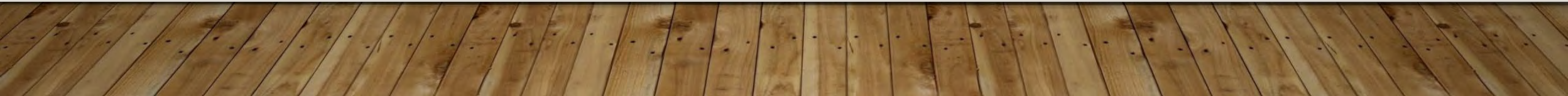


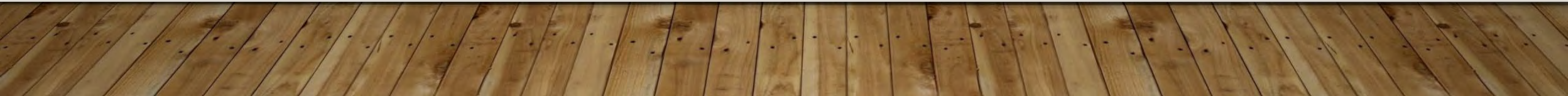
HOMELESSNESS IN SUTTER COUNTY

YUBA CITY COUNCIL / SUTTER COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

JOINT WORKSHOP MAY 31, 2019



HISTORY, IMPACTS, LAWS, ATTITUDES, & LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT



THE NUMBERS

- 100 Million Worldwide
- 132 for every 10,000

THE NUMBERS

- **553,000 in US**
- **17 for every 10,000**

THE NUMBERS

- 129,972 in California
- 33 for every 10,000

THE NUMBERS

- 721 in Yuba-Sutter
- 41 for every 10,000

THE NUMBERS

- 293 in Sutter County
- 30 for every 10,000

UNITED STATES

- One in five is a child
- 33 percent are unsheltered
- Veteran homeless cut 50%

CALIFORNIA

- 30 percent of all US homeless
- 69 percent are unsheltered
- Half of all unsheltered in US

EXHIBIT 1.7: States with the Highest and Lowest Rates of Unsheltered People Experiencing Homelessness 2018

Highest Rates

CALIFORNIA

68.9%

129,972 Homeless
89,543 Unsheltered

OREGON

61.7%

14,476 Homeless
8,925 Unsheltered

NEVADA

56.2%

7,544 Homeless
4,239 Unsheltered

HAWAII

53.2%

6,530 Homeless
3,475 Unsheltered

WASHINGTON

47.6%

22,304 Homeless
10,621 Unsheltered

Lowest Rates

MAINE

3.9%

2,516 Homeless
98 Unsheltered

RHODE ISLAND

4.6%

1,101 Homeless
51 Unsheltered

NEW YORK

4.7%

91,897 Homeless
4,294 Unsheltered

MASSACHUSETTS

4.9%

20,068 Homeless
985 Unsheltered

NEBRASKA

5.9%

2,421 Homeless
144 Unsheltered

YUBA-SUTTER

- 73% are unsheltered
- 956 homeless or near homeless
- More than one in five is under 18

YUBA-SUTTER

- Almost one in five is a senior 55 or older
- Average time individual/family is homeless: 468 nights

ATTITUDES TOWARD HOMELESS

- 14th Century prison or death
- 16th Century ship to America
- Cast out by Puritans

ATTITUDES TOWARD HOMELESS

- ‘Soap, Soup, and Salvation’
- A ‘New Deal’
- ‘Human Right to Housing’

ATTITUDES TOWARD HOMELESS

- Americans want homeless assisted
- Americans don't want homeless near them

HISTORY

- 19th Century Industrialization
- Post Civil War
- The Great Depression

THE undersigned hereby warn and notify all persons from squatting and locating upon any of the lands lying between Honcut creek, the foot of the Sierra Nevada, the Yuba and Feather rivers, as also on that piece of land on the south side of Yuba River, opposite Marysville between the minimal boundary and the suburban land adjoining the town of Eliza, and would further notify all persons who have previous to this date squatted or located on any of said lands, to remove from the same without further notice, or legal proceedings will be instituted against them forthwith.

And the undersigned further notify all persons that to the said lands they have a good and valid title in law and equity.

Dated Marysville, 6th of August, 1850.

CHARLES COUVILLAUD,

J. M. RAMIREZ,

JOHN SAMPSON,

R. B. BUCHANAN,

G. N. SWEZY.

Floods Deplete Army Larder

Salvation Army was eaten out of some lines of supplies as a result of the two floodings within a month of the jungle camp grounds at Marysville and Yuba City.

Stores that had been laid in to anticipate such demands have in some cases been exhausted and in others reduced to narrow margins, it was said Tuesday by Captain W. L. Skinner, in charge.

Beans, canned milk, other staples and jams and jellies are about gone. Potatoes, bacon and other supplies would be welcome to help carry on the work of feeding those who still must receive such aid.

Captain Skinner reported that for several days, when the water entered the jungle camps, approximately 200 meals were supplied daily.

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These meals were prepared morning and evening, about 100 being served at each. The number is reducing steadily as the camps become habitable again, or as the campers go elsewhere.

Largely, those receiving such assistance are regular tenants of the jungles, who support themselves, living rent free across the levees. They ask for the free meals only so long as they are unable to provide for themselves. About 65 of them were supplied with lodgings, too, by the Salvation Army, it was explained by Skinner.



HISTORY

- The 'Modern Era'
- Reduction in hospital beds
- Rising housing costs

GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT

- Transients ‘removed across the bridge’
- Faith-based and non-profit efforts
- Shelter for domestic violence victims

GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT

- 2000 Yuba-Sutter Consortium
- 2010 HMIS development
- 2017 Board priority

GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT

- 2017 Homeless Management Plan
- 2017 Updated no-camping ordinance
- 2017 Bi-County Homeless Services Program

GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT

- 2017 Coordinated Entry Program
- 2018 Citizen's Advisory Committee
- 2018 Federal Court injunction

GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT

- 2018 Homeless Committee Recommendation
- 2018 Board approval of shelter site
- 2018 Due diligence and funding

GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT

- Target date Sept. 2019

IMPACT OF HOMELESSNESS

- Criminal Justice system
- Health Care system
- Loss of public spaces

IMPACT OF HOMELESSNESS

- Degradation of river
- Loss of investment confidence
- Loss of sense of place