Everyone Home
Long Beach
September 21, 2018
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<td>Services to people experiencing homelessness are coordinated by the City’s continuum of care. This is currently the only body coordinating work across agencies in the City.</td>
<td>Housing is the purview of the planning commission that coordinates the City’s zoning and construction permitting policies. These determine the supply of affordable housing and homeless housing</td>
<td>The City’s street level response to homelessness through emergency services, Public Works, Parks &amp; Recreation and other departments is coordinated by the Interdepartmental Team.</td>
<td>The Economic Development team through Pacific Gateway is responsible for creating employment opportunities for sectors of the population that are underemployed.</td>
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Services: The Long Beach Continuum of Care

Approval Authority
- Long Beach City Council
- Grant and Contract Agreements

Policy Recommendation
- Homeless Services Advisory Committee (Mayor Appointees)
- Allocations and Needs/Gaps Analysis

Priorities/Goals/Planning
- Continuum of Care Board (15) (Elected from General Membership + 2)
- Performance and Systems Coordination

Operations Feedback
- General Membership (Broad-based Community Stakeholders)
- Occupancy, Residency, Targeting Resources

DHHS Homeless Services Division
- Lead agency, grantee and administrator

- Policy
- Feedback
- Approval Authority
- Recommendations
- Priority/Goals/Planning
- Operations/Feedback
- DHHS Homeless Services Division
Housing: Development Services

Long Beach City Council
Mayor and Council District Representatives

Approves
and Entitles Development

Planning Commission

Lead agency
Housing and Neighborhood Svcs. Bureau
Approves funding for Affordable Housing

Long Beach Investment Company

Planning Bureau

Lead agency
Street Response: The Interdepartmental Meeting

- Lead Administrator and Approval Authority
- Priorities/Goals/Planning
- Operations Feedback

City Manager
Interdepartmental Team
City Departments (Police, Fire, Health, PW, P&R, Attorney, Library)

DHHS Homeless Services Division
Lead Agency
Governance Challenges

CHALLENGE #1: The CoC coordinates only a portion of services offered in the City. The primary funding source for CES is through HUD, managed by the DHHS. Services offered outside the CoC are not coordinated through the CES prioritization process and no data are collected.
Navigating the system can be overwhelming for clients which reduces their ability to access appropriate services.
Governance Challenges

CHALLENGE #2: Homeless services across different departments and non-City service providers are not coordinated.
Governance Recommendations

Redesign the CoC Board to serve as an umbrella organization

Develop working groups reporting to umbrella organization
1. Data sharing
2. Discharge planning
3. Housing supply
4. Behavioral Health Services
5. Funding

Build data infrastructure for coordinated City-wide system
1. AB210
2. MOU across service providers in the City to allow data sharing
3. Technology platform

Update Gap analyses regularly
1. Homeless housing
2. Extremely low-income housing
3. Services

SERVICES
HOUSING
STREET RESPONSE
WORKFORCE DEV.
Vision for Integrated System

Citywide Coordinated Entry System
(Triage, Assess, Mutual Accountability)

Continuum of Care

Integrated Approach
Meeting the demand for housing and homeless services will require additional funding sources.

1. Existing funding is highly prescribed by state/federal government funders for specific purposes. Funding comes through a competitive process.

2. Current funding is for housing and limited services for clients who meet funders’ definitions of homelessness.

3. Current funding does not adequately cover prevention, and is not meant to cover mental health and substance abuse treatment or flexible subsidies.
Funding Opportunities

By 2020 sustainable funding sources to support housing, prevention and services will be in place

| 1. Bond to fund housing for homeless and precariously housed people |
| 2. Parcel tax to fund services and housing |
| 3. Leverage State financing/tax incentives |
| 4. Long Beach based funders collaborative |
| 5. Funding for data sharing and governance infrastructure |
System Goals...
Reducing Homelessness (draft)

**Prevention**
Reduce the number of people falling into homelessness to 2,000 or fewer by 2023

**Immediate Intervention**
75% of people that exit into housing do so within 11 months of becoming homeless by 2023

**Chronic Homelessness**
Reduce the number of chronically homeless to 350 or fewer by January 2021
## Creating Housing (draft)

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<td>Add <strong>100</strong> beds of shelter/crisis housing capacity by the end of 2020</td>
<td><strong>360</strong> new additional units of PSH will be online or fully permitted and in the pipeline for construction by 2023</td>
<td><strong>1,800</strong> very low or low income units. Each Council district commits to <strong>200</strong> new units by 2023</td>
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<td>Transition-Age Youth (TAY)</td>
<td>Child Care</td>
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<td>Create <strong>200</strong> job opportunities for people who are homeless or precariously housed by 2021</td>
<td>Create <strong>150</strong> job opportunities for Transition-Aged Youth (TAY) experiencing homelessness or precariously housed 2021</td>
<td>Create at least <strong>100</strong> new childcare slots available to very low-income and homeless parents by 2021</td>
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<td>Triple the Detox and Recuperative Care beds for Long Beach residents by 2021.</td>
<td>Reduce the number of non-emergency visits to the ER for those experiencing homelessness by 25% by 2023</td>
<td>Reduce the number of people who are discharged from hospitals to homelessness by 25% by 2023</td>
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<td>Implement a sobering center by 2020</td>
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Policy Review

- Greatest impact on the goals presented
- Greatest ability to implement locally
- Short-term v. Long-term
Thank you

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