

## **INFORMATIONAL REPORT**

**DATE ISSUED:** February 1, 2018 **REPORT NO**: HCR18-016

**ATTENTION:** Chair and Members of the San Diego Housing Commission

For the Agenda of February 9, 2018

**SUBJECT:** Workshop & Discussion: Fiscal Year 2019 Moving to Work Annual Plan

## NO ACTION IS REQUIRED ON THE PART OF THE HOUSING COMMISSION

A workshop will be held on the Fiscal Year 2019 Moving to Work (MTW) Annual Plan. There will be no action taken during the meeting of February 9, 2018, in relation to this item.

The San Diego Housing Commission (Housing Commission) is one of only 39 housing authorities nationwide, out of approximately 3,400, to receive an MTW designation from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). As a result, the Housing Commission has the ability to seek HUD approval to implement a variety of innovative new approaches to provide affordable housing assistance programs for low-income families in the City of San Diego.

Housing Commission staff is developing the Fiscal Year 2019 MTW Annual Plan (Plan), which includes one proposed initiative, to submit to HUD. The initiative is a re-proposal of the Path to Success initiative, which will adjust minimum rent payment amounts for households that are identified as able to work, beginning on July 1, 2020, to reflect increases to the California minimum wage. This initiative meets the MTW program objectives to further streamline administrative processes, encourage financial self-reliance among rental assistance participants, and increase housing opportunities for low-income families. The Plan includes a description of the proposed changes to Path to Success and how performance will be measured and tracked. In addition to providing information on the draft Plan, the workshop will provide a summary of the impact of MTW on the agency's strategic vision, an update of successes achieved through MTW flexibility, and long-term MTW goals.

Respectfully submitted, Approved by,

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