

# Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention (HHAP) Grant Program

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# **Applicant Redirections?**

<u>Applicant Redirections Response:</u>

Applicant Redirections Response: No

### 1. Homelessness Response System Gaps Assessment

To successfully complete this section of the application, applicants will need to provide the following:

- 1. A narrative description of the most recent assessment process used to determine local gaps in housing services for persons experiencing homelessness in the applicant's community. Information should include but is not limited to:
  - a. How data collection methods were used to determine gaps (ie: HUD's homeless Point-in-Time count, Continuum of Care Housing Inventory Count, Longitudinal Systems Analysis, and Stella tools, HMIS Annual Performance Reports for Emergency Shelter (ES), Transitional Housing (TH), Rapid Rehousing (RRH), and Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH), as well as any recently conducted local needs assessments);

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1a - Begin Answer The Trinity County crisis response team and stakeholders utilize several different tools to identify gaps in housing and supportive services, including the Point-in-Time count, LSA, Stella tools, civil rights data and HMIS Annual Performance Reports. In 2017/18 the County conducted an outreach campaign to gather survey information and data from the general public, service providers, public agencies, health care providers and homeless/formerly homeless persons about the needs of the community, what services were unavailable and what was our local capacity for improving our crisis response system. From this process, we were able to develop the local Homeless Plan which articulates the community's gaps and how we are going to work on resolving those gaps. On an annual basis, typically in May/June, the crisis response team discusses funding availability, provider bandwidth, and many other factors to determine the County's current systems and service gaps and how we will go about addressing them in the next year given local support, fund availability, housing/shelter stock and staffing

capacity. Because the County is so small, has only one housing provider and no congregate emergency shelters or permanent housing programs, it is fairly easy for our stakeholders to identify gaps and prioritize how funding should be leverage to address the aaps.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1a - End Answer

b. How people with lived experience of homelessness had ongoing meaningful and purposeful opportunities to participate in and inform the most recent gaps assessment and how they have meaningful opportunities to inform all levels of system planning over time:

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1b - Begin Answer The crisis response team and stakeholders group, which comprise the Trinity County Continuum of Care, includes two formerly homeless persons with lived experiences. These individuals are integral to the success of our efforts and regularly contribute to the needs assessment process and at all levels of planning in the community. The County has many remote community's spread throughout the geographic region; the local CoC has advocate representatives who represent unhoused populations in these aeographic regions who bring forth the needs of this population who often live so remotely that they don't have power or access to facilities where they are outdoor sheltering.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1b - End Answer

c. How organizations that have historically served communities of color but may not have previously participated formally in the CoC and may not be a part of the homelessness provider community had meaningful and purposeful opportunities to participate in and inform the most recent gaps assessment and how they will be engaged in system planning over time;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1c - Begin Answer Trinity County is a very rural and small county that is not ethnically diverse. The County has one housing provider which is the County's only community based organization. This organization participates and takes a lead role in the local Continuum of Care, participates in monthly stakeholder/CoC meetings, conducts the PIT on behalf of the County and is significantly engaged in every gaps analysis and planning efforts made in the jurisdiction.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1c - End Answer

d. How gaps were assessed for special populations such as families, youth, victims of domestic violence, seniors, persons who have

been convicted of a crime, persons with a disability, persons who are chronically homeless, persons with HIV/AIDS, persons who are LGBTQ, veterans, persons with limited English proficiency, and persons who are undocumented;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1d - Begin Answer During the most recent gaps analysis, several organizations, some regional in nature, were contacted for information about special populations of persons from Trinity that were served by their organization. Because the County has only one CBO, the majority of services for identified sub-populations are handled remotely or by a service provider from neighboring Shasta County. For veteran's services, the County requested participation from the Veteran's Services Officer and the Veteran's Resource Center in Redding who represents Trinity County as well. Advocate organizations such as the Area Agency on Aging and the Golden Age Center provided gap and service information for the senior and disabled populations. Health and Human services, bi-lingual staff participated in the gaps analysis process and they too provided advocacy level information on behalf of several special populations, including families, disabled persons, persons with limited English proficiency and undocumented person. Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1d - End Answer

e. How racial or ethnic disparities in the delivery of homeless services were assessed;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1e - Begin Answer The homeless service provider and system leaders regularly (no less than annually), analyze our local system for equitable outcomes along racial and ethnic lines. Although the County is not ethnically diverse, the stakeholders want to ensure that we are not perpetuating any inequity and that all people experiencing homelessness in our community have positive outcomes. Annually, the local CoC partners compare our local demographic data or ethnicity and race, utilizing available Census data, to data out of HMIS to determine if there are any visible disparities in the community. We also look at poverty by community for disparities as well. Vulnerability assessment scores and prioritization are also regularly evaluated for disparities.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1e - End Answer

f. How frequently gaps assessments are conducted;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1f - Begin Answer The Dos Rios Continuum of Care conducts a regional assessment

(for three counties) annually in February. Locally, the Trinity County Continuum of Care stakeholders conducts an annual gap assessment/analysis in May/June and then prioritizes funding opportunities and services based on needs and identified gaps. The majority of gaps in Trinity County are centered around the lack of services and available housing in the significantly remote communities in the county-typically over an hour away from public services, shopping and mainstream resources.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1f - End Answer

g. How findings are used to make informed decisions for funding projects within the community; and

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1g - Begin Answer Because the County has one housing/homeless service provider, the lack of capacity really limits our local ability to make different funding choices. Recently, the County Administration office brought in a social services provider (non-profit) from out of the county to assist in building our crisis response system's bandwidth.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1g - End Answer

h. How the applicant will conduct ongoing system performance evaluation to ensure the impact of HHAP-2 funds throughout the spending period and determine if adjustments are needed to address gaps in the homelessness response system.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1h - Begin Answer The local Continuum of Care reviews system performance of the county's one service provider at quarterly meetings of our local stakeholders. If adjustments are needed to address gaps in the response system, the stakeholders make decisions on how best to go about that given our limited housing stock, service providers and lack of emergency shelters and permanent supportive housing. Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 1h - End Answer

- 2. The most recent gaps assessment that was conducted and the date in which it was completed. Reports can be attached, but all applicants must summarize main findings within this section. Reports submitted without a summary will not be accepted. Summaries must include, but are not limited to:
  - a. Current number of people experiencing homelessness in the community including demographic information, and the existing programs and funding which address homelessness within the iurisdiction;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2a - Begin Answer There are an estimated 83 persons experiencing homelessness in Trinity County; 59% are male/41% are female. Of those experiencing homelessness 90% are non-Hispanic and Caucasian and 11% were of American Indian decent and less than 1% were other races. 18% of the unhoused are chronically homeless. 6% of the unhoused have a disabling condition while less than 1% describe a serious mental illness or SUD.

