



State of California
BUSINESS, CONSUMER SERVICES AND HOUSING AGENCY



CALIFORNIA

HOMELESS COORDINATING AND FINANCING COUNCIL

Council Meeting
June 17, 2021

Agenda for Today

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call
- II. Adoption of March 23, 2021 Meeting Summary
- III. State's Interagency Coordination on Homelessness
- IV. HCFC Council Member Updates
- V. 2021-22 California State Budget Update
- VI. Legislative Report
- VII. California Department of Education ARP Plan Stakeholder Input
- VIII. Future Meeting Agendas
- IX. Public Comments on Items Not on the Agenda
- X. Adjournment

Item II.

Adoption of March 23, 2021 Meeting Summary

Item III. State's Interagency Coordination on Homelessness

Action Plan Next Steps

- Action Plan approved March 23rd, 2021
- Ongoing tasks:
 - Developing reporting methods and collecting information from Council departments regarding activities
 - Formation of HCFC working groups, beginning with State Funding and Programs Working Group

Activities Reporting & Tracking

- Collecting information for FY 20-21 in August 2021

Activities for Report-Back	
33 Activities led by State departments	20 with only narrative/qualitative measures
	8 with both qualitative and quantitative measures
	5 with only numeric/quantitative measures

- Council Staff will additionally report back on 24 Activities led by HCFC

Action Plan Next Steps

Timeline	
Aug 2021	Request and Collect FY 20-21 Measures for Activities from Each Department
Sep 2021	Report back progress to Council during 9/22/21 Council Meeting
Nov 2021	Summary Report of FY 20-21 Implementation Progress
Feb 2022	Request and Collect FY 21-22 Q1 & Q2 Measures for Activities from Each Department
Mar 2022	Report back progress to Council during March 2022 Council Meeting
Aug 2022	Request and Collect FY 21-22 Q3 & Q4 Measures for Activities from Each Department
Nov 2022	Summary Report(s) of FY 21-22

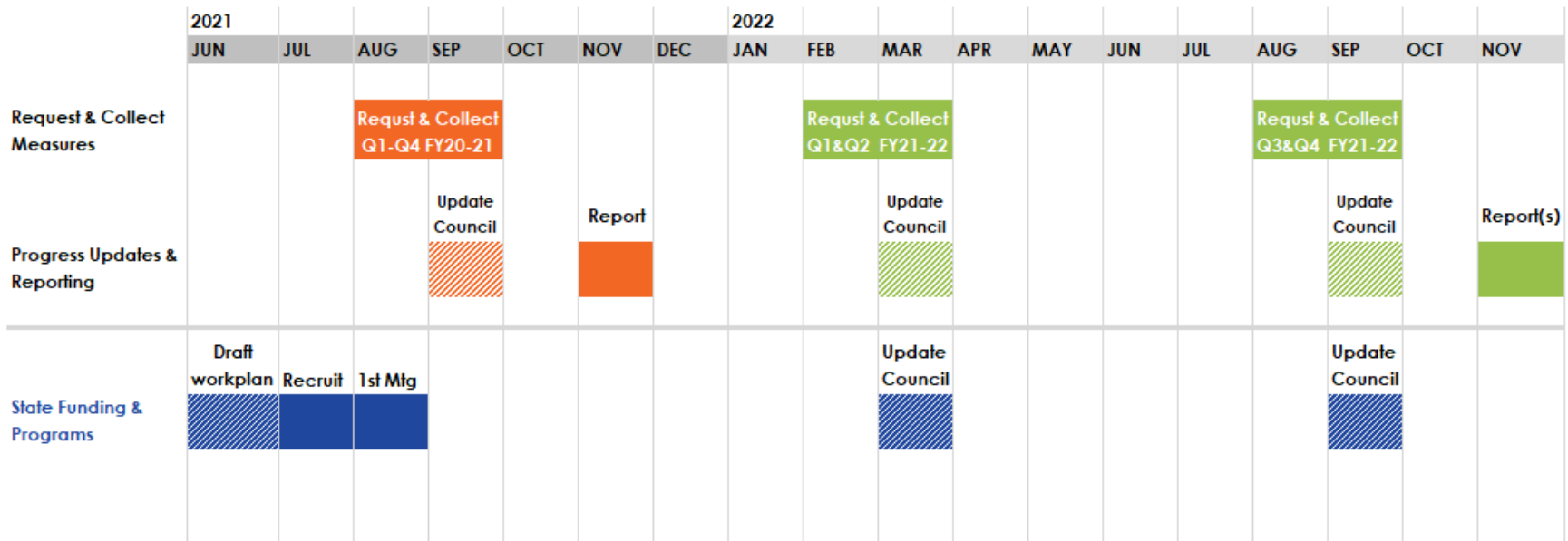
State Funding Programs Working Group

Goals

- Coordinating, streamlining, and strengthening state funding for homelessness
- Improving access to funding for historically marginalized or underserved populations
- Collecting and analyzing data to strengthen shared efforts to improve coordination among state programs

Timeline	
Jun 2021	Draft workplan and objectives
Jul 2021	Begin recruitment and send invites
Aug 2021	First Meeting
Aug 2021 and on	Regular meetings (TBD) & reports back to Council at Quarterly Council Meeting

Timeline Recap



Item IV.

HCFC Council Member Updates

- Major activities since last meeting
- Upcoming activities in quarter ahead
- Funding and/or program deadlines

Item V.

2021-22 California State Budget

- State investments in housing and homelessness

Item VI. Legislative Report

- Overview of current legislative bills on homelessness

Homelessness Legislation

- In addition to the many exciting homelessness proposals in the state budget, the Council also continues to work with the legislature on ways to further the administration's homelessness agenda through policy bills.
- While many bills have been introduced this legislative session to address the crisis of homelessness, a handful of those bills aim to make changes to the Council and increase the ability for the Council to effectively coordinate and evaluate our statewide efforts to prevent and end homelessness.

AB 816 (Chiu)

State and Local Agencies: Homelessness Plan

- Intent is to reduce homelessness by 90% by the end of the decade
- Would require HCFC to complete a statewide needs and gaps analysis
- Would require HCD and locals to set benchmark goals to reduce homelessness and requires state and local entities to submit yearly progress reports
- Would establish a Housing and Homelessness Inspector General in HCD who can audit, support with technical assistance, and pursue legal action against jurisdictions that don't meet their goals

AB 977 (Gabriel) Homelessness Programs: HMIS

- Intent is to improve the accuracy and availability of statewide homelessness data and to develop accountability measures to better inform fiscal and policy decisions
- Would require specified homelessness services programs report client data into HMIS
- Would require COCs to continue to report their HMIS data to the Council
- Would require the Council collect, compile, and report out on fiscal data for all state-funded homelessness programs

Homelessness: California Interagency Council on Homelessness

- Renames HCFC the California Interagency Council on Homelessness
- Adds five departments to the Council's membership, including Public Health, Aging, Rehabilitation, State Hospitals, and the Workforce Development Board
- Establishes an advisory committee with specified stakeholders and those with lived experience that must meet regularly with the Council
- Mandates that state agencies or departments that administer state homelessness programs participate in council workgroups and provide the council relevant information regarding their programs

Item VII.

California Department of Education (CDE) ARP Plan Stakeholder Input

- Presentation of the CDE's plan for stakeholder input

Item VIII.

Future Meeting Agendas

- Discussion of matters not on the agenda for consideration at future meetings

Item IX. Public Comments on Items Not on the Agenda

Item X. Adjournment

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