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2019-2020 HUD Action Plan and HOME Sonoma County Awards



Geographic and Social Equity Framework

- Low-income and communities of color face unique barriers to finding decent and safe housing
- Recent disasters and unprecedented housing prices have contributed to a growing population of people experiencing homelessness
 - Renters were disproportionately impacted by the fires



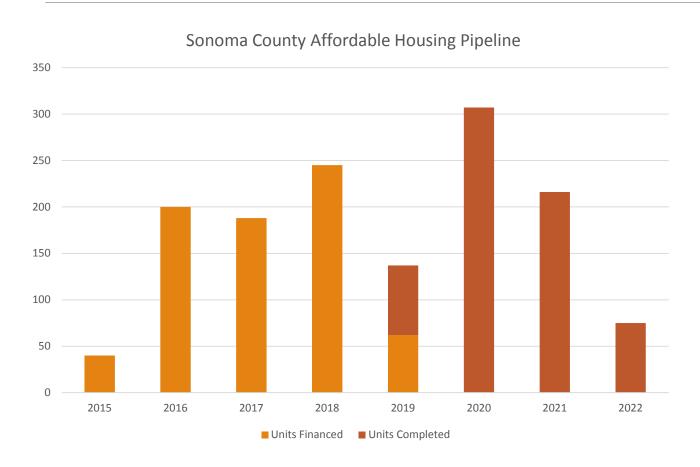


Strategic Investments in Social Equity through Housing Services, Construction and Preservation

The FY 2019-2020 Awards are part of a larger set of investments that:

- ☐ Fuel the affordable housing production pipeline
- Invest in existing housing and infrastructure
- ☐ Support the homeless system of care

Can't Solve Homelessness without Housing – Unit Production



- 735 affordable units currently in the pipeline
- Represents an investment of \$25 million in local funds (Cities and County)
- Every \$1 in local investment leverages \$11 in other state, federal and private financing





Priority Setting

Lens: Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing in All Program Areas

- ☐ Housing and Neighborhood Investments
- ☐ Ending Homelessness
- Rental Assistance

