

REPORT

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ATTENTION: Chair and Members of the Housing Commission
For the Agenda of October 16, 2009

SUBJECT: Workshop Discussion: Homelessness and the San Diego Housing Commission

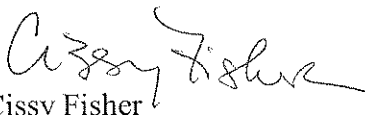
BACKGROUND:

The San Diego Housing Commission partners with the City of San Diego to implement strategies that will reduce homelessness in the region. According to the most recent statistics compiled by the Regional Task Force on the Homeless, there are an estimated 4,338 homeless persons living in the City of San Diego. Of those, 1,868 persons are living on the streets, 656 persons are living in emergency shelter, and 1,814 persons are living in transitional housing.

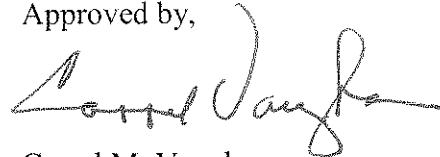
The purpose of this workshop is to provide information to the Board of Commissioners regarding Housing Commission activities that address homelessness in San Diego. There will not be action taken at the October 16th meeting. Information provided and feedback received from the Board of Commissioners will be analyzed and utilized by staff going forward in various projects and programs focused on reducing homelessness in San Diego.

Respectfully submitted,

Approved by,



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