The County has/will have CalWORKs HSP, ESG, HHAP, CESH and Whole Person Care funding to address homelessness in the jurisdiction.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2a - End Answer

b. Data and qualitative information showing any gaps or disparities in access to services, delivery of services, and housing placement and housing retention outcomes for special populations such as families, victims of domestic violence, seniors, youth and young adults, persons who have been convicted of a crime, persons with a disability, persons who are chronically homeless, persons with HIV/AIDS, persons who are LGBTQ, veterans, persons with limited English proficiency, and persons who are undocumented;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2b - Begin Answer Data demonstrates that the size and capacity of our County creates unreasonable gaps in services that are not easily remedied. With only one service provider across a very geographically expansive County, there are remote communities that do not have access to services unless they are able to access services at a hub (Weaverville and Hayfork). There is a significant portion of the County that does not have internet service and power, so services in those communities is not realistic. This capacity issue is not specific to a particular special population however, it is relevant for anyone residing in those outlying areas. Public service providers and the CBO have bi-lingual staff to meet the needs of persons with limited English proficiency. Gaps in our local system does not necessarily mean that special sub populations are not being served equitably, it just means that these persons are likely being served by a neighboring county due to our lack of service providers and bandwidth with existing staff.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2b - End Answer

 Data and qualitative information showing any racial or ethnic disparities in access to services, delivery of services and housing placement and housing retention outcomes of homeless services; Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2c - Begin Answer Existing data demonstrates that the County does not have any racial or ethnic disparities with regard to access to, or delivery of housing placement and retention services. The vast majority of recidivism cases are amongst the non-Hispanic/White demographic, which makes sense because the County is primarily comprised of non-Hispanic/White households.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2c - End Answer

d. Any other disparities that were found in the delivery of homelessness services including rates of successful permanent housing placements, and housing retention rates;

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2d - Begin Answer No disparities have been identified.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2d - End Answer

e. Using the Service Gap Analysis Chart below, identify which areas of the local homelessness response system (e.g. shelter, rental subsidies, supportive housing) have gaps in resources based on the needs of people experiencing homelessness in the community.

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2e - Begin Answer Shelter Beds

Rental Subsidies-specifically permanent supportive housing Rental Assistance

Homelessness Response System Gaps Question 2e - End Answer

Table: SERVICE GAP ANALYSIS

	Total # of Clients Currently Needing This Service	Total # of Clients Currently Receiving This Service	Remaining Need
Interim Housing/Shelter Beds	83	16	67
Rental Assistance	83	13	70
Supportive Housing (Permanent)	70	13	57
Outreach	83	0	83
Prevention/Diversion	5	2	3

# 2. Regional Resources Planning

When working within the homelessness system, it is critical to assess the current resources available within the community to ensure any new resources are most effectively and efficiently targeted to best serve people experiencing homelessness within the community. Given the high number of people experiencing homelessness in California and the unprecedented amount of federal and state funds available to address homelessness, HCFC expects applicants to coordinate all available funding to safely shelter and permanently house as many people experiencing homelessness in the applicant's community as possible, with a particular focus on rehousing individuals currently living in Project Roomkey (PRK) sites.

HCFC requires all HHAP-2 applicants to complete a <u>Homelessness Response</u> <u>Local Investment Plan</u> (Appendix A) that lists all regional resources used to address homelessness. The document includes different interventions within the homelessness system. For each intervention, please tell us:

- The funding source(s) used to assist in the delivery of the intervention. If several funding sources are used, please list them in order of highest amount of funding used for the intervention to the lowest;
- If the funding source is covered by more than one applicant (i.e. County and Continuum of Care) please list separately. Do not combine allocations; and
- When referencing units of measurement, please reference service basis unit of measurement. Example: \$500,000 in funding provided RRH to approximately 20 households over XX period of time.

In addition to filling out the <u>Homelessness Response Local Investment Plan</u> document, applicants must answer the following narrative question that will support the information provided:

1. What efforts are made to coordinate all available local, state and federal funds that can address homelessness in the applicant's community?

Regional Resources Planning Question 1 - Begin Answer
Trinity County receives pass through funding from the Dos Rios Continuum
of Care, as well as from local applications for state and federal
homeless/housing funds. Because there is only one CBO/Housing Provider,
all efforts are coordinated with respect to homeless services, housing and
supportive services

Regional Resources Planning Question 1 - End Answer

### 3. HHAP-2 Funding Plans

When planning how to target new HHAP-2 resources, it is essential to do so in direct response to the gaps assessment and current regional investment planning described in Sections 1 and 2. HHAP-2 funding plans must state the specific gaps that will be addressed with these new funds and provide sufficient detail to ensure that any selected projects will effectively meet identified gaps. HCFC expects applicants to clearly understand and identify the intervention types requiring funding prior to initiating their local project selection processes.

Applicants must identify and describe each intervention type they intend to fund with their HHAP-2 grant and how much of their HHAP-2 funding they intend to focus on that intervention type. Applicants must also describe how investing in the requested interventions will meet the previously identified needs of their community.

Intervention Types are broken into six categories: (1) Outreach; (2) Interim Housing; (3) Rental Assistance; (4) Permanent Supportive and Service-Enriched Housing; (5) Diversion and Homelessness Prevention, and (6) Services.

Applicants should utilize the HHAP-2 <u>Application Guidance</u> document for detailed information on how these interventions can be implemented, how they work together, and how HCFC recommends prioritization and utilization of these interventions.

In addition to providing information on how the applicant intends to utilize their HHAP-2 funds on specific interventions, applicants must also outline the amounts they intend to allocate to the eligible uses that will support the interventions throughout the duration of the grant period.

