## AGENDA

### Opening Remarks
- Call to Order  
- Welcome and Introductions (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** Astrid Johnson

### Consent Agenda
- Approve Meeting Minutes from July 20, 2023

**Presenter:** Astrid Johnson

### Reports/Updates
- ICH/HPN Update
- Morongo Basin ARCH

**Presenter:** Astrid Johnson

### Discussion
- Built For Zero

**Presenter:** Astrid Johnson

### Closing
- Public Comment (3 minutes)
- Steering Committee Comments
- Future Agenda items
- Adjournment

**Presenter:** Aastrid

**Committee Members:**

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**Mission Statement**

_The Mission of the San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership is to provide a system of care that is inclusive, well planned, coordinated and evaluated and is accessible to all who are homeless and those at-risk of becoming homeless._

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Welcome and Introductions:

- Faith NICHOLSON (Valley Steel) - Present
- Robin SCHIASSER (Redhill Olmstead Bassix) - Present
- Sheryl LYDIA - Present
- Megan COX (CNR/Adult Services) - Present
- Glen HARRIS (Supervisor. Homeless Office) - Present
- Oceana SOUL (Community Member. City of Westminster) - Present
- AsHii JOHNSON (Chair) - Present
- Jim SCHOOLLER (Chair) - Not Present
- East Valley Regional Steering Committee Roll Call

All attendees were welcomed to the meeting.

The meeting was called to order at 10:01 a.m. by AsHii Johnson.

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Opening Remarks:

Joshua Tree Community Center
10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.
July 20, 2023

East Valley Regional Steering Committee Meeting
Minutes for San Bernardino County Office of Homeless Services
### Comments

**Center in Joshua Tree**

Kristine Perrone – Backpack Extravaganza for K-6 will be on August 5th at the Lighthouse Christian Wednesday, September 20th at CMC.

27th at 4:30pm. Also, the next job and resource fair for the Kern river Basin will be held on Glen Harris – Remind me the next open house with the 3rd District Supervisor is on Thursday, July 20th.

**Ocasious School** – Approved transfer of funds for temporary housing behind City Hall I was changed.

**Meghan Casgrain** – Remind everyone that Adult Protective Services is available 24/7.

Robin Schossler – Cooling Center open; hosted 30 people over the last three days.

Shelley Littiga would like to see the website as a recurring topic. Also, MTA applications are out for this process.

### Closing

Homless Summit on November 6, 2023.

Committee discussion on the request from the Office of Homeless Services for Information for the

Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino County

Chad Scharr

Presentation

- Motion passed unanimously.
- Recommendation by Shelley Littiga to approve minutes 2/7 from Glen Harris. Roll call vote taken.

Consent Items

- Approved a brief update.
- Approved a brief update.
- Approved a brief update.

Reports and Updates

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July 20, 2023, Attendees

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10am. It will be held at the Joshua Tree Community Center.
The date for the next East Valley Regional Steering Committee will be August 17, 2023, at

Being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

Adjournment

Asind Johnson
a measurable reduction
communities have achieved
42

64
quality real-time data
communities have achieved

population
communities have
functionally ended
homelessness for a

communities since 2015
by Built for Zero

individuals housed

communities in the Built for Zero movement are providing

Built for Zero

IS SOLVABLE

HOMELESSNESS

1,472,000+

105

in Built for Zero

participating communities are
This future is not an impossible dream.

Imagine a future where cities and counties of all kinds — big and small, urban and rural, red and blue — have made homelessness rare and brief. Homelessness is no longer seen as intractable and ending it is no longer seen as exceptional. It is expected.

Imagine a future where cities and counties of all kinds — big and small, urban and rural, red and blue — have made homelessness affordable and accessible to all who need it.

Imagine a future where anyone experiencing homelessness is quickly known, and a system is in place to connect that person with the support they need to access a safe, affordable place to live.

Homelessness is a solvable systems problem. You Tube...
brief when it occurs.

Together, they are proving that we can build a future where homelessness is rare overall and the impact they can achieve.

Using data, these communities have changed how local homelessness response systems work and homelessness for entire populations.

Over 100 cities and counties have committed to measurably and equitably ending homelessness.

Built For Zero is a movement, a methodology, and proof of what is possible.

