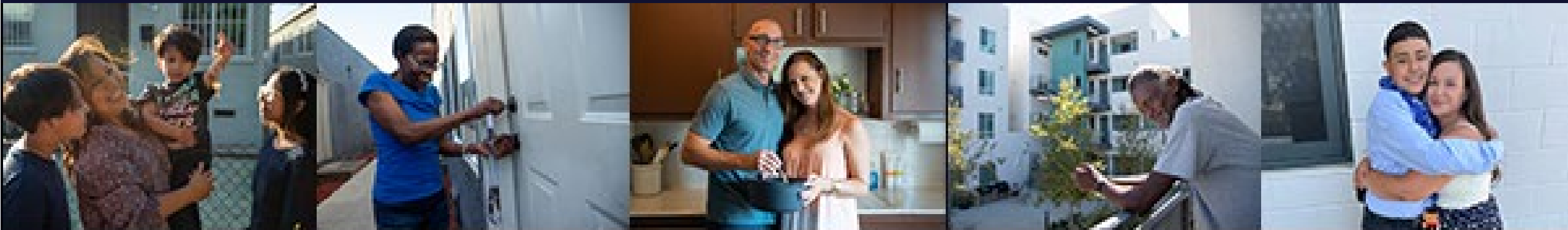
Funding Recommendations FY24-25: Considerations

1. Emergency Declaration on Homelessness
 - Eviction Prevention added as 4th mission as of October 3, 2023)
 2. Advance racial equity, and integrate input of people with lived expertise
 3. Cost Studies on Interim Housing and Intensive Case Management Services
 4. System Shifts in the Current Fiscal Year
 - CES matching
 - Increasing role of TLS and Housing Navigation
 - Increased role of outreach teams with encampment resolution
 - Ongoing emphasis on System Flow and Permanent Housing Exits
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Annual Funding Recommendations: Timeline



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How USICH Coordinates the Federal Response

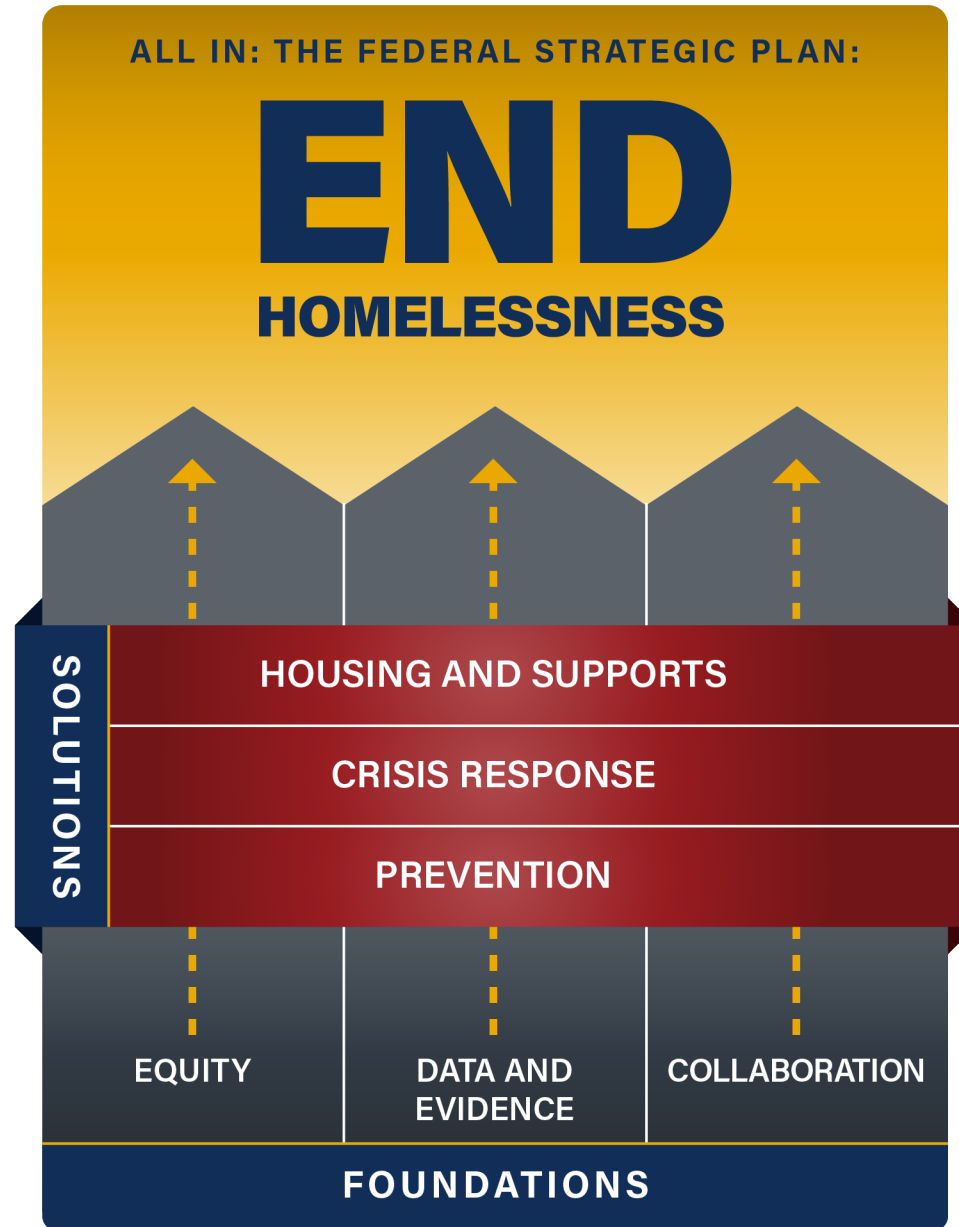
- The Council
- Council Policy Group
- Interagency Working Groups
- Performance Measurement & Accountability





U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness







ALL INSIDE



All INside: Los Angeles Priorities

1. Expediting application processes for resources (e.g., presumptive eligibility waiver)
2. Ensuring full use of existing resources, such as Emergency Housing Vouchers or HUD-VASH.
3. Advising on coordinated entry system.
4. Unsticking bureaucracy and regulatory flexibility to expedite federal reimbursement.
5. Supporting local efforts to advance coordination.

Federal Update: All INside: Los Angeles

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