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**The California Department of Housing and Community Development Announces \$8.4 Million in Federal Funds for the Emergency Solutions Grants Program**

**Sacramento** – Today the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) announced awards totaling \$8.4 million to be used to assist California communities prevent homelessness and help persons experiencing homelessness.

More than 50 organizations across California received awards from this round of funding, ensuring that relief from homelessness casts a wide-reaching net.

A great example of how these funds can help is Orange County's Interval House, which received \$168,385 towards a Domestic Violence Emergency Shelter Program. Interval House, founded in 1979, has been called a model program for victims of domestic violence for the nation, and its programs have been recognized with more than 400 awards.

These funds from the Emergency Solutions Grant program will help Interval House provide 57 beds for victims of domestic violence and their children, while providing additional funding for case management, child care, education services, employment and job training, life skills training, substance abuse treatment, transportation, and operating costs.

"Interval House is just one of many organizations that help those that need help the most," said Acting Director, Randall A. Deems. "These 58 awards to caring organizations give a hand up to people in desperate straits, and will help communities provide shelters to families who are trying to achieve economic and social independence."

This round of funding is being used for wide-ranging activities across the state:

- 36 Emergency Shelter Projects totaling \$4,856,006
- 4 Street Outreach Projects totaling \$328,727
- 4 Homeless Prevention Projects totaling \$342,860
- 18 Rapid Re-housing Projects totaling \$2,265,267
- Homeless Management Information System activities totaling \$488,738
- Grant Administration totaling \$109,780

A complete list of project awardees is on the following pages.

*The California Department of Housing and Community Development is dedicated to the preservation and expansion of safe and affordable housing so more Californians have a place to call home. Our team works to ensure an adequate supply of housing for Californians and promotes the growth of strong communities through its leadership, policy and program development. For more information, please visit [www.hcd.ca.gov](http://www.hcd.ca.gov).*

## Emergency Solutions Grants