To successfully complete this section of the application, applicants will need to provide the following:

- Using the <u>Funding Plan Template</u> (Appendix B) and <u>Expenditure Plan Template</u> (Appendix C), provide detailed information for each of the intervention types and eligible uses being proposed for HHAP-2 funding. (NOTE: Specific project information for the intervention types identified will be requested at a later date once the local selection process has been completed.)
- 2. Describe how the applicant intends to prioritize funding towards local Project Roomkey permanent housing pathways. If an applicant does not intend to prioritize funding in this way, they must explain what other resources have been identified to meet this need locally to ensure that households staying at Project Roomkey sites move to permanent housing and do not return to unsheltered locations or congregate settings.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 2 - Begin Answer

Trinity County has less than 100 motel/hotel rooms across the chain and each are owned by private parties. These rooms are booked months in advance and are occupied by CalTrans, CalFire, construction contractors from out of the area and tourists who come to the area for recreation. No motel/hotel owners were interested in renting rooms to the County to provide shelter in place opportunities for the homeless population in response to COVID. The County will not have any households exiting out of PRK sites to permanent housing.

Locally, we have prioritized our existing emergency shelter trailers and the transitional housing apartments are our local intervention opportunities that must remain open and available to meet short-term needs.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 2 - End Answer

3. Describe the activities budgeted for grant administration. In the applicant's response, describe the overall grant administration staffing plan to accomplish the applicant's goals and activities. Provide information on roles that will be responsible for ensuring the successful execution of HHAP funded projects.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 3 - Begin Answer

100% of HHAP County funding will be used for operating subsidies for the County's only short-term housing interventions. Grant administration funding is being leveraged from other funding sources and shared with the County Grants Administrator. The Housing Manager at the Human Response Network (housing provider) and the County's Grants Administrator will ensure the successful operation of HHAP funded projects. It is expected that 3% of the Housing Manager's time and 2% of the Grant Administrator's time will be spend administering the HHAP program.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 3 - End Answer

Descriptions should include but are not limited to:

a. The number of full-time employees (FTE) or percent of time per FTE that will be employed by the applicant dedicated to the execution of HHAP-2.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 3a - Begin Answer

1.0 FTE-HRN Housing Manger-3% deployed for HHAP activities
.25 FTE-HRN Housing Coordinator-5% deployed for HHAP activities
1.0 FTE-County Grants Administrator-2% deployed for HHAP activities
HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 3a - End Answer

b. Existing staff positions that will be leveraged to fulfill this need.
 HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 3b - Begin Answer
 1.0 FTE- County Housing Coordinator/Navigator
 1.0 FTE-HRN Fiscal/Clerical Staff
 HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 3b - End Answer

4. In what ways the applicant's jurisdiction is leveraging the adult system to serve youth and in what ways the homelessness response system has been or will be adapted to youth; and how the applicant will use HHAP-2 funding to ensure youth can access services and that targeted spending meets their needs.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 4 - Begin Answer
The local Continuum of Care partners with the McKinney Vento Liaison at the Trinity County Office of Education. The Liaison, the Housing Coordinator and the Housing Service Provider regularly discuss the needs of unhoused youth and how to best meet those needs within our local service system, including access, proper housing placement, and age appropriate supportive services.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 4 - End Answer

5. Describe how the applicant will incorporate meaningful collaboration with individuals that have lived experience being homeless throughout funding planning, design, implementation, and evaluation.

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 5 - Begin Answer
The local Continuum of Care has two active participants who were
formerly homeless who provide valuable information about the needs of
the unhoused population in Trinity County. Each partner that attends CoC
meetings participates in planning, gaps analysis, funding, program design,
advocacy, implementation and regular evaluation. The County regular
solicits for additional participation on the CoC, in the local paper and on
the County website, but the homeless population down often have
access to the internet or the County newspaper. With the recent hiring of
a Housing Coordinator/Navigator, it is anticipated that Outreach and
Engagement efforts will commence in the spring after new hire training
has been completed

HHAP-2 Funding Plans Question 5 - End Answer

### 4. HHAP-2 Goals

Creating performance targets that can be clearly measured every year ensures a commitment to locally shared goals. Utilizing the local needs assessment, applicants must identify the areas of impact to be targeted by HHAP funds in Section 3: HHAP-2 Funding Plans, and in this section must present specific and measurable goals for those investment areas. These goals should inform how applicants design HHAP programming and should be stated in the local selection process funding announcements and subcontracts so that local applicants and the selected subrecipients understand program expectations.

### **HHAP Programmatic Goals**

HHAP statute mandates that applicants set goals related to the total number of individuals served and, of those served, the number who will be successfully placed in permanent housing due to HHAP-2 investments.

For interventions funded with HHAP, applicants must show how their jurisdiction plans to use their HHAP investment to meet statutorily-required goals by providing the following in the table below: (1) number of individuals that currently need this intervention; (2) number of households expected to be served, annually and over the entire grant period; and (3) number of households expected to be placed into permanent housing, annually and over entire grant period.

Note: identified need below should be the same as the numbers indicated in Section 1.

Table – Statutory Goals by Intervention Type – Permanent Supportive and Service-Enriched Housing

	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	Total #
Total # of individuals that currently need this intervention	83					
# of individuals expected to be served by HHAP-2	0	0	0	0	0	0
# of individuals expected to be placed into permanent housing through HHAP-2	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table – Statutory Goals by Intervention Type – Rental Assistance

	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	Total #
Total # of individuals that <i>currently</i> need this intervention	83					
# of individuals to be served	0	0	0	0	0	0

# of individuals to be placed into	0	0	0	0	0	0
permanent housing						

### Table – Statutory Goals by Intervention Type – Interim Housing

	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	Total #
Total # of individuals that currently need this intervention	83					
# of individuals to be served	0	0	0	0	0	0
# of individuals to be placed into permanent housing	0	0	0	0	0	0

# Table – Statutory Goals by Intervention Type – Diversion and Homelessness Prevention

	FY 21/22	FY 22/23		FY 24/25	FY 25/26	Total #
Total # of individuals that currently need equity this intervention	5					
# of individuals to be served	0	0	0	0	0	0
# of individuals to be placed into permanent housing	0	0	0	0	0	0

## Table – Statutory Goals by Intervention Type – Outreach

	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	Total #
Total # of individuals that currently need this intervention	83					
# of individuals to be served	0	0	0	0	0	0
# of individuals to be placed into permanent housing	0	0	0	0	0	0

### Table – Statutory Goals by Intervention Type – Services

	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	Total #
# of individuals to be served	16	16	16	16	16	80
# of individuals to be placed into permanent housing	4	4	4	4	4	20

In addition to setting clear goals on numbers served and numbers moved into permanent housing, applicants must also provide the following:

1. Any additional systemwide goals the applicant's jurisdiction and/or region has identified and the metrics used to evaluate progress towards those goals.

HHAP-2 Goal Question 1 - Begin Answer

No system wide goals have been identified

HHAP-2 Goals Question 1 - End Answer

2. An update on systemwide goals identified in HHAP-1 and explanation of any goal modifications made in response to changing needs.

