
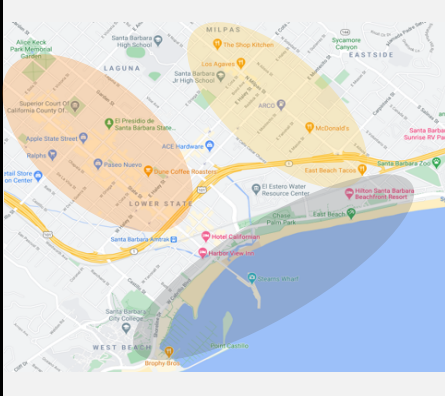







<div> <b>ACT</b> On Homelessness</div> <div><b>Regional Action Plans</b> Jan - Mar 2021 Progress Report</div>		<div><b>Trainings Provided</b></div> <div>City Net De-Escalation Strategies New Beginnings Safe Parking Presentation PATH Scattered-Site Housing First Presentation SBPD Co-Response Presentation City of SB Monthly Encampment Data Presentation City Net Monthly Street Exit Presentation PATH Monthly Update (Eastside)</div>		
Total Encampment Reports <b>325</b>				
Total # of Cleanups <b>94</b>				
Primary Case Management Partner: City Net				
Eastside	# Encampment Reports <b>7</b>	<div>Street Exits <div><div>7</div><div>25</div></div></div>	<div><b>Targeted Region</b> <b>Speedy Mart (826 N Milpas St)</b></div> <div><b>Targeted Approach:</b> Coordinated outreach by City Net &amp; SBPD to frequently-intoxicated individuals Site vacated &amp; individuals living onsite connected with City Net</div> <div><b>In Progress:</b> Parking restrictions under review; owner requested a 30-min zone</div> <div><b>Other ongoing targeted areas</b> <b>Mechanics Bank (914 Carpinteria St)</b></div>	
	# Experiencing Homelessness <b>70</b>	# Housed <b>4</b>		
		# Referred to Bridge Housing <b>2</b>		
		# Referred to Temporary Shelter <b>1</b>		
		# Relocations (Diversions) <b>0</b>		
State Street	# Encampment Reports <b>117</b>	<div>Street Exits <div><div>6</div><div>25</div></div></div>	<div><b>Targeted Region</b> <b>Marshall's (900 State St)</b></div> <div><b>Targeted Approach:</b> Consistent, coordinated outreach by City Net &amp; SBPD City deployment of resources in March 2021</div> <div><b>Environmental Changes:</b> Sit/Lie Ordinance signs posted, other boundary markers</div> <div><b>Other ongoing targeted areas</b> <b>De La Guerra Plaza Museum of Art (1100-1200)</b></div>	
		# Housed <b>2</b>		
	# Experiencing Homelessness <b>150</b>	# Referred to Bridge Housing <b>1</b>		
		# Referred to Temporary Shelter <b>2</b>		
		# Relocations (Diversions) <b>1</b>		
Waterfront	# Encampment Reports <b>142</b>	<div>Street Exits <div><div>7</div><div>25</div></div></div>	<div><b>Targeted Region</b> <b>Mar Monte Hotel (1111 E Cabrillo)</b></div> <div><b>Targeted Approaches:</b> Coordinated outreach by City Net, SBPD, Safe Parking, &amp; Behavioral Wellness City deployment of resources to Dwight Murphy Field in Mar 2021</div> <div><b>In Progress:</b> Parking restrictions under review</div> <div><b>Other ongoing targeted areas</b> <b>Plaza Del Mar / Pershing Park</b></div>	
		# Housed <b>7</b>		
	# Experiencing Homelessness <b>120</b>	# Referred to Bridge Housing <b>0</b>		
		# Referred to Temporary Shelter <b>0</b>		
		# Relocations (Diversions) <b>0</b>		
Sources: 1. City of SB, Q1 Encampment Reports Data, 2. City Net Census (September 2020), 3. City Net Q1 Street Exits data				

