



CONTRA COSTA COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS STAFF REPORT

Report for the June 5, 2025 Council on Homelessness Meeting

INTRODUCTION

The Council on Homelessness staff report is to inform the Contra Costa Council on Homelessness of the status of projects happening within the Continuum of Care. The report was created to create space on Council on Homelessness meeting agendas for discussion on important issues, to share more information in a digestible format, to make it easier for Council on Homelessness members to review and track ongoing content, and to increase transparency about the work happening within the Continuum of Care. The Council on Homelessness guides the content included in the staff report.

PROJECTS

Project: Concord Naval Weapons Station (CNWS) and Homeless Collaborative

There are no updates at this time.

Technical Assistance (TA) Updates:

There are no updates at this time.

COMMITTEES

Equity Committee

- The Equity Committee met on Wednesday, May 13, 2025. They got a report about the Client Satisfaction Survey, got a high level overview of the Nomination process for new COH members, discussed the Equity Dashboard in more depth and discussed types of training and information they would like in the future.



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Funding Committee

- The purpose of the Funding Committee is to direct the community input process for several time-sensitive federal and state funding streams, including updating materials and preparing for the bi-annual Continuum of Care Notice of Funding Opportunity (CoC NOFO) competition.
- The committee may convene later in 2025.

Governance Committee

- The purpose of the Governance Committee is to review and revise the [Governance Charter and Bylaws](#) to increase efficiency and impact in the Council on Homelessness. The Governance Committee Work Group met in March to discuss recommended revisions to the council bylaws.
- The committee met on March 25 to finalize proposed revisions to the Council Governance Charter and Bylaws. County Counsel will then review the proposed revisions before it goes to the Council on Homelessness for consideration and approval at a future meeting.

Homelessness Awareness Month Committee

- The purpose of the Homelessness Awareness Month Committee is to plan the activities and events in November (and December)
- Committee members to be confirmed include Nicole Green, Rina Criswell and Wayne Earl
- The committee will start meeting in June 2025

Nominating Committee

- The purpose of the Nominating Committee is to review and revise the process to recruit and select new Council members.
- Committee members to be confirmed include Carolyn Foudy, Hope Dixon, Nicole Green and Tony Ucciferri
- The committee will convene tentatively in August 2025.

Oversight Committee

- The purpose of the Oversight Committee is to review and assess the development, implementation, and improvement of: CoC, Coordinated Entry System, HMIS database, and System Outcomes.



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- The next meeting will be on June 26th, 11:30am - 1pm. CoH members are asked to attend in-person. Community members are welcome to attend in person or via Zoom. Use this link to register: <https://homebaseccc.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcsf-2urDssGdzVjZhCYrYEYtBPv6TuzAce>

Plan to Accelerate Transformative Housing Innovations Committee

In May 2025, the PATH Innovations Committee held a Committee Meeting. The Committee reviewed the unsheltered data dashboard, including an overview of HUD System Performance Measures and prevention, Rapid Exit, and eviction data from January to March 2025. The Committee received a presentation on the results of the CoC Participant Satisfaction Survey. The Committee also heard a presentation on using funding from the Behavioral Health Services Act for housing supports and provided feedback to staff from Contra Costa Behavioral Health.

OTHER

Quarterly Report

On May 12th, staff presented the Q1:2025 Council on Homelessness report to the Family and Human Services Committee. The Supervisors on the committee request that, at future meetings, staff provide an estimate of how much money the CoC may lose due to changes at the Federal level and a presentation of PIT data at a full Board of Supervisors meeting when the data is available. Supervisor Anderson requested that staff consider holding Homelessness 101 sessions in Walnut Creek and San Ramon. The Q1 2025 report is attached in this packet

COH Member Report Backs

Wayne Earl attended "Reimagining Sacred Land: How Faith, Lived Experience & Cross-Sector Collaboration Can Lead to Affordable, Permanent Cottage Communities" Workshop, sponsored by the Multi-Faith ACTION Coalition, Interfaith Council of Contra Costa County, East Bay Housing Organizations, Local Initiative Support Corporation, and Hope Solutions.

- Materials presented at the event: <https://www.multifaithactioncoalition.org/housing/2025/05/resources-for-reimagining-sacred-land/> [multifaithactioncoalition.org]



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- Grand opening of Hope Village: <https://www.hopesolutions.org/a-new-beginning-celebrating-the-grand-opening-of-hope-village-in-walnut-creek/> [hopesolutions.org]
- White paper, prepared by Hope Solutions, that discusses housing partnerships and policy with faith-based organizations: <https://baysfuture.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/Faith-Owned-Land-Housing-Policy-White-Paper.pdf> [baysfuture.org]

Nicole Green reports out about:

- **AB109 Summit:** June 4th
- **CCC AB109 CAB:** Organizing the next 2026/2027 summit. For more information folks can join the CAB meeting or follow up with Nicole Green, Chair of CAB.
- **Behavioral Health Commission:** New BH Commission has been created and the first meeting was held 05/21/2025. BH Commission meeting will be held the 1st Wednesday of each month in Martinez from 4:30-6:30.