Housing and Neighborhood Investments Anticipated Outcomes











Rental Assistance Anticipated Outcomes

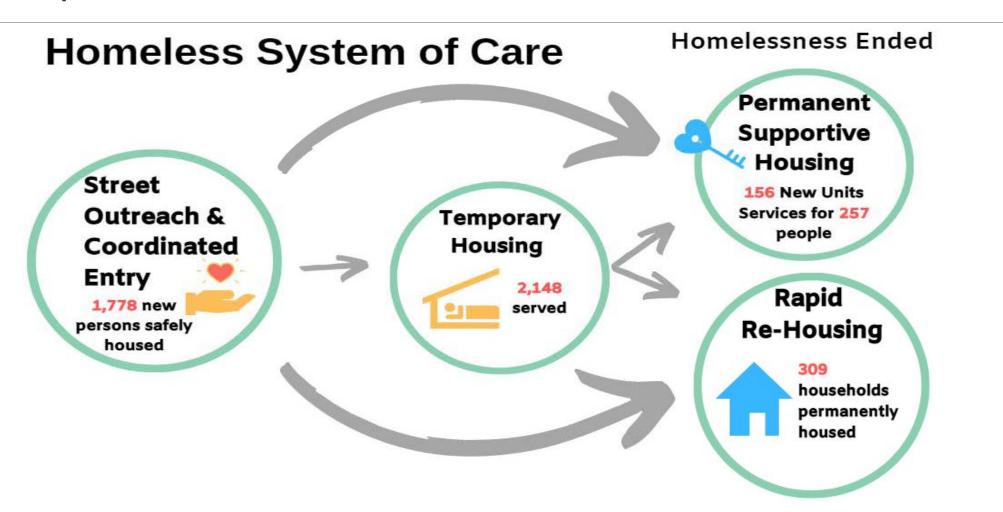






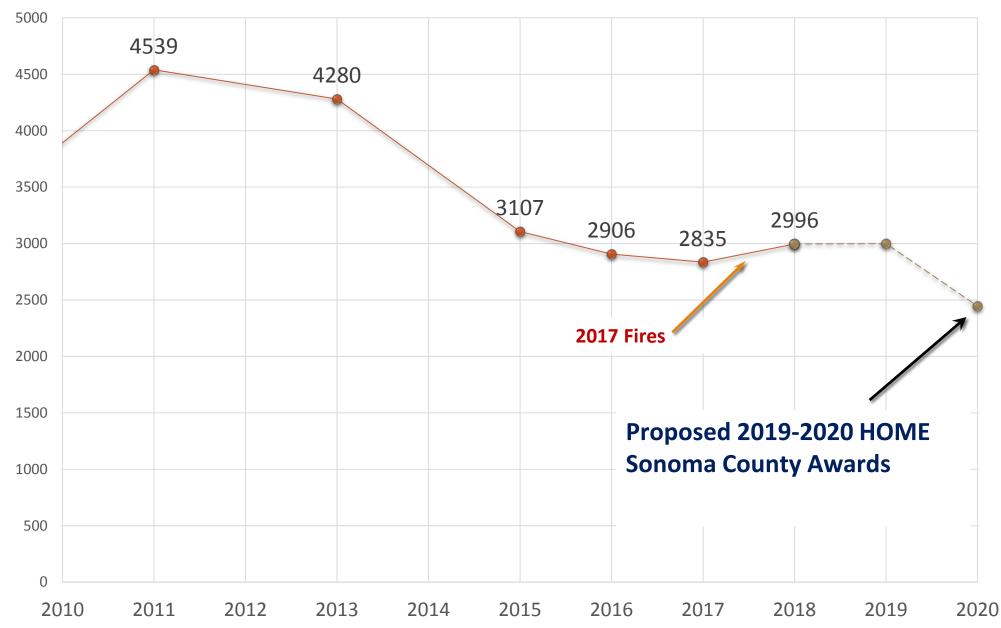
Ending Homelessness Anticipated Outcomes







Ending Homelessness





Geographic Equity in Funding Recommendations

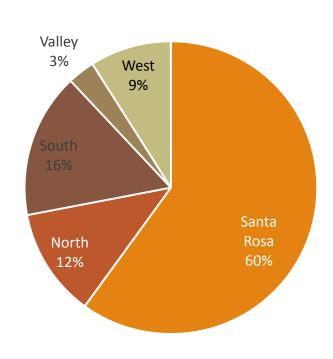


Figure 1 Geographic Distribution of Homeless Population, 2018.

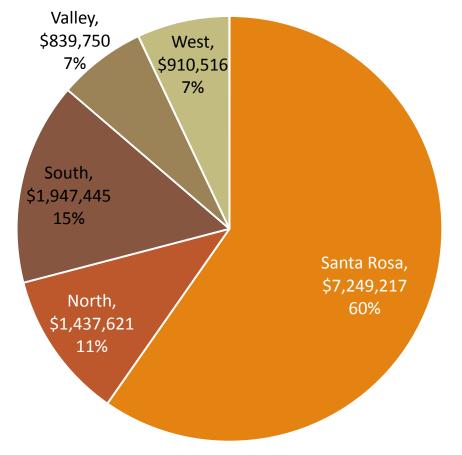


Figure 2 Geographic Distribution of Funding Awards, 04/19/2019.





Impacts of Diverting HOME Sonoma County Awards

Diverting \$1.4 M in funds means an additional \$3,647,658 of leverage within the system will be lost or is at risk.

- \$647,658 in lost federal and philanthropic money
- \$3,021,102 in other leveraged funds at risk

This would equate to a total reduction of \$5,047,658 to the homeless system of care



Impacts of Diverting HOME Sonoma County Awards

Diverting \$1.4 M in funds means less access to services and more people on the street:

- 340 people lose access to Winter Shelters
- 1,413 people reduced access to daytime shelter
- 130 permanent housing placements for homeless households lost
- 135 domestic violence victims lose key services
- Severely reduced geographic coverage in Petaluma (South County), no coverage in Sonoma Valley and West County, yet to be defined impact in North County