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**Neighborhood**  
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Progress Report

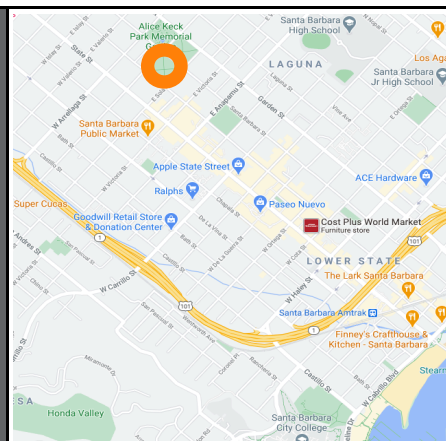
**Sites**

Alameda Park (1400 Santa Barbara St)

**NOTE:** New data reporting system as of Mar 2021

**Partners**

SB ACT  
CARE 4 Paws  
Christ Presbyterian Church  
City Net  
Doctors Without Walls  
Montecito Covenant Church  
Ocean Hills Church  
Reality SB  
SB Response Network  
Showers of Blessing  
Westmont College



**Site: Alameda Park**

**Services  
Provided**

**Meals Shared**



**301**

**Medical Encounters**



**129**

**Showers Facilitated**



**116**



**Volunteers/Personnel Engaged  
Weekly Average**

**Meal-Sharing**

**9**

**Case Management**

**7**

**Medical/Healthcare**

**14.5**

**Showers**

**3**

**Animal Care**

**4**

**Other**

**7**



**Individuals  
Served**

**Individuals Served\***



**177**

**Animals Served\***



**34**

\* may include duplicates



## Working Groups

### 1. Housing Retention

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## Common Agenda Goal #1

Strengthen the capacity of organizations that provide permanent housing placement services to increase the rate of housing retention by 5%

**NOTE: Quantitative Common Agenda goal progress reported in Annual Report**

Strategy	Activities - Q4 2020	Activities - Q1 2021
<b>Coordinate with HACSB to analyze data regarding evictions and identify best practices</b>	Received and Analyzed <b>Eviction Data</b> from HACSB and City Net; Discussed <b>Challenges in Housing Retention for Individuals Experiencing Chronic Homelessness</b> Referred to Permanent Housing Units; HACSB Facilitated Follow-Up Meetings with Providers	Meeting with Legal Aid Foundation and Supportive Service Providers on <b>Tenant Rights</b> Due to COVID-19 Policy Changes and Proposals
<b>Increase engagement and communication for current supportive service partners</b>		Formalized <b>Launch of Housing Retention Working Group</b> ; Identified Objectives and Deliverables for Working Group Focused Initially on HACSB Properties; Working Group Will Meet on the <b>Third Mondays of the Month from 11 am - 12:30pm</b> Starting May 17
<b>Create a "Good Neighbor Handbook" that will be utilized to support residents being placed into permanent housing</b>		Draft of " <b>Good Neighborhood Handbook</b> " Completed with Input from Good Samaritan Shelter and HACSB Programs, Policies & Best Practices; Moving to Develop Draft that Can Be Used by Multiple Providers Countywide
<b>Identify financial resources and key partner agencies to plan, advocate for, and build capacity for bridge or transitional housing</b>		<b>Prioritized Strategy for Temporary Sheltering Solutions</b> and Coordinated with City of SB and City Net on Bridge Housing Program Proposal; <b>Presented Bridge Housing Program Proposal</b> to Collaborative Partners; <b>Garnered Support</b> from Regional Action Plan Stakeholders for Proposal; City Council Approved \$480,000 Contract with City Net to Provide Bridge Housing for Individuals Experiencing Homelessness  Working to <b>Educate Waterfront Regional Action Plan Stakeholders about Bridge Housing Programs</b> in Anticipation of Property Acquisition for this Purpose on the Waterfront; Coordinating with County of SB to Address Questions and Concerns about Bridge Housing Programs and Properties Being Purchased for Future Affordable Housing Solutions