Solving Homelessness with Built For Zero - Youtube
Ending homelessness begins by knowing each person experiencing homelessness by name, in real-time, and...
People have been housed by Built for Zero communities since 2015:
163,000+

58

Dynamics of homelessness in their community move and change.

To drive measurable reductions toward reaching functional zero homelessness, adjusting their strategy as the

They know each unhoused person by name, in real-time; and guided by this information, they target resources

For Zero. They have formed community-wide teams around the shared aim of ending homelessness:

105 communities have adopted the collaborative, public health approach to homelessness represented by Built

Communities in Built for Zero have achieved a

44

Measurable Reduction

explaining homelessness — also known as
are actively adding up to fewer people
of this work is making sure all their efforts
response to homelessness to ending it. Part
Communities in Built for Zero have another

105

Participating in

Built for Zero

Communities are

14

Population

Functional Zero for at least one

It also helps communities understand if they

If few people are experiencing

Functional Zero is a milestone that indicates

Providing homelessness is solvable.

Communities in the Built for Zero movement are

Built for Zero Leaders Share Why Homelessness is Solvable – YouTube

Built

Solutions

Community
Bakersfield/Kern County, CA

Reaches Functional Zero for Chronic Homelessness

Built for Zero has certified Bakersfield, California as the fifth community in the United States to receive this certification for making chronic, or long-term, homelessness rare.
Financial resources to clear immediate barriers to housing

Strategic, data-driven investments to reduce homelessness long-term and flexible

Policy mechanisms to clear structural and administrative barriers to ending homelessness

Establishment of a racially equitable homeless response system

Collectively remove barriers to housing (also known as case conferencing)

A coordinated, unified system and racial justice in recouping, problem-solving, and services through a single process and according to shared protocols (also known as

An aligned and effective coordinated system whereby all providers) allocate housing

High-quality data systems that support a culture of continuous improvement

Homelessness

A collaborative, community-wide team that is accountable for reducing and ending

A shared aim and belief that homelessness is solvable

Features of a system designed to reduce and end homelessness
The Built for Zero program is about changing the narrative on homelessness. The name tells the story of transformation. It's a call to put an end to the cycle of homelessness. The Built for Zero approach focuses on building support systems and strengthening communities to help people move quickly from homelessness to permanent housing. This strategy is designed to end homelessness in a generation. By focusing on real-time data and evidence-based solutions, communities can work together to create sustainable, equitable housing solutions for all residents.

Key outcomes: The Built for Zero approach leads to:
- Reduced homelessness rates
- Improved quality of life for formerly homeless individuals
- Increased economic stability for communities
- Strengthened partnerships across sectors

An Integrated Community Team

No single actor is fully accountable for ending homelessness in a community. Each piece of the solution plays a vital role. Building a comprehensive, multi-sectoral response is essential.

The problems

- People move through your system over time.
- Getting to zero takes time, but it's worth it.
- Collectively reducing homelessness will change the trajectory of individuals, families, and communities.
- Funders evaluate success on the definition of zero.
- VA works together every week toward a shared vision of ending homelessness.

Built for Zero solutions

- Expanded housing supply policies
- Strategic, data-driven housing investments
- Comprehensive, real-time data collection
- Clearer picture of the system as a whole
- Understanding what works and what doesn't
- By-name data for communities, not by program outcomes
- Programmes not on whether a community is doing
- Funds evaluate success on the definition of zero
- No single actor is fully accountable for ending homelessness in a community.
Engagement and Relationship Management

Community Solutions and the broader sector provide coaching around partner success, and challenges of others across engaged communities.

- Facilitated Peer Learning Network that leverages the expertise, experience, expertise,
- Group coaching, workshops, and training
- One-on-one coaching and facilitated support of local planning processes
- Framework, data tools, and aligned content resources

This support includes:

Resilient systems and accelerate progress toward ending homelessness.

Built for Zero
The Movement - Community Solutions

Built for Zero Orientation / Learning Session in Washington D.C.

- Organize Built for Zero Improvement Team and Leadership Group
- ICH Meeting - Discussion & vote on SBCHP CQC Joining Built for Zero movement
- COC/Community Stakeholder Built for Zero AgA and Strategy Discussion
- Built for Zero presentations at SBCHP Regional Steering Committee Meetings
- Built into San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership Annual Convening

Bringing Built for Zero to San Bernardino County

Methodology and Redesigning their systems to reach functional zero.

What does it mean for a community to be a part of Built for Zero?