HHAP-2 Goal Question 1 - Begin Answer
Goal 1-Invest in Outreach and Engagement. The County has just recently contracted with an out of county non profit to provide staffing for the Housing Coordinator/Navigator position. This position serves as the pivotal access point to housing and supportive services in the County.
Goal 2-Strengthen and build the capacity of our local community to improve quality of life. The local Continuum of Care was able to add health care providers to our local team, as well as the addition of the Housing Coordinator and the addition of a non-profit provider that will assist in providing an expansion of social services staffing.

HHAP-2 Goals Question 1 - End Answer

3. At least one clear, measurable performance goal related to how HHAP-2 funding will address racial disparities identified in the jurisdiction's homelessness response system.

HHAP-2 Goal Question 1 - Begin Answer

Maintain 4 transitional housing units and 2 emergency shelter units to meet
the needs of the unhoused/at risk populations in Trinity County. HHAP
funding will be used for operations of these units.

HHAP-2 Goals Question 1 - End Answer

4. At least one clear, measurable, youth-specific performance goal related to HHAP-2 investments, including an explanation of how the applicant's jurisdiction accounts for the unique service needs of youth when determining how to set performance targets for youth set-aside funding interventions.

HHAP-2 Goal Question 1 - Begin Answer

Provide transitional housing for at least one youth, including case management, transportation, and educational supports.

HHAP-2 Goals Question 1 - End Answer

### 5. Local Project Selection Process

Applicants may choose (though they are not required) to contract with local nonprofits and service providers to administer the services detailed in their HHAP-2 Funding Plan. When contracting for services, applicants shall select qualified service providers that provide services which match the needs of the local population of people experiencing homelessness and which are HHAP-eligible activities that are in line with the applicant's HHAP-2 Funding Plan.

HCFC encourages applicants to consider how these funds are accessible to smaller and non-traditional organizations that have historically served communities of color but may not have previously participated formally in the CoC or been a part of the homeless provider community.

To successfully complete this section of the application, applicants will need to provide the following:

1. An explanation of how HHAP-2 funds will be distributed and whether a local project selection process will be utilized to select subcontractors.

Local Project Selection Process Question 1 - Begin Answer
The only housing provider in the County will be receiving the HHAP 2
funds; there are no subcontractors in the jurisdiction
Local Project Selection Process Question 1 - End Answer

Will subcontractors be utilized? No

- a. If the applicant is not utilizing a local selection process, please include the following in the explanation:
  - Description of why this is the best funding plan for the community; and

Local Project Selection Process Question 1a.i. - Begin Answer It is the only funding plan for the community; there are no other alternatives. The closest housing provider is over one hour away and does not have any housing projects/programs in our county.

Local Project Selection Process Question 1a.i. - End Answer

ii. Description of how applicants will ensure equitable access to services funded.

Local Project Selection Process Question 1a.i.i. - Begin Answer HHAP 2 funding will be used for operations to ensure the viability of the County's only transitional and emergency

shelter units. Housing subsidies for participants will be leveraged and access to services to available online and via one access point at the Human Response Network.

Local Project Selection Process Question 1a.i.i. - End Answer

- b. If the applicant is utilizing a local selection process, please include the following in the explanation:
  - i. What is the process and timeline for project selection?
    - Local Project Selection Process Question 1b.i. Begin Answer Local Project Selection Process Question 1b.i. End Answer
  - ii. How will the applicant encourage new partners to participate?
    - Local Project Selection Process Question 1b.i.i. Begin Answer Local Project Selection Process Question 1b.i.i. - End Answer
  - iii. How will people with lived experience of homelessness, including youth with lived experience, have meaningful and purposeful opportunities to shape the selection process and funding decisions?
    - Local Project Selection Process Question 1b.i.i.i. Begin Answer Local Project Selection Process Question 1b.i.i.i. - End Answer
  - iv. How will the applicant promote equity and ensure underrepresented communities can be competitive applicants for funding?
    - Local Project Selection Process Question b.i.v. Begin Answer Local Project Selection Process Question b.i.v. - End Answer
- 2. Describe how systemwide collaboration would occur among homelessness service providers and other social safety net providers. How do these collaborative efforts help minimize or avoid the duplication of service and effort?

Local Project Selection Process Question 2 - Begin Answer In Trinity County there is one homeless service provider, one health and human services provider and one behavioral health provider. The health care system includes one hospital and two clinics. All of these partners make up the safety net in Trinity County and each attend regular meetings of the local continuum of care where all funding opportunities are discussed,

services/programs are planned, case staffing occurs and discharge planning efforts are collaborated upon.

Local Project Selection Process Question 2 - End Answer

In addition to the narrative questions above, check all box(s) that apply to the applicant's community:

Table – Local Project Selection Process Assessment

### LOCAL PROJECT SELECTION PROCESS ASSESSMENT (check all that apply)

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will clearly define for potential subcontractors which types of projects will be prioritized for funding and which needs identified in the needs/gaps assessment are intended to be met by funding such projects. Local Project Selection Assessment Response: No

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will prioritize programs that address the disproportionate impacts that homelessness and COVID-19 have on communities of color, particularly Black, Latinx, Asian, Pacific Islander, Native and Indigenous communities. Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will remove barriers to competitive participation by applicants representing marginalized communities.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will use objective criteria to evaluate projects for funding.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The objective criteria used to evaluate projects will include data on past performance related to the proposed activity (for example, an existing rapid rehousing provider applies to provide rapid rehousing services with HHAP funds and provides HMIS data to show a history of positive outcomes)

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The objective criteria used to evaluate projects will allow applicants applying to perform services not previously performed by their organization, to provide other data or outcome results to support their competency to perform the proposed activity.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will have provisions to allow for innovation, while balancing the need for data and performance-based decision-making. Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will be posted publicly on a platform that is accessible to the public.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will consider the severity of needs and vulnerabilities of the proposed target population in its objective criteria – and aligns its prioritization of these needs with the needs identified through the community needs assessment process.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will avoid conflict of interest.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will only fund programs that follow a Housing First approach.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

**Local Project Selection Assessment Statement:** The process will include people with lived experience to have meaningful and purposeful opportunities to inform and shape all levels of planning and implementation.

