



EASTERN SIERRA CONTINUUM OF CARE (CoC) QUARTERLY MEETING May 20, 2021 -- 10:00 a.m.

Inyo Mono Advocates for Community Action, Inc.
Zoom Conference Meeting

137 E. South Street, Bishop, CA 93514

AGENDA

To minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus, Governor Newsom has issued Executive Orders that temporarily suspend certain requirements of the Brown Act. Please be advised that the IMACA Conference Room, the regular CoC meeting location, is closed to the public, and the CoC is conducting its meetings exclusively online during the pandemic. Service providers, stakeholders, and the public will participate in the meeting via Zoom videoconference from individual, separate locations. The videoconference is accessible at this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82921122338?pwd=YlkxWlg4ZVcwcU9NdXNQ2RfU1d4UT09>

Meeting ID: 829 2112 2338; Passcode: a8bJKJ. You may also participate in the meeting by conference call: (669) 900-6833; enter the Meeting ID 829 2112 2338; and Passcode 415332.

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1.0 Call Meeting to Order and Introductions –

2.0 Public Comment: This time is set aside to receive public comment on matters not calendared on the agenda.

3.0 Project Roomkey and COVID-19 Response Updates – Reports from Eastern Sierra CoC service providers on non-congregate shelter projects and other strategies to reduce homelessness and the transmission of COVID-19.

4.0 Emergency Housing Voucher Program – On May 5, 2021, HUD issued a notice describing the process for allocating emergency housing vouchers (EHVs) to public housing agencies (PHAs). The EHVs are to assist individuals and families who are experiencing homelessness; at risk of experiencing homelessness; fleeing, or attempting to flee, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking; or were recently homeless and for whom providing rental assistance will prevent the family's homelessness or having high risk of housing instability. Stanislaus Regional Housing Authority (SRHA) will receive an allocation of 338 EHVs for the counties in its service area. This is a discussion of a Memorandum of Understanding with SRHA to participate in plan to issue EHVs in Alpine, Mono, and Inyo Counties.

5.0 Governor's \$12 Billion Plan Addressing Homelessness – Preliminary discussion of strategies for the CoC's anticipated allocation of funding to functionally end family homelessness in five years and create additional housing placements and new units.



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- 6.0 Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention Round 2 (HHAP-2) Grant Funding --** IMACA submitted requested amendments to the HHAP Round 2 application and expects approval by the California Homeless Coordinating and Financing Council (HCFC). Proposed projects to address homelessness in the Eastern Sierra include the navigation/crisis center in Bishop, street outreach in all three counties, rental assistance, youth homelessness set-aside, and remote workstations requested by California Indian Legal Services. The CoC will issue a RFP and solicit project proposals for HHAP-2 and Emergency Solutions Grants – Coronavirus 1 & 2 Programs when the application is approved by HCFC.
- 7.0 Trailer Acquisition Project –** Discussion of travel trailer transfer from the City of Los Angeles to IMACA for emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent housing. Mono County is receiving trailers for victims of the Mountain View Fire and IMACA will store five trailers for PEH until spaces are rented in trailer parks or on private property. Additionally, IMACA is acquiring 20 trailers for Inyo County and is in the process of identifying available spaces.
- 8.0 Roundtable –**
- 9.0 Set Next Meeting Date –**
- 10.0 Adjournment –**