A HOME FOR ALL FRAMEWORK
UPDATE & NEXT STEPS FOR MECKLENBURG COUNTY

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SECTION 1: A HOME FOR ALL FRAMEWORK UPDATE
OUR VISION FOR THE FUTURE

A community where homelessness is rare, brief, and non-recurring, and every person has access to permanent, affordable housing and the resources to sustain it.
A Home For All
CHARLOTTE-MECKLENBURG'S STRATEGY TO END AND PREVENT HOMELESSNESS: PART 1 STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK

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IMPLEMENTATION PLANNING SPRING 2022
SECTION 2: IMPLEMENTATION OF FRAMEWORK
SEEKING PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN MECKLENBURG COUNTY AND LOCAL NON-PROFIT

- **Oversee and manage** creation and execution of Implementation Plan for *A Home for All* Framework
- **Fundraising capacity** to support implementation of plan recommendations
- **Staffing** to execute required responsibilities

ENDURING STRUCTURE / QUARTERBACK AGENCY COMPONENTS

AS TRANSITIONAL BODY, CONSOLIDATED IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE, WILL SUPPORT THE ENDURING STRUCTURE

FORM A NEW CORPORATE-LED ADVISORY COUNCIL TO SUPPORT AND GUIDE THE WORK OF THIS PARTNERSHIP
This model involves a public-private partnership between Mecklenburg County and a local non-profit that, collectively, would provide staffing to execute the required responsibilities/roles of the enduring structure. In addition, the consolidated CMHHS Implementation Committee and a newly formed, corporate-led Advisory Council would provide counsel and governance regarding implementation.

**MECKLENBURG COUNTY**

Provide oversight for strategic alignment and implementation of recommendations and project management

**ADVISORY COUNCIL**

Led by the corporate sector, provide guidance and direction to strengthen broad, community stakeholder engagement, investment and commitment to recommendations.

**LOCAL NON-PROFIT**

Raise funding required to implement recommendations; oversee process and outcome evaluation; and project management

**IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE**

Led by subject matter experts from the first phase of the CMHHS effort, oversee the development and adoption of the implementation plan with action steps and associated funding requests from the strategic framework. After the implementation plan is developed and enduring structure is set up, this group will continue to serve in an advisory capacity to the enduring structure and support the work of the advisory council.
ESSENTIAL ROLES FOR ENDURING STRUCTURE / QUARTERBACK AGENCY

- **Oversee implementation** of *A Home for All* Framework (Parts 1 & 2)
- **Identify and launch early wins** that have existing/natural funding streams
- **Coordinate community stakeholders involved in implementation**, including outlining roles and responsibilities for executing recommendations and holding all entities accountable
- **Obtain public and private sector funding** to support recommendations
- **Outline plan for evaluation and reporting** of process and outcomes.
(3) Full-time employees to support the required components of the Enduring Structure
Quarterback Agency
SECTION 3: NEXT STEPS FOR MECKLENBURG COUNTY
A HOME FOR ALL
FRAMEWORK:
PRIORITY INITIATIVES

• Prevention
• Temporary Shelter
• Affordable Housing
• Cross-sector Supports
• Innovative Data Analytics
PREVENTION

Expand prevention assistance (including through partnerships) to households most at risk of losing their housing, including short-term rental assistance, critical home repair, legal support.
Invest in and support policy solutions (such as SOID) to increase access for individuals with challenging backgrounds to increase flow out of emergency response system.
AFFORDABLE HOUSING

• Create hotel/motel acquisition strategies for Permanent Supportive Housing and Mixed-Income Housing

• Expand and create new subsidies
CROSS-SECTOR SUPPORTS

• Increase support for teens and young adults exiting foster care
• Expand housing opportunities for justice involved adults
INNOVATIVE DATA ANALYTICS

• Develop a standardized cross-sector data collection process and provide technical assistance

• Implement a data collection program to help target homelessness and housing instability efforts and utilize qualitative data to contextualize and supplement quantitative data

• Take critical steps to enable an integrated, central data repository for case management
QUESTIONS
Domestic / Intimate Partner Violence (DV/IPV) is a leading cause of homelessness for women and children. The need for safe and affordable housing is one of the most pressing concerns for survivors of violence and abuse.

Source: Safe Housing Partnerships
The National Domestic Violence Hotline (NDVH) reported a 9% increase in contacts during the first two weeks of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Around the same time locally, domestic violence-related calls to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department and the Greater Charlotte Hope Line increased by about 5%.
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNSELING

What We Do: Adult & Children Services
- Crisis counseling
- Individual therapy
- Support groups
- Case management

How We Do it: Our Approach
- Domestic violence and trauma expertise
- Evidence-based practices
- Licensed clinicians, Spanish and English-speaking
- Free of charge

Our Results:
- Knowledge Improvement: 97.5%
- Safety Index: 100%
- Customer Satisfaction: 100%
To meet both the steady demand for domestic violence services and the complex needs, Community Support Services recommends expanding staff capacity.
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