Local Project Selection Assessment Response: Yes

### 6. Racial Equity Efforts

HHAP-2 applicants should prioritize the advancement of racial equity at every level of the homelessness response system. Applicants must be actively involved in their homelessness response systems, facilitating partnerships among service organizations, and promoting racial equity practices. Applicants must respond to disproportionality in access to services, service provision, and outcomes. Applicants cannot simply rely on delivering a standardization of services to address equity. Applicants have the responsibility to examine their data to ensure all eligible persons receive equitable services, support, and are served with dignity, respect, and compassion regardless of circumstances, ability, or identity.

HCFC encourages applicants to consider how these funds are accessible to smaller and non-traditional organizations that have historically served communities of color but may not have previously participated formally in the CoC or been a part of the homeless provider community, and how these funds would address the organizational capacity of organizations that are led by Black, Latinx, Asian, Pacific Islander, and Native and Indigenous people that support the goal of reducing and ending homelessness.

To successfully complete this section of the application, applicants will need to provide the following:

- Using the <u>Racial Demographic Data Worksheet</u> (<u>Appendix D</u>), please provide the Continuum of Care Outcomes by Race and Ethnicity.
- 2. Describe how the local homelessness response system or projects the applicant is planning use policy and practices to ensure equal access and non-discrimination when serving prospective and new program participants.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 2 - Begin Answer

The local Continuum of Care has strengthened our housing policies and services to improve the housing outcomes for all people experiencing homelessness and this include reinforcement of HUD's Equal Access Rule, HUD's Gender Identity Rule and Fair Housing Rules amongst others. The CoC uses marketing strategies that include direct outreach to people on the street and in public locations. The County has one single entry point location, and it is accessible by persons with mobility/disabilities, has translation services and bilingual intake staff. The same assessment approach is used to make uniform decisions regarding services and housing. All criteria used to make enrollment determinations for housing programs is documented by intake workers and case managers and consistently applied.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 2 - End Answer

3. How does the applicant's grant making process and/or funding decisions include prioritization of programs that are addressing the disproportionate impacts that homelessness and COVID-19 have on communities of color, particularly Black, Latinx, Asian, Pacific Islander and Indigenous communities?

Racial Equity Efforts Question 3 - Begin Answer

Because Trinity County is not ethnically diverse, there are no current programs that address disproportionate impacts that homelessness has on specific communities. As well, the County has one service provider so housing/homeless grant funding is awarded to that non-profit provider.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 3 - End Answer

4. How are the voices of Black, Latinx, Asian, Pacific Islander and Indigenous communities being developed as central in creating effective approaches to reducing and ending homelessness?

Racial Equity Efforts Question 4 - Begin Answer

The Continuum of Care solicits participation in the CoC and stakeholders groups from all communities within the County to ensure a comprehensive representation from the general public. Currently the continuum includes a member of the Hmong and Hispanic communities which is indicative of our population. Although there is a significant population of Native Americans in the County, there are very well represented by the local Rancheria which has its own housing and health care branches.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 4 - End Answer

5. Does the applicant have a strategy to expand the reach of funding to underserved and marginalized communities and non-traditional providers who can reach and serve disproportionately impacted communities? If so, please describe.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 5 - Begin Answer

No, the single service provider does not have capacity to expand, nor is there funding to support the broader impact that is necessary to meet the very rural and disproportionately served communities in Trinity County.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 5 - End Answer

6. Describe how the priority population(s) learn about and enter local homelessness programs, including marketing and communication strategies used.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 6 - Begin Answer

Outreach to the general public is done via social media, the internet, county and service provider websites and via the local Health and Human Services Department. Each of these communication efforts advise that the

# single point of entry for homeless services is through the Human Response Network.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 6 - End Answer

7. How is the applicant making community project grants accessible to smaller organizations that have historically served communities of color, but may not have previously participated formally in the CoC or as a part of the "homeless provider" community?

Racial Equity Efforts Question 7 - Begin Answer

We don't-there is only provider, period. Additionally, there is less than 1% of the overall county population includes persons of color.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 7 - End Answer

8. How does the applicant partner with organizations that are addressing racial equity in the housing and homelessness response system?

Racial Equity Efforts Question 8 - Begin Answer

The one non-profit provider and the public agencies have all instituted equity policies into their daily practices and every organization in the county that provides a program or service related to the crisis response system is integrated into the Continuum of Care where we consistently evaluate programs, address equity, determine need and evaluate performance.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 8 - End Answer

9. How will the applicant ensure that racial disparities are addressed with this funding?

Racial Equity Efforts Question 9 - Begin Answer

Apply tools that will help the CoC analyze our data to identify and address disparities in intake, assessment, services, housing and recidivism. The County agrees to participate in available TA from the state to increase awareness and service that speak to the specific needs of the youth that are experiencing homelessness in the community.

Racial Equity Efforts Question 9 - End Answer

In addition to the narrative questions above, check all boxes that apply to the applicant's community:

Table – Racial Equity Assessment

### RACIAL EQUITY ASSESSMENT (check all that apply)

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We have a racial equity policy within the organization I work for.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We collect racial, ethnic and linguistic data on clients and constituents outside of HMIS.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We provide language interpreter/translator services for people who speak languages other than English.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We collect data on service-user or constituent satisfaction with our organization regarding racial equity.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We have formal partnerships with organizations of color.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implementing but could benefit from assistance

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We allocate resources for engagement and outreach in communities of color.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implementing but could benefit from assistance

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** Racial equity and cultural competency training are offered to employees within the applicant's organization.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We meet regularly with leaders from communities of color specifically to discuss racial equity within the homelessness system.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implementing but could benefit from assistance

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We analyze to assess whether equitable access to new and existing shelter facilities is being provided to people of color, especially Black, Latinx, and Indigenous populations most impacted by homelessness, and examine data to determine if there are other disparities to be addressed, such as by age, ethnicity, disability, gender status, family composition, etc.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We have convened and actively engage with a lived experience board that represents the population served.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We ensure strategies and communications efforts have broad geographic reach, including into rural areas and in support of Tribal communities.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** Providers and front-line staff reflect the people they serve including the necessary language skills to serve sub-populations.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We have access to data on racial/ethnic disparities to guide our planning and implementation of HHAP funding.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** Our work includes performance measures to determine how well we are doing to address racial disparities.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We have developed and implemented a plan to address racial disparities in the homelessness response system.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

**Racial Equity Assessment Statement:** We host or participate in trainings dedicated to improving equitable outcomes.

Racial Equity Assessment Response: Implemented

### 7. Regional Collaboration and Partnerships

HHAP program funds are intended to support regional coordination and expand local capacity to address homelessness. Demonstration of how jurisdictions have coordinated and will continue to coordinate with other jurisdictions is a critical factor of funding. With HHAP-1 funding, applicants were required to partner with other applicants to make collective funding decisions for their communities. HHAP-2 funding should increase and improve those partnership efforts.

