



# Board of Supervisors Homelessness & Housing Cluster Agenda Review Meeting

**DATE:** February 12, 2026

**TIME:** 2:00PM – 4:00PM

**MEETING CHAIR:** Daniella Urbina, First District

**MEETING FACILITATORS:** Kristen Aster and Jillian Sadler, Department of Homeless Services and Housing

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Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
500 West Temple Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
Room 374-A

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**I. Call to Order**

**II. Board Motion(s):**

a. None.

**III. Board Letter(s):**

a. None.

**IV. Presentation/Discussion Item(s):**

a. Healing Survival: Arts-Based Strategies for Softening and Solving Collective Struggles

Presenters:

- Kim Glann, Sr. Manager, Cross Sector Initiatives, Los Angeles County Department of Arts and Culture
- Lane Stanley, Artist-in-Residence, Los Angeles County Homeless Initiative (2024-25)

b. Updates on Regional Partnerships and the Local Solutions Fund Investments

Presenters:

- Onnie Williams, Manager, Municipal Relations & Local Solutions, Department of Homeless Services and Housing
- Clifton Trotter, Principle Analyst, Municipal Relations & Local Solutions, Department of Homeless Services and Housing
- Marco Santana, Principle Analyst, Municipal Relations & Local Solutions, Department of Homeless Services and Housing
- Tracy K. Sullivan, Community Preservation Manager, City of Santa Clarita
- Arlene Salazar, Director of Police Services, City of Santa Fe Springs
- Manuel Carillo Jr., Chief Executive Officer, City of Baldwin Park

**V. Informational Item(s) (Any Informational Item is subject to discussion and/or presentation at the request of two or more Board offices):**

- a. None.

**VI. Consent Item(s)**

- a. None.

**VII. Closed Session**

- a. None.

**VIII. Future Agenda Item(s)**

**IX. Public Comment**

**X. Adjournment**

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# TOOLKIT: HEALING SURVIVAL

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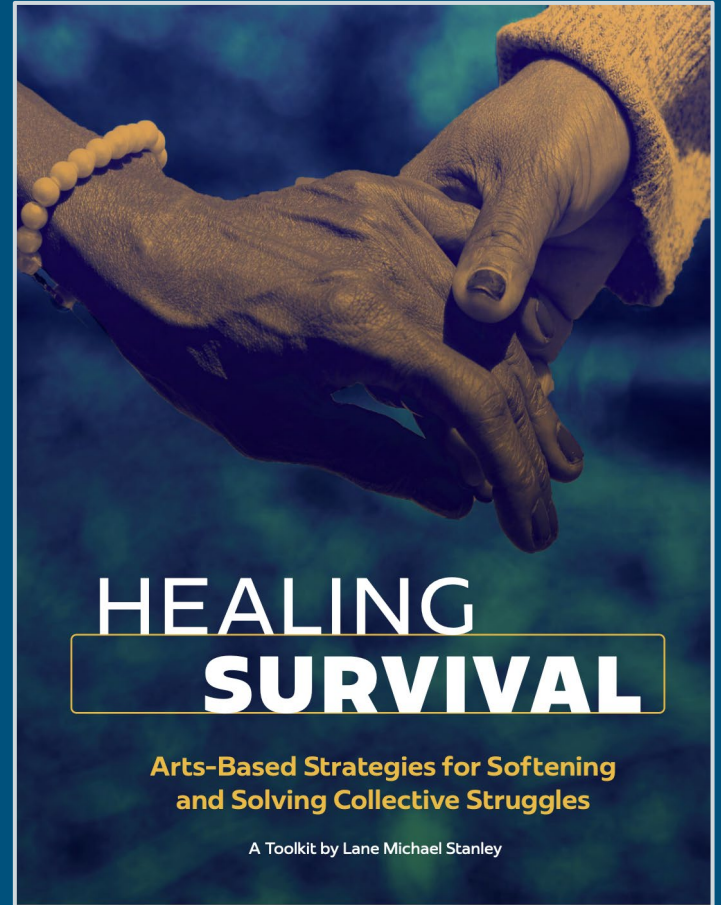
Training for Los Angeles County  
February 12, 2026



