

ATTACHMENT

For Item

#15

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Attachments: Letter of Support - ECHTF.pdf
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Hello,

Please see attached for a letter of support to distribute to the Board for Item #15. Thanks!

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From: Rick Wilson <RickW@eastcountychamber.org>
Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 2:51 PM
To: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
Cc: Bonnie Baranoff <bonnie@frontmatter.pub>
Subject: [External] Compassionate Emergency Solutions and Pathways to Housing for People Experiencing Homelessness in East County
Importance: High

Hi Tori,

Please see the attached. This is for Supervisor Anderson's Agenda Item 15 at next Tuesday's Board of Supervisors meeting. The Item is: "[Compassionate Emergency Solutions and Pathways to Housing for People Experiencing Homelessness in East County.](#)"

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

Rick

Rick Wilson, MBA
President & CEO



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Membership Orientation October 15th @ The Chamber

Chairman's Club Appreciation Lunch October 20th @ The Chamber

Lunch & Learn Virtually October 21st

19th Annual Women In Leadership Luncheon October 22nd @ Viejas Casino & Resort

First Friday Breakfast November 5th @ Foothills Christian Church

43rd Career Expo Virtual Job Fair October 27th



October 15, 2021

County of San Diego
Board of Supervisors
1600 Pacific Coast Highway
San Diego, CA 92101-2478

Dear County of San Diego Board of Supervisors,

I am reaching out to you today regarding the Compassionate Emergency Solutions and Pathways to Housing for People Experiencing Homelessness in East County.

The San Diego Regional East County Chamber of Commerce would like to express its support of the Compassionate Emergency Solutions and Pathways to Housing for People Experiencing Homelessness in East County. As the need is great in East County for relief regarding the homeless population, we are requesting the Board of Supervisors approve this action.

If you require more information about the San Diego Regional East County Chamber of Commerce or the East County Homeless Task Force, feel free to contact me at 619-440-6161 or at rickw@eastcountychamber.org.

Sincerely,

Rick Wilson
President & CEO
San Diego Regional East County Chamber of Commerce

From: Floyd, Victoria
Sent: Monday, October 18, 2021 11:14 AM
To: FGG, Public Comment
Cc: Sleeper, Maggie
Subject: FW: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives
Attachments: Compassionate Emergency Solutions and Pathways Support Letter.10.18.2021.pdf

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From: Steven Jella <Sjella@sdyouthservices.org>
Sent: Monday, October 18, 2021 11:12 AM
To: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
Subject: [External] RE: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

Thank you again for all your efforts. See attached letter of Support.

Respectfully,

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From: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 12:38 PM
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Subject: RE: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

Thanks so much!

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From: Steven Jella <Sjella@sdyouthservices.org>
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To: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
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Count us in! I will have that to you Monday I believe.

Respectfully,

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From: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
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To: Steven Jella <Sjella@sdyouthservices.org>
Subject: RE: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

You can send that to me and I will coordinate with the Clerk 😊 Anytime through Monday and then Tuesday morning. Thanks so much again! This is just a brief example the Chamber just sent me.

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From: Steven Jella <Sjella@sdyouthservices.org>
Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 11:57 AM
To: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
Subject: [External] RE: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

Wonderful! If we write a letter of support, would we send that to you? What would be the cutoff time to make it prior to the 19th?

Respectfully,

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Subject: RE: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

Thanks, Steven! I appreciate your thoughts. Right, it's a start. It would be great if we could get a letter of support where you could even mention that. If you could speak on it during the meeting as that voice too that would be fantastic.

<https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/cob/bosa/bos-calendar-meetings.html?date=10/19/2021&meetingtype=BOARD%20OF%20SUPERVISORS>

Let me know. Thanks!

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From: Steven Jella <Sjella@sdyouthservices.org>
Sent: Thursday, October 14, 2021 12:50 PM
To: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>
Subject: [External] RE: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

Thank you for sharing. I really appreciate this and the approach. I would like to call out youth and youth who experience homelessness as that data is compelling as well. But, in the meanwhile we absolutely support starting somewhere.

Respectfully,

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From: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, October 13, 2021 4:58 PM

To: Floyd, Victoria <Victoria.Floyd@sdcounty.ca.gov>

Subject: Supervisor Anderson homeless initiatives

Hi all,

Please see attached for Board action Supervisor Anderson is bringing forward on emergency sheltering, safe lots, flexible funding, and data improvement. Please feel free to distribute to your email lists. It would be great if you could come down in support of the item on October 19th or to write in to the Clerk of the Board. Let us know your thoughts. Thanks!

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October 18, 2021

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To Whom It May Concern,

San Diego Youth Services is in support of the Compassionate Emergency Solutions and Pathways to Housing for People Experiencing Homelessness in East County. We appreciate the focus on these much-needed services. We appreciate the discussion including families with children. We also want to ensure that young people of extra risk for homelessness and exploitation in the Transition Ages of 16-25 be focused on.

Youth experiences of homelessness in East Region:

- 751 youth under age 25 were being served in any program in HMIS in 2019 and 1212 in 2020.
- For east county McKinney-Vento homeless children and youth served - 1164. A few notes on this:
 - These numbers represent any student identified as MV during the school year.
 - The 2019-20 year there were some issues collecting data in a few districts.

The following are recommendations for enhancing the Youth Homelessness system in East Region:

- Develop and expand Community Outreach (strategize rural and suburban)
- Develop Drop in and Assessment centers (Matching to CES, transportation to shelter, vouchers; Included resources like ID, SSN, and Birth Cert).
- Expand Youth housing models (TH, RRH, TAY Emergency Shelter, and House Homes).

Targeted needs include:

- Transition Age Youth (TAY) Specific Units
- More Youth Navigators/ Case Management/ Outreach
- Connections with potential Employers
- TAY specific workforce preparation

Again, we support this board letter and are thankful for the start of this effort in the East Region. We look forward to supporting the efforts that follow.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Walter Philips".

Walter Philips
Chief Executive Officer