To successfully complete this section of the application, applicants must provide the following:

1. Describe the process by which neighboring HHAP-funded jurisdictions are coordinating together to address homelessness, including funding collaboration and coordination, peer learning, and data sharing.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 1 - Begin Answer
The Dos Rios Continuum of Care consists of three counties, Colusa and Glenn
Counties are more than 2 hours away from the County seat of Trinity,
Weaverville. The Continuum of Care splits funding passed through the
continuum equitably to all three counties. Data sharing, through HMIS is also
a coordinated effort. With respect to housing and service coordination,
because the counties are so far apart, there is no coordination of services or
housing across county lines; however, we do share best practices, peer
learning, and policies and procedures to address homelessness and housing
challenges.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 1 - End Answer

2. Describe the ways HCFC funding plans are coordinated with regional partners that are also receiving HCFC funding. If there are changes to the funding plans, how are partners informed of these changes?

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 2 - Begin Answer Development of a funding plan across the Dos Rios CoC partners is easily coordinated. To the best of my knowledge, there is one funded entity in each of the three counties and services and coordination of effort is typically confined within each county.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 2 - End Answer

3. Using the experience with HHAP-1 planning, describe successes that have come out of regional coordination and partnering efforts. Also, describe any barriers the applicant has experienced in working with regional partners. Explain any strategies identified that have contributed to the address these barriers.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 3 - Begin Answer The barriers experienced are due to the distance from our partners, the lack of housing availability in each of the counties, a lack of staffing capacity and the desire for each county to work within their own boundaries to address housing/homeless concerns. The allocation of pass through funding, the sharing of ideas/concepts/best practices has all been beneficial in addressing local needs.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 3 - End Answer

4. How will HHAP-2 funding support and scale current partnerships?

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 4 - Begin Answer HHAP 2 funding will ensure continuity of transitional and emergency shelter units available for short term needs. Across the three county CoC, the Lead Agency (Glenn) serves as the applicant for funding on behalf of the CoC, bringing resources to the CoC to be equitably split across the 3 counties. Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 4 - End Answer

5. Describe applicant's share of the regional need as well as the share of the regional need from partnering jurisdictions (CoC, County, Large City). Describe the methodology used for determining the share of the regional need.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 5 - Begin Answer Colusa, Glenn and Trinity Counties have a very similar regional need with unique challenges within each county such as remoteness, lack of community-based organizations that address homelessness, and significant shortages in housing stock and especially affordable housing. The recent fires over the last couple of years in the region have further impacted the housing inventory. The population in Glenn and Colusa Counties is relatively similar; however, Trinity County is about half their size. Trinity County has typically had a larger homeless population and a significantly higher number of chronically homeless persons. In the Dos Rios CoC, each of these counties get equal parts of funding that runs through the CoC. Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 5 - End Answer

6. Describe how HHAP-2 funds will be integrated into the current regional strategic plan to address homelessness. Has the region's strategy for use of HHAP funding changed since HHAP-1?

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 6 - Begin Answer Continuity of the limited number of housing programs in key to the regional strategy to address homelessness; that has not changed since Round 1. Since each of the regional counties have limited service provider capacity and an

inadequate number of beds in each county, retaining what we currently operate and slowly building that capacity over time is the goal.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 6 - End Answer

7. When spending plans need to be adjusted in response to changing needs in the community, how are collaborative partners involved in those decisions?

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 7 - Begin Answer
The Executive Committee of the Dos Rios CoC, which is represented by two
members from each county, discusses plans, goals, changes, and funding
each month; decisions are made by role call vote of members present.
Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 7 - End Answer

8. Has a youth-specific strategy been identified within the applicant's region? If so, please describe. If not, why not?

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 8 - Begin Answer No specific strategy has been identified in Trinity County, although the partnership between the school liaison and the housing coordinator and the case management team is meeting the needs of the youth population. Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 8 - End Answer

9. Describe how youth-specific local partners are involved in making regional planning or spending decisions.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 9 - Begin Answer The only youth-specific partner in Trinity County is through the Trinity County Office of Education and the McKinney Vento Liaison; the liaison is attends the monthly CoC meetings and advocates for the youth population, as well this individual works with our local provider and crisis response system to identify needs that may be addressed using available funding. The County agrees to participate in available TA from the state to that can increase awareness and service that speak to the specific needs of the youth that are experiencing homelessness in the community.

Regional Collaboration and Partnerships Question 9 - End Answer

### 8. Housing First Assessment

Housing First-oriented programs are low or no barrier and client-centered, emphasizing client-choice. Housing is not viewed as a reward or incentive for achieving specific goals or participating in a specific program, but as necessary to help a family or individual stabilize and meaningfully access services, which are offered as needed on a voluntary basis. In practice, this means that programs connect participants to permanent housing as quickly as possible with few to no preconditions, behavioral contingencies, or other barriers at enrollment or throughout the program.

Health and Safety Code Section 50220.5(g) mandates that all recipients of state homelessness funding shall comply with Housing First as provided in Chapter 6.5 (commencing with Section 8255) of Division 8 of the Welfare and Institutions Code.

To successfully complete this section of the application, applicants will need to assess their current policies and check all that apply:

Table – Housing First Assessment

### Housing First Assessment (check all that apply)

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Access to programs is not contingent on sobriety, minimum income requirements, lack of a criminal record, completion of treatment, participation in services, or other unnecessary conditions.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Programs or projects do everything possible not to reject an individual or family on the basis of poor credit or financial history, poor or lack of rental history, minor criminal convictions, or behaviors that are interpreted as indicating a lack of "housing readiness." Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** People with disabilities are offered clear opportunities to request reasonable accommodations within applications and screening processes and during tenancy and building and apartment units include special physical features that accommodate disabilities. Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Programs or projects that cannot serve someone work through the coordinated entry process to ensure that those individuals or families have access to housing and services elsewhere.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Housing and service goals and plans are highly client centered and driven.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Supportive services emphasize engagement and problem-solving over therapeutic goals.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Participation in services or compliance with service plans are not conditions of tenancy but are reviewed with clients and regularly offered as a resource to clients. Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Services are informed by a harm-reduction philosophy that recognizes that drug and alcohol use and addiction are a part of some clients' lives. Clients are engaged in non-judgmental communication regarding drug and alcohol use and are offered education regarding how to avoid risky behaviors and engage in safer practices.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Substance use in and of itself, without other lease violations, is not considered a reason for eviction.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Clients are given reasonable flexibility in paying their share of rent on time and offered special payment arrangements for rent arrears and/or assistance with financial management, including representative payee arrangements as needed.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

**Housing First Assessment Statement:** Every effort is made to provide a client the opportunity to transfer from one housing situation, program, or project to another if a tenancy is in jeopardy. Whenever possible, eviction back into homelessness is avoided.