# Toolkit Background

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- 11-month Artist Residency
- Engagements:
  - Homeless Initiative
  - HOPICS
  - LAHSA
  - Sheriff's HOST team
  - East Gardena Neighborhood Association
  - Pathway Home participants
  - Supervisor Mitchell's Office
- Research to discover primary needs of stakeholders
- Recommendations geared toward specific audiences



# Arts & Community Engagement

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- Improve empathy and understanding
- Develop willingness and ability to listen
- Facilitate transparent communication
- Allow for productive dialogues
- Promote ability to take on transformative healing work
- Build collective power and envision new solutions

# Understanding the Toolkit

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- Four Audiences
  - County Officials
  - Frontline & Outreach Workers
  - People Experiencing Homelessness
  - Impacted Communities
- Overviews of key challenges
- Strategies with a range of commitments
- “Menu” concept of implementation

# Opportunities for Arts Intervention

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- Introductory trainings for targeted audiences
- Workshop series focusing on specific goals
  - Community meetings workshop series
  - Enhancing vulnerability or listening series
- Additional Resources
  - How to Be Successful in Housing

Thank You!



**HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING CLUSTER**

# **Updates on Regional Partnerships and the Local Solutions Fund Investments**

**February 12, 2026**



# Agenda

- Part 1: Regional Partnership and Shared Contribution
- Part 2: Measure A Alignment and FY 25-26 LSF Investments
  - Santa Fe Springs, Santa Clarita, Baldwin Park
- Part 3: FY 26-27 LSF Enhancements

