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Sacramento – Today the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) announced awards totaling \$8.4 million to be used to assist California communities prevent homelessness and help persons experiencing homelessness.

More than 50 organizations across California received awards from this round of funding, ensuring that relief from homelessness casts a wide-reaching net.

A great example of how these funds can help is Humboldt County's Arcata House Partnership, which received \$243,253 towards its Transitional Housing and Rapid Re-housing Programs. The Arcata House Partnership, founded in 1991, is a partnership between the City of Arcata and a group of concerned citizens and local churches who saw that homelessness is everyone's responsibility.

These funds from Emergency Solutions Grant Program will help the Partnership provide 37 beds for homeless families while providing additional funding for case management, housing search assistance, education services, employment and job training, life skills training, and operating costs. Funds will also help 36 households with rental application fees, security deposits and up to six months of rental assistance.

"The Arcata House Partnership is just one of many organizations that help those that need help the most," said Acting Director, Randall A. Deems. "These 58 awards to caring organizations give a hand up to people in desperate straits, and will help communities provide shelters to families who are trying to achieve economic and social independence."

This round of funding is being used for wide-ranging activities across the state:

- 36 Emergency Shelter Projects totaling \$4,856,006
- 4 Street Outreach Projects totaling \$328,727
- 4 Homeless Prevention Projects totaling \$342,860
- 18 Rapid Re-housing Projects totaling \$2,265,267
- Homeless Management Information System activities totaling \$488,738
- Grant Administration totaling \$109,780

A complete list of project awardees is on the following pages.

The California Department of Housing and Community Development is dedicated to the preservation and expansion of safe and affordable housing so more Californians have a place to call home. Our team works to ensure an adequate supply of housing for Californians and promotes the growth of strong communities through its leadership, policy and program development. For more information, please visit www.hcd.ca.gov.

Emergency Solutions Grants Program Award List

Alameda County		
Emergency Shelter Program, Inc.	Hayward	168,385
City of Hayward	Hayward	168,385
Tri-Valley Haven for Women	Livermore	168,000
Cornerstone Community Development Corporation	San Leandro	168,385
Abode Services	Fremont	168,385
Cornerstone Community Development Corporation	San Leandro	168,385
County Total:		\$1,009,925
Amador County		
Amador-Tuolumne Community Action Agency	Jackson	95,525
Amador-Tuolumne Community Action Agency	Jackson	168,385
County Total:		\$263,910
Butte County		
Community Action Agency of Butte County, Inc.	Chico	\$168,385
Chico Community Shelter Partnership	Chico	\$168,385
County Total:		\$336,770
Contra Costa County		
SHELTER, Inc. of Contra Costa County	Martinez	168,385
SHELTER, Inc. of Contra Costa County	Martinez	116,000
Trinity Center Walnut Creek	Walnut Creek	110,000.00
County Total:		\$394,385
El Dorado County		
The Center for Violence-Free Relationships	Placerville	\$55,500
County Total:		\$55,500
Humboldt County		
Arcata House Partnership	Arcata	\$135,000
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County Total:		\$243,253
Imperial County		
WomanHaven, Inc.	El Centro	\$167,475
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County Total:		\$319,210
Los Angeles County		
1736 Family Crisis Center	Los Angeles	\$168,385
The Salvation Army, a California Corporation	Long Beach	\$168,385
The Salvation Army, a California Corporation	Long Beach	\$129,450
The Salvation Army, a California Corporation	Long Beach	\$102,808
Ocean Park Community Center	Santa Monica	\$100,000
County Total:		\$669,028
Marin County		
Homeward Bound of Marin	Novato	\$165,000
Center for Domestic Peace	San Rafael	\$168,385
Ritter Center	San Rafael	\$141,800
County Total:		\$475,185
Napa County		
Community Action of Napa Valley	Napa	\$168,345
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County Total:		\$336,690
Nevada County		
Foothill House of Hospitality	Grass Valley	\$149,460
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Family Resource Center of Truckee	Truckee	\$124,339
The Salvation Army	Grass Valley	\$76,125
County Total:		\$518,309
Orange County		
Fullerton Interfaith Emergency Service	Fullerton	\$56,850
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Interval House	Seal Beach	\$168,385
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County Total:		\$562,005
Placer County		
The Gathering Inn	Roseville	\$61,205

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Stand Up Placer, Inc.	Auburn	\$168,385
County Total:		\$302,990
Riverside County		
Martha's Village and Kitchen, Inc.	Indio	\$168,000
County Total:		\$168,000
San Mateo County		
Samaritan House	San Mateo	\$168,385
County Total:		\$168,385
Santa Barbara County		
Transition House	Santa Barbara	\$168,385
Transition House	Santa Barbara	\$65,400
Good Samaritan Shelter	Santa Maria	\$105,584
County Total:		\$339,369
Santa Cruz County		
Homeless Services Center	Santa Cruz	\$168,385
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County Total:		\$336,770
Sonoma County		
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Santa Rosa	Santa Rosa	\$168,385
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Committee on the Shelterless	Petaluma	\$168,385
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County Total:		\$841,925
Tehama County		
Alternatives to Violence	Red Bluff	\$168,385
County Total:		\$168,385
Ventura County		
Turning Point Foundation	Ventura	\$168,384
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County Total:		\$228,384
Yolo County		
United Christian Centers of the Greater Sacramento Area, Inc.	West Sacramento	\$159,509
Yolo Wayfarer Center (Christian Mission)	Woodland	\$168,385
County Total:		\$327,894
Yuba County		
The Salvation Army	Marysville	\$168,385
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County Total:		\$336,730
Grand Total of All Awards		\$8,403,002