Housing First Assessment Response: Yes

### 9. Expenditure Plan

HHAP-2 Submission Expenditure Plan - NOFA-HHAP00138

CoC / Large City / County Name:

CoC / Large City / County Name Response: Trinity

Administrative Entity Name:

Administrative Entity Name Response: Human Response Network

Receiving Redirected Funds?

Receiving Redirected Funds? Response: No

<u>Total Redirected Funding:</u>

Total Redirected Funding Response:

### Table – HHAP Funding Expenditure Plan – Eligible Use Categories and Funding

	FY 20/21	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 24/25	FY 25/26	TOTAL
Rapid Rehousing							\$0.00
Rapid Rehousing: Youth Set-Aside							
Operating Subsidies and Reserves	\$19,413.00	\$20,000.00					\$39,413.00

Operating Subsidies and Reserves: Youth Set-Aside	\$1,500.00	\$1,653.04			\$3,153.04
Street Outreach					\$0.00
Street Outreach: Youth Set-Aside					
Services Coordination					\$0.00
Services Coordination: Youth Set-Aside					
Systems Support					\$0.00
Systems Support: Youth Set-Aside					
Delivery of Permanent Housing					\$0.00
Delivery of Permanent Housing: Youth Set-Aside					
Prevention and Shelter Diversion					\$0.00
Prevention and Shelter Diversion: Youth Set-Aside					
New Navigation Centers and Emergency Shelters					\$0.00
New Navigation Centers and Emergency Shelters: Youth Set-Aside					
Strategic Homelessness Planning, Infrastructure Development, CES					\$0.00
and HMIS (up to 5%) Administrative (up to 7%)					\$0.00

### **TOTAL FUNDING ALLOCATION:**

Total Funding Allocation Response: \$39,413.00

### TOTAL YOUTH SET-ASIDE (at least 8%):

Total Youth Set-Aside (at least 8%) Response: \$3,153.04

# **EXPENDITURE PLAN COMMENTS:**

Expenditure Plan Comments Response:

### 10. HHAP Round 2 Funding Plan 1

Submission ID: NOFA-HHAP00138

### **Intervention Type:**

Intervention Type Response: Services

### **Total Funds Requested:**

Total Funds Requested Response: \$39,413.00

### **HHAP Eligible Uses:**

1. Rapid rehousing

Rapid rehousing response:

2. Operating subsidies

Operating subsidies response: \$39,413.00

3. Street outreach

Street outreach response:

4. Services coordination

Services coordination response:

5. Systems support

Systems support response:

6. Delivery of permanent housing

Delivery of permanent housing response:

7. Prevention and diversion

Prevention and diversion response:

8. New navigation centers and emergency shelters

New navigation centers and emergency shelters response:

(Interim Housing Only Begins)

#### **Demonstrated Need Data:**

# of available shelter beds

# of available shelter beds response:

# of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness in the 2019 homeless point-in-time count

# of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness in the 2019 homeless point-in-time count response:

Shelter vacancy rate (%) in the summer months

Shelter vacancy rate (%) in the summer months response:

Shelter vacancy rate (%) in the winter months

Shelter vacancy rate (%) in the winter months response:

% of exits from emergency shelters to permanent housing solutions % of exits from emergency shelters to permanent housing solutions

response:

Describe plan to connect residents to permanent housing

Describe plan to connect residents to permanent housing response:

(Interim Housing Only Ends)

2. Describe the scale and scope of anticipated intervention model and outline the key service components expected to be provided with this funding.

Funding Plan – Question 2 – Response Begins

County funding under this opportunity is limited, so the County will be utilizing the funding to support the operations of our project-based transitional housing and the non-congregate emergency shelter units. These models provide the swiftest approach to moving individuals and families out of homelessness but gives the participants the flexibility to remain in the program until private housing and subsidies become available to them. Funding Plan – Question 2 – Response Ends

3. Describe how the requested investment amount for this intervention will help your community achieve regional goals and address specific gaps in the homeless response system as identified in the regional gaps assessment.

Funding Plan – Question 3 – Response Begins

. The aforementioned intervention models are the only two short-term intervention programs that the County has for households that need time to remove barriers prior to graduating to permanent housing. This investment will support local needs and without them would create a more significant gap in our crisis response system than we already have

Funding Plan – Question 3 – Response Ends

4. Check any specific population(s) expected to be served through this intervention investment.

Funding Plan – Question 4 – Response Begins

Submitter expects to serve the following specific populations:

Adults with children

Adults without children

Unaccompanied Youth (12-24yr of age per definition in HHAP statute)

Domestic Violence Survivors

Individuals with Co-occurring Disorders (Substance Use and Mental Health)
COVID High Risk – individuals at high-risk for contracting COVID
Parenting Youth

Funding Plan – Question 4 – Response Ends

5. Describe how this intervention investment will address the disproportionate impacts of homelessness on communities of color, particularly Black, Latinx, Asian, Pacific Islander, and Native and Indigenous communities.

Funding Plan – Question 5 – Response Begins

This funding will not address any disproportionate impact of homelessness in a County that lacks communities of color, Latinx, Asian, and Pacific Islander. The local Rancheria meets the needs of the Native American and Indigenous communities within the County. Because the County is not ethnically diverse and data demonstrates no disproportionate impacts with respect to accessing or receiving services, the intervention investment will benefit the general population of homeless, regardless of ethnicity or race

Funding Plan – Question 5 – Response Ends

6. Describe how and how often performance will be measured for this intervention investment.

Funding Plan – Question 6 – Response Begins

Outcomes will be reviewed no less than twice annually, but may be reviewed as frequently as quarterly.

Funding Plan – Question 6 – Response Ends

7. If this intervention investment is expected to serve youth experiencing homelessness (as defined in HSC § 50216 (k) what youth-specific best practices will be utilized to ensure they can access the services?