# Part 1: Regional Partnership and Shared Contribution

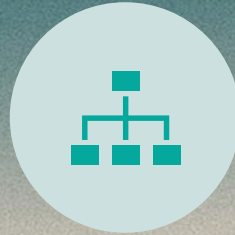
# Why Regional Partnership Matters



**HOMELESSNESS IS A REGIONAL CHALLENGE THAT CROSSES JURISDICTIONAL BOUNDARIES**



**NO SINGLE JURISDICTION CAN ACHIEVE MEASURE A GOALS ALONE**



**PROGRESS DEPENDS ON SHARED RESPONSIBILITY, COORDINATION, AND ALIGNMENT**



**MEASURE A ESTABLISHES A COUNTYWIDE REGIONAL FRAMEWORK WHILE ENABLING LOCAL SOLUTIONS**



**LA COUNTY  
Homeless  
Services  
& Housing**

# Local Solutions Fund: A Shared Contribution Model



**Aligns local investments with County Measure A goals and metrics**



**Supports sub-regional coordination through Councils of Governments (COGs)**



**Enables place-based strategies tailored to local conditions**



**Functions as a local and regional implementation tool**

# Part 2: Measure A Alignment and FY 25-26 LSF Investments

# LSF Allocation Structure

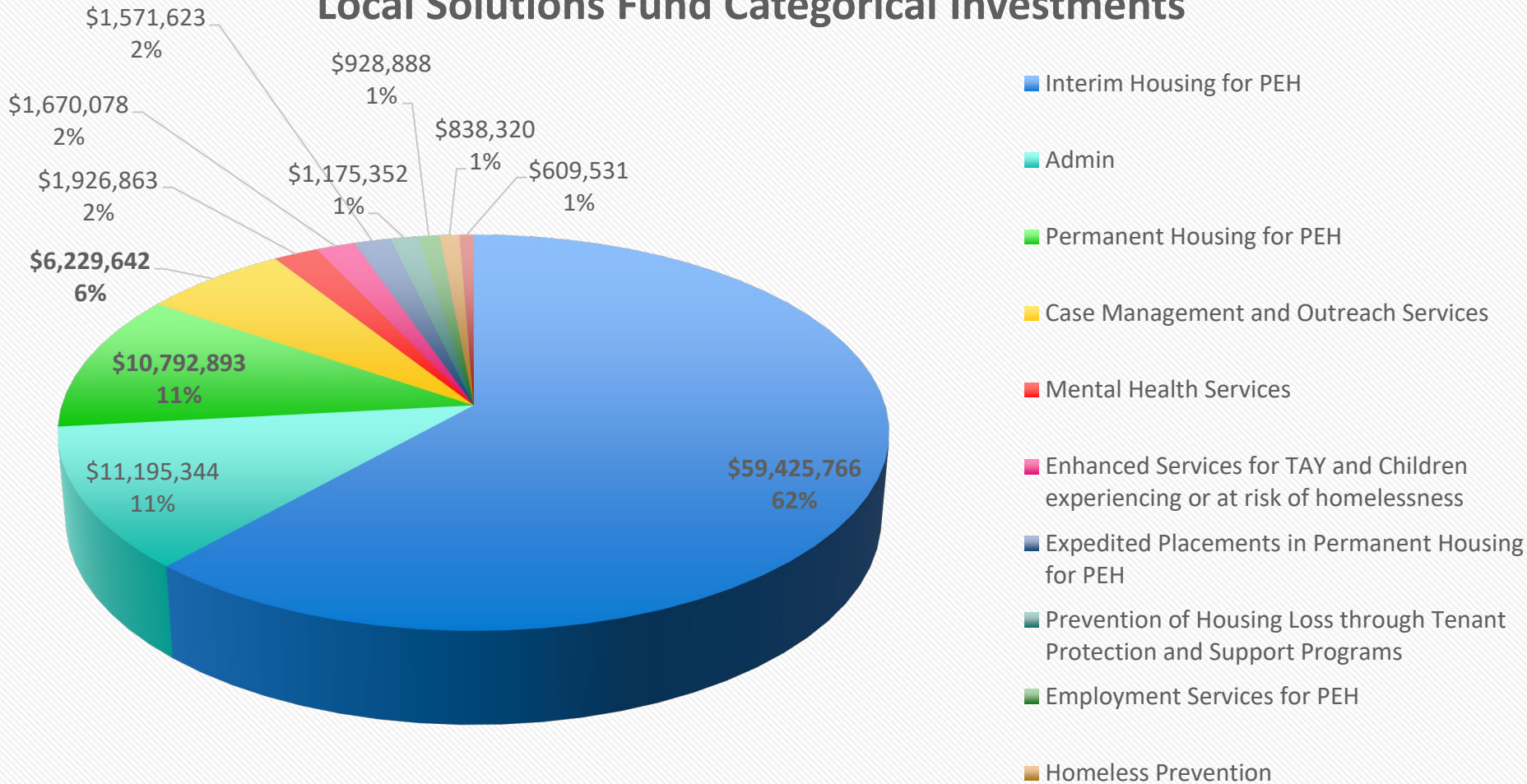
## Bringing the FY 25-26 LSF to Life: Overview

In FY 25-26, the LSF distributes \$96,363,000 annually across County jurisdictions. This figure represents at least 15% of Measure A's Comprehensive Homelessness Services funding.

The LA County Department of Homeless Services and Housing serves as the central disbursement authority, channeling funds to cities and COGs according to the adopted formula. While participating jurisdictions must adhere to Measure A requirements, they retain the autonomy to decline funding if they wish to avoid the associated conditions.

