

### STRATEGIC PLAN

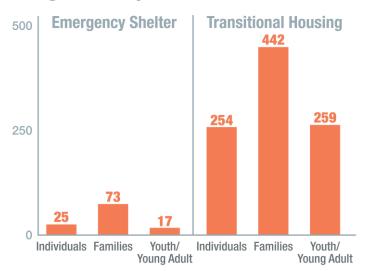
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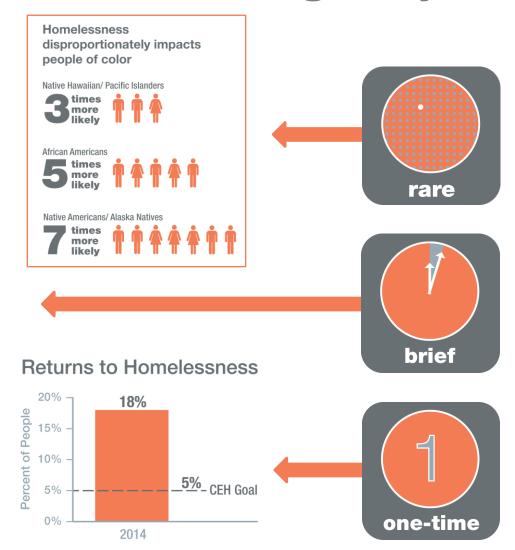
A Regional, Aligned, Community Plan to End the Experience of Homelessness among Residents of Seattle/King County

## **Homelessness State of Emergency**

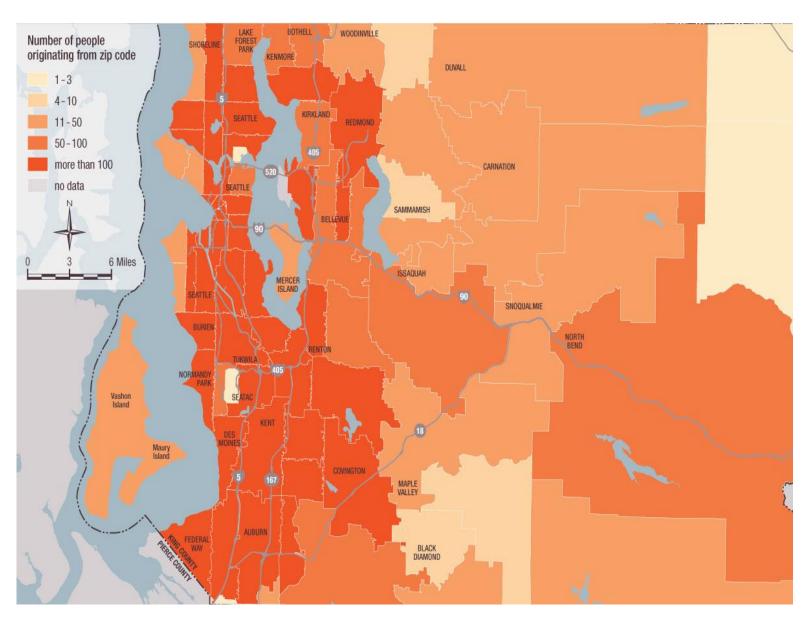


### Length of Stay





# In Every Zip Code in King County



# Causes of Homelessness Are Real



Research of 300+ cities and states found statistical correlation between these factors and rising homelessness:

Housing market	Increase in rent of \$100 associated with 15% increase in homelessness in metro areas
Economic conditions	Areas with high poverty and unemployment rates associated with higher rates of homelessness
Demographic composition	Areas with more Hispanic, baby boomer, and single person households associated with higher rates of homelessness
Safety net	States with lower mental health expenditures associated with higher rates of homelessness
Transience	Areas with more recently moved people associated with higher rates of homelessness

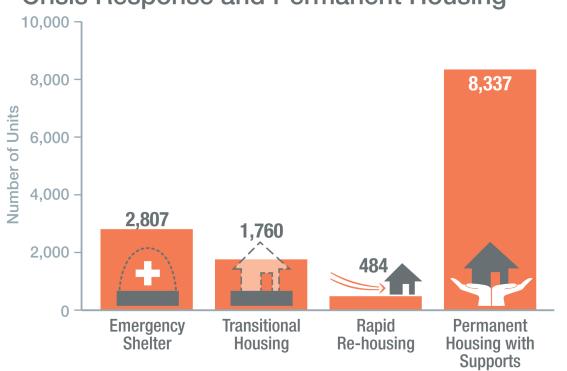
Resource: Byrne, T., Culhane, D., et. al., "New Perspectives on Community-level Determinants of Homelessness" (2012): Article and Summary

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## **Housing Resources**



### Crisis Response and Permanent Housing



### **Top 10 Cities:**

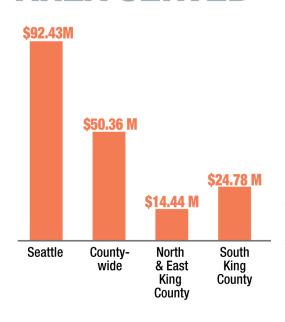
# of Housing Units Dedicated for the Homeless

- 1. New York
- 2. Los Angeles
- 3. Seattle/King County
- 4. District of Columbia
- 5. Chicago
- 5. Boston
- 7. Philadelphia
- 8. Phoenix/Mesa/Maricopa County
- 9. San Francisco
- 10. Miami / Dade County

### **Financial Resources**

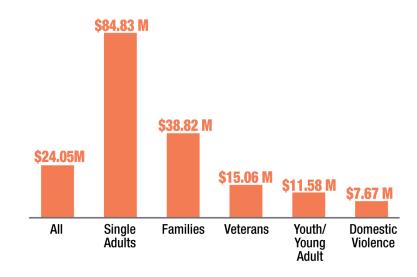


# FUNDING BY AREA SERVED



Notes: Funding by Area Served shows the location of the funding recipient (organization). Programs available to all residents in the county are categorized as countywide.

# FUNDING BY POPULATION



## Strategic Plan: 2015-2019



Homelessness is

### Rare, Brief, and One-Time

Vision

Fewer homeless More housed Fewer days
Fewer returns

Reduced disparity Increased support

Outcomes

#### Goal 1:

RARE:
Address the
causes of
homelessness

#### Goal 2:

BRIEF, ONE-TIME:
Improve and
expand existing
programs and
processes

#### Goal 3:

COMMUNITY:
Engage the entire
Community to
End Homelessness

The goal and strategy for achieving our vision (for all populations)

Data-driven governance and accountability

How we work together

Person-centered, collaborative, compassionate, equitable

Our values

### **Goal 1: Homelessness is Rare**



Working together with community advocates, providers and partners we are aligning our efforts towards:

rare

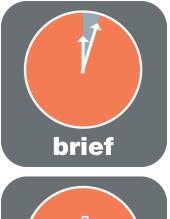
- Prevention
- Affordable housing
- Reducing cycle of criminal justice involvement and homelessness

# Goal 2: Homelessness is Brief and One-Time



For too many, a temporary crisis spirals into homelessness. Shortening the length of time families and individuals are homeless is key to reducing trauma. We are:

- Individualizing our approach to providing services we can address the immediate crisis quickly and flexibly.
- Recommitting to housing first, to get people into housing and then address health and wellbeing





# Goal 3: A Community to End Homelessness



It will take our entire community coming together in compassionate action to address the crisis of homelessness.

There is an opportunity – and a need – for every person to take action.



All Home is here to help you connect - we need you, your neighbors, your friends and family to join us in pushing for change through meaningful action.



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