Funding Plan – Question 7 – Response Begins

The Housing Coordinator and Case Manager will work in tandem with the McKinney Vento Liaison to:

- 1. Eliminate barriers to accessing programs as it relates to age and expectations
- 2. Work with the youth to obtain an identification card and establish a place to receive mail
- 3. Utilize their skills in understanding trauma/ACES and how that impacts youth's understanding of our crisis response system and engagement thereof
- 4. Share all available resources and encourage participation in the program that best suits their needs
- 5. Establish rapport and build a relationship that the youth can trust
- 6. Creating safe and appropriate settings for youth to access services Funding Plan Question 7 Response Ends

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### **Intervention Type:**

Intervention Type Response:

### **Total Funds Requested:**

Total Funds Requested Response:

## **HHAP Eligible Uses:**

- 1. Rapid rehousing Rapid rehousing response:
- Operating subsidiesOperating subsidies response:
- Street outreachStreet outreach response:
- 4. Services coordination Services coordination response:
- 5. Systems supportSystems support response:
- 6. Delivery of permanent housingDelivery of permanent housing response:
- 7. Prevention and diversion Prevention and diversion response:
- 8. New navigation centers and emergency shelters New navigation centers and emergency shelters response:

(Interim Housing Only Begins)

### **Demonstrated Need Data:**

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(Interim Housing Only Ends)

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Funding Plan – Question 2 – Response Begins
Funding Plan – Question 2 – Response Ends
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Funding Plan – Question 3 – Response Ends
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Funding Plan – Question 4 – Response Begins
Submitter expects to serve the following specific populations:
Funding Plan – Question 4 – Response Ends
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Funding Plan – Question 5 – Response Ends
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Funding Plan – Question 6 – Response Begins
Funding Plan – Question 6 – Response Ends
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- 8. New navigation centers and emergency shelters New navigation centers and emergency shelters response:

(Interim Housing Only Begins)

#### **Demonstrated Need Data:**

- # of available shelter beds
- # of available shelter beds response:
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- # of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness in the 2019 homeless point-in-time count response:

% of exits from emergency shelters to permanent housing solutions % of exits from emergency shelters to permanent housing solutions response:

Describe plan to connect residents to permanent housing Describe plan to connect residents to permanent housing response:

(Interim Housing Only Ends)

2. Describe the scale and scope of anticipated intervention model and outline the key service components expected to be provided with this funding.

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Funding Plan – Question 2 – Response Begins
Funding Plan – Question 2 – Response Ends
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3. Describe how the requested investment amount for this intervention will help your community achieve regional goals and address specific gaps in the homeless response system as identified in the regional gaps assessment.

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Funding Plan – Question 3 – Response Begins
Funding Plan – Question 3 – Response Ends
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4. Check any specific population(s) expected to be served through this intervention investment.

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Funding Plan – Question 4 – Response Begins
Submitter expects to serve the following specific populations:
Funding Plan – Question 4 – Response Ends
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5. Describe how this intervention investment will address the disproportionate impacts of homelessness on communities of color, particularly Black, Latinx, Asian, Pacific Islander, and Native and Indigenous communities.

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Funding Plan – Question 5 – Response Begins
Funding Plan – Question 5 – Response Ends
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Funding Plan – Question 6 – Response Begins
Funding Plan – Question 6 – Response Ends
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### **Intervention Type:**

Intervention Type Response:

### **Total Funds Requested:**

Total Funds Requested Response:

## **HHAP Eligible Uses:**

- Rapid rehousing
   Rapid rehousing response:
- Operating subsidiesOperating subsidies response:
- Street outreachStreet outreach response:
- 4. Services coordination
  Services coordination response:
- 5. Systems supportSystems support response:
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#### Homelessness Response Local Investment Plan

Please refer to the following for guidance and a sample plan:

Guide to Strategic Uses of Key State and Federal Funds to Reduce Homelessness During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Use the Table below to complete the Regional Resources Guide for submittal with your HHAP application. Refer to the Sample Local Investment Plan on page 11 of the Guide to Strategic Uses of Key State and Federal Funds as an example (link above).

Applicant Name:

HRN/Trinity County

#### Part 1: Summary of Investment Plan

- 1. Prioritize and assist persons experiencing homelessness through non-congregate shelter, based on local availability
- 2. Strategically pair multiple funding sources (state and federal) to reduce homeless and stop the spread of COVID-19
- 3. Utilizing a housing first apprach, deliver racially equitable housing and supportive services using the VI-SPDAT to assess vulnerability and determine prioritization for available beds

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#### Part 2: Priority and Order of Use of Funding Sources

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unded Activity:	Services	Funded Activity:	Short Term	Funded Activity:	Capital	Funded Activity:			
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larrative Description (Optional):	Coordinator/Navigator to begin December 2020; housing	Narrative Description (Optional):	Admin	Narrative Description (Optional):	pplying for Round 4 competitive	Narrative Description (Optional):			
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unding Amount:	\$39,413.00	Funding Amount:	\$806,995.00	Funding Amount:		Funding Amount:			
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Funding Source: Use and Priority #5		Funding Source: Use and Priority #5		Funding Source: Use and Priority #5	Funding Source: Use and Priority #5	
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Funding Amount:		Funding Amount:	\$140,669.00	Funding Amount:	Funding Amount:	
Unit of Measure:		Unit of Measure:	Individual	Unit of Measure:	Unit of Measure:	
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Continuum of Care Outcomes by Race and Ethnicity

Go to this link for an instructional video on how to complete this worksheet using Stella: <a href="https://www.loom.com/share/ebeacf98b99f4823a9db5c32e5ee012b">https://www.loom.com/share/ebeacf98b99f4823a9db5c32e5ee012b</a> [loom.com]

Applicant Name:	Glenn County		CoC Name, if different:		Dos Rios CA-523											
Using data from Stella, please insert outcomes here	from the FY18 su	bmission:														
	Head of Households Served in Any Project Type <sup>1</sup>		Served in Shelters & Transitional Housing <sup>2</sup>		Exiting to Permanent Housing <sup>3</sup>		Days Homeless <sup>4</sup>		Accessing Permanent Supportive Housing <sup>5</sup>		Returns to Homelessness <sup>6</sup>		Other Measure:		Other Measure:	
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White, Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino	36	67%	0	#DIV/0!	19	61%	25	64%	0	#DIV/0!	13	76%		#DIV/0!		#DIV/0!
White, Hispanic/Latino	14	26%	0	#DIV/0!	9	29%	11	28%	0	#DIV/0!	1	6%		#DIV/0!		#DIV/0!
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