How Much?	Which jurisdictions can benefit?	Who is it disbursed to?
<b>15%</b> Minimum Portion of Measure A Comprehensive Homeless Services Budget <b>\$96.3M</b> Annual LSF Allocation for FY 2025-2026	<b>88</b> Eligible Cities in LA County <b>~120+</b> Eligible Unincorporated Area Communities	<b>28</b> Total Direct Agreements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 18 Direct contracts with cities</li><li>• 5 contracts with Councils of Government</li><li>• 5 Unincorporated Areas</li></ul>

# Local Solutions Fund Categorical Investments



# LSF Process & Programming

## City Perspective

- **Collaboration:** Responsive and supportive partnership with the LSF team, including timely guidance during program start-up as a newer partner.
- **Communication:** Clear and timely communication regarding reporting requirements, timelines, and process steps.
- **Tools & Guidance:** LSF templates, Eligible Use documents, and FAQs were helpful in supporting compliance and consistent reporting.
- **Programming Impact:** LSF-funded staffing increased City capacity for outreach, housing navigation, and case management, improving service delivery and client experience.
- **HMIS Utilization:** HMIS is used for referrals, tracking, case notes and KPI monitoring following successful onboarding and access coordination.



# Local Partnership & Coordination

## Partnership Meetings:

Hosting monthly Partnership for Progress meeting supports shared objectives and coordinated outreach.

## Collaborative Efforts:

Strong collaboration and resource-sharing with partners including PATH, Jovenes, DMH, AJCC, Pacific Clinics, LACADA, and Salvation Army.

## Planning & Coordination:

Partners coordinate on outreach, referrals, housing navigation, and service integration to improve client flow and reduce duplication.



# Success Stories & LSF Impact

## Housing Outcomes:

4 participants successfully housed and 10 enrolled in case management during the last two quarters.

## Service Coordination:

Housing navigation resulted in 6 referrals, with 4 permanent housing placements.

## Supportive Connections:

Clients connected to County-funded behavioral health services, employment readiness, veteran services, and interim housing.

## Overall Impact:

LSF funding has strengthened local capacity, partnerships, and outcomes while maintaining fiscal accountability and alignment with Measure A goals.





# City of Santa Clarita

## Local Solutions Funds

Presented by:

Tracy Sullivan, Community Preservation Manager

# Historical LSF Utilization - Measure H



## Family Promise Facility

- Opened Doors November 2024
- Four Affordable Housing Units
- One Emergency Overnight Unit
- 2,700 sq. ft. Resource Center

## Santa Clarita Community Task Force on Homelessness Intern



# FY 2025-26 Measure A

City of Santa Clarita LSF Allocation  
\$476,145

Family Promise  
\$225,337



Task Force on Homelessness  
Intern  
\$25,471



Bridge to Home  
\$225,337



# FY 2025-26 Progress Report

## Interim Housing - Bridge to Home

Project KPI 1: Number of PEH placed in interim housing

Goal: 13

Actual (Q2): 5

Project KPI 2: Number of PEH placed in PH

Goal: 8

Actual (Q2): 1

## Housing Navigator - Bridge to Home

Project KPI 1: Number of PEH who actively participate in housing navigation

Goal: 65

Actual (Q2): 21

Project KPI 2: Number of PEH placed into PH

Goal: 40

Actual (Q2): 5

## Financial Assistance - Family Promise

Project KPI 1: Number of households assisted with financial support

Goal: 40

Actual (Q2): 50

Project KPI 2: Number of households stabilized for a period of at least 3 months

Goal: 25

Actual (Q2): 5



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# City of Baldwin Park Local Solution Funding

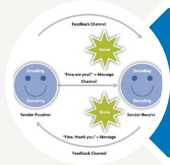
- The County LSF team has been highly responsive, engaged, and collaborative. Communication has been clear, timely, and reliable.
- Provided consistent leadership and guidance, technical assistance, and problem-solving support.
- Operates as a true partner, with a strong sense of team effort working alongside our team enabling efficient decision-making and program implementation toward shared goals and mutual accountability.

