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New "Mark Twain" Housing Site Offers Comprehensive Support for Adult and Transitional Age Youth

Los Angeles, CA – September 13, 2023 – APAIT/SSG, the LA County Department of Mental Health, and Hollywood 4WRD are proud to announce the opening of a transformative housing site, The Mark Twain, designed to provide vital interim housing and support services for adult and transitional age youth experiencing homelessness. This innovative facility offers a comprehensive range of resources aimed at addressing the specific needs of this vulnerable population. The Mark Twain is committed to making a meaningful impact on the lives of those it serves by offering a multifaceted approach to tackling homelessness and fostering self-sufficiency. Key services provided include:

- **Case Management**
- **Benefits Assistance**
- **Employment Assistance Program**
- **Vocational Training Referrals**
- **Life Skills Workshops**
- **Education Pathway Linkage**
- **Transportation Assistance**
- **Mental Health Rehabilitation**
- **One-on-One Therapy**
- **Recovery Support Groups**
- **Wellness & Healing Arts**
- **Psychiatry and Medical Support**

The Mark Twain is dedicated to meeting residents' basic needs by providing three meals a day and ensuring 24/7 security and live-in building management. This housing site marks a significant step forward in addressing homelessness in Los Angeles County and offers a genuine opportunity for adult and transitional age youth to achieve stability and self-sufficiency.

The grand opening of "The Mark Twain" will be held on **September 18, 9 AM at 1622 Wilcox Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90028**. We invite members of the media, community leaders, and concerned citizens to join us in celebrating this important milestone in our community's ongoing efforts to combat homelessness. Confirmed distinguished speakers include the Honorable Supervisor Lindsay P. Horvath, LA County 3rd Supervisorial District, and the Honorable Hugo Soto-Martinez, LA City 13th Council District.

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