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## Common Agenda Goal #2

Create a culture of diversion and prevention among collaborative partners to reduce the percentage of individuals, youth and families entering homelessness from a housed situation by 10%

**NOTE: Quantitative Common Agenda goal progress reported in Annual Report**

Strategy	Activities - Q4 2020	Activities - Q1 2021
<b>Identify the agencies currently practicing diversion and identify how best to capture and share quantitative and qualitative data</b>	<p>Captured <b>Full List of Agencies Currently Practicing Diversion</b> in City of Santa Barbara; Presentation by <b>City of Santa Barbara Restorative Policing Program</b> and Successes in Re-Unification and Diversion</p>	<p>City Net Reported <b>Quarterly Data on Street Exits</b> Including 21 Street Exits within the Three Regional Action Plans; On Track to Meet Goal of 100 Street Exits by End of 2021</p>
<b>Facilitate regular trainings and workshops for traditional and non-traditional homeless care and shelter providers that can prioritize diversion or rapid resolution</b>	<p>Collaborative Partners Participated in <b>Diversion Training</b> by Cleveland Mediation Center Hosted by County of Santa Barbara; Identified Non-Traditional Homeless Care Providers to be Included in Diversion Trainings</p>	<p>Facilitated <b>Diversion Training</b> for Partners at Alameda Park Neighborhood Navigation Center; Facilitated <b>De-Escalation Training</b> for NNC and Regional Action Plan Partners; Facilitated <b>Psychological First Aid Trainings</b> for NNC Partners in Collaboration with Santa Barbara Response Network</p>
<b>Advocate for an increase in the availability of flexible, financial resources</b>		<p>Proposals Submitted to Public and Private Sector Entities in Support of <b>Neighborhood Navigation Centers</b> Including <b>"Whatever It Takes" Fund</b> for Reunification and Relocation (Diversion)</p> <p><b>Marketing of Santa Barbara County Rental &amp; Utility Assistance</b> Grant Program to Residents; Receiving Regular Updates from County of Santa Barbara and United Way of Santa Barbara County Regarding Grant Program Applications, Recipients, and Program Outputs</p>

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### Common Agenda Goal #3

Increase the number of affordable housing units in the City of Santa Barbara by 20%

**NOTE: Quantitative Common Agenda goal progress reported in Annual Report**

Strategy	Activities - Q4 2020	Activities - Q1 2021
<b>Help to identify vacant and under-utilized lots in each district within the City of Santa Barbara</b>	Presentation of <b>County Map with Zones</b> Allowing Supportive Housing, Emergency Shelters, Low Barrier Navigation Centers by Right	<p><b>Vacant and Under-utilized Lots Identified and Vetted</b> for Temporary Shelter Project; Reached out to Developers and Business Owners for Philanthropic Effort to Donate Use of Property and Land Temporarily; Temporary Shelter Project Transitioned to Proposal for Bridge Housing Program</p> <p>Presentation by Housing Authority of County of Santa Barbara and Housing Authority of City of Santa Barbara of <b>all housing developments recently completed, in process, and proposed</b></p> <p>Collaborative Partners <b>Attended and Demonstrated Support for HACSB</b> Community Meeting on N. Cumbre Road Affordable Housing Project for Families</p>
<b>Increase engagement of collaborative partners in advocating for affordable housing solutions</b>	Collaborative Partners Attended City Council Meeting on 12/15 to <b>Demonstrate Support for Three-Year Strategic Plan</b> to Reduce Homelessness in the City of Santa Barbara including goal to increase affordable housing solutions by 20%	<p>Collaborative Partners <b>Prioritized Temporary Shelter Project</b> to Help Meet Immediate Needs of Unsheltered Population; Learned from County Partners Implementing Temporary Shelter Project in Isla Vista as well as City Net Implementing Projects in Other Counties; <b>Identified Lots</b> to be Utilized for Temporary Shelter Projects and Initiated Discussions with Property Owners</p> <p>Collaborative Partners Attended and Demonstrated Support for HACSB Community Meeting on N. Cumbre Road Affordable Housing Project for Families</p>
<b>Encourage strategic use of ADUs and shared housing opportunities</b>	Presentation from Partners in Housing Solutions and Discussion on <b>Best Practices / Approaches in Shared Housing Solutions</b>	In progress

