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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(9) Nay(0) Abstain(1) Ineligible(1) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 11/11/2021

Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

Date: 11/15/2021

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Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 21-1041

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: The Atwater Village Neighborhood Council supports this motion to allocate \$3.86 million with the purpose of connecting unhoused residents of Council District 4 with permanent housing. We're glad to see the motion confidently assert that "shelter and housing" is the solution to the city's homelessness crisis. We agree, and we'd like to see programs such as these invested across Los Angeles and in our district as well, Council District 13. Though the motion foregrounds the needs of the unhoused, we still prefer not to use terms like "location-based" and especially "high-priority locations." These terms still carry the subtext that the problem with encampments is the space that they occupy. Priority should be given to the people with the most pressing need for shelter, regardless of where their encampment is located. We still very much support this motion.



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November 11, 2021

**Community Impact Statement to Support Multi-Site Encampment-to-Home Program /  
Homeless Services General City Purposes Fund / Council District 4 / Los Angeles  
Homeless Services Authority / The People Concern**  
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