

HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Shared Housing Initial Findings and Recommendations.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. INSTRUCT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) and the Chief Legislative Analyst to consider allocating funding for the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) to fund Rapid Re-Housing shared housing placements when preparing recommendations pursuant to Motion (O'Farrell - Krekorian - Wesson - Blumenfield; Council file no. 19-0914) regarding the allocation of the City's grant under the State of California Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Planning Program (HHAPP).
2. INSTRUCT the LAHSA, if funding is approved, to include a shared housing component in the next Rapid Re-Housing Request for Proposals, funded with City HHAPP funds, and require successful applicant to:
 - a. Comply with federal, state, and local fair housing laws.
 - b. Comply with the core components of Housing First included in State of California Senate Bill (SB) 1380 and described in the Homeless Strategy Committee report dated September 9, 2019, attached to the Council file.
 - c. Use the SB 1380-compliant standard shared housing lease agreement, to be developed in partnership with the LAHSA's legal services provider.
 - d. Require the use of peer support specialists in all shared housing programs.
3. APPROVE Recommendations 1.a. and 1.b. from the CAO report dated May 24, 2019, attached to the Council file.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The CAO reports that there is no anticipated impact to the General Fund. If the recommendations of this report are approved, funding will be reserved from the City's State of California HHAPP Grant, subject to funding approval procedures established by the Mayor and City Council and pending receipt of grant funds from the State.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

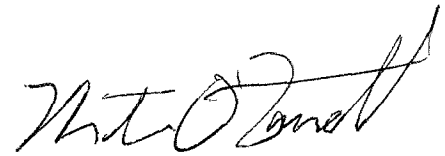
On September 18, 2019, the Homelessness and Poverty Committee considered a report from the Homeless Strategy Committee report dated September 9, 2019, relative to the Shared Housing Initial Findings and Recommendations. The Homeless Strategy Committee report, attached to the Council file, provides additional background information on this matter.

After consideration, an opportunity for public comment, and comments from Committee Member Bonin, the Committee recommended approving the recommendations of the Homeless Strategy Committee report. This matter is now submitted to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
O'FARRELL	YES
RODRIGUEZ	YES
BONIN	YES
HARRIS-DAWSON	ABSENT
RYU	YES



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