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### Common Agenda Goal #4

Strengthen the coordination and availability of outreach and case management services for individuals, youth, and families experiencing homelessness by 25%

**NOTE: Quantitative Common Agenda goal progress reported in Annual Report**

Strategy	Activities - Q4 2020	Activities - Q1 2021
<b>Strengthen coordination through Regional Action Plans</b>	Regional Action Plans Facilitated Weekly in Support of State Street and Eastside Neighborhoods; <b>Summit on Homelessness and Resilience</b> Led and Facilitated in Partnership with One Community Bridge Project and Westmont College in Support of the Eastside Neighborhood	Regional Action Plan Initiated to Support <b>Waterfront Residents &amp; Businesses Owners</b> ; Meets Regularly on Wednesday Afternoons; All RAPs Established Three Targeted Regions for 90 Day Plans
<b>Advocate for resources to be allocated and sustained in support of specialized outreach teams</b>	Collaborative Partners Attended City Council Meeting on 12/15 to <b>Demonstrate Support for Expanding Outreach &amp; Case Management by City Net</b> ; City Council Voted in Favor of Proposal Expanding Outreach for an Additional City Net Team and Van	Presentation by <b>Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department Co-Response Unit</b> with Behavioral Wellness at Housing & Shelter Working Group Meeting; Presentation by <b>City of Santa Barbara Police Department's Co-Response Unit</b> at All-Call Regional Action Plan Meeting  Presentation by Wings Santa Cruz County about <b>Best Practices in Engaging Volunteers</b> to Help Case Managers with Client Needs; Discussion Regarding Documentation Readiness and Length of Time it Takes to Help Clients Through This Process; <b>Santa Barbara Public Library Stepping in</b> to Take on This Role with Current Volunteers
<b>Formalize approach to Neighborhood Navigation Center(s) to support individuals experiencing homelessness and the prioritization of diversion or rapid resolution practices</b>	Alameda Park <b>Neighborhood Navigation Center formalized</b> with Memorandums of Understanding (MOU), Online Data Collection Tool and Processes, and Weekly NNC Meeting established on Mondays	<b>Reunification / Diversion Table</b> Established at Alameda Park NNC with Formerly Unhoused Individuals Receiving Stiped for Working at Table; <b>Charging Station</b> Also Implemented for Individuals to Charge Electronic Devices; and Additional Partner ( <b>Santa Barbara Response Network</b> ) Engaged to Support Mental Health Needs

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**The Lived Experience Working Group serves to address all 4 Common Agenda Goals**

**NOTE: Quantitative Common Agenda goal progress reported in Annual Report**

Strategy	Activities - Q4 2020	Activities - Q1 2021
<p><b>To engage those who have lived or are living the experience of homelessness in our leadership structure and every part of our decision making as well as in creating and implementing strategies to achieve goals</b></p>	<p><b>NOTE:</b> Lived Experience Working Group paused during pandemic, to resume in Q2 2021</p> <p>Key Contacts currently serve as touchpoints for needs of people experiencing homelessness during the pandemic</p>	

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## Meeting Times

### Working Groups

*Homelessness Prevention* -  
1st Monday 11am  
*Housing & Shelter* - 2nd Monday 1pm  
*Housing Retention* - 3rd Monday 11am  
*Lived Experience* - TBD

### Regional Action Plans

*Neighborhood Navigation Centers* -  
Mondays 10am  
*Waterfront* - Wednesdays 3pm  
*Eastside* - Fridays 10am  
*State Street* - Fridays 11am