# Program Impact

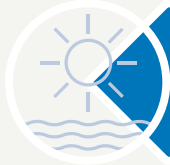
- LSF plays a critical role in Baldwin Park's award-winning homelessness reduction initiative.
- Partnership has contributed to an 80% reduction in homelessness in Baldwin Park since 2020, supporting broader efforts that have also driven significant reductions across Los Angeles County.
- Supports the San Gabriel Valley's first interim housing facility designed for families and individual experiencing homelessness.
- Funds contribute toward 16 private units for individuals and 25 units for families. Without LSF, units would be in jeopardy.

# Part 3: FY 26-27 LSF Enhancements

# Lessons Learned from FY 2025–26



**Feedback from our jurisdictions and Board Offices reinforced intentional year-round engagement**



**Early technical assistance supports timely agreement execution**



**Clear eligible and recommended use guidance improves alignment with Measure A goals**



**Mutual commitment and engagement is critical to achieving goals**

# Enhancements – FY 2026–27



Earlier release of allocations and guidance



Expanded regional coordination, peer learning, and feedback loops



Enhanced performance tracking and outcome reporting



Continued refinement of implementation processes and tools

# Municipal Relations Team – Support

*Clear communication*

Early collaboration

Hands-on technical assistance including workshops

Redesigned guidance

*Earlier budget programming*

Recommended Strategic Uses of LSF

Quarterly progress and implementation meetings

Invoicing support

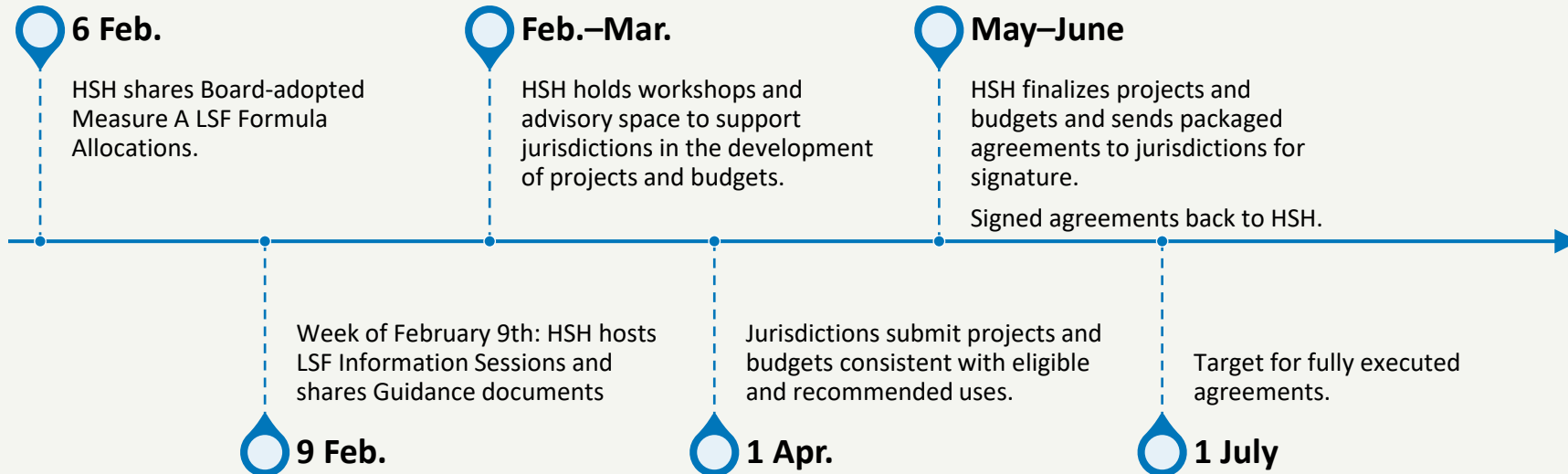
Flexible amendments as needed

Ongoing advisory support to maximize the LSF toward Measure A goals

# Timeline of Shared Goal

**\$96.9M**

Annual LSF Allocation  
for FY 2026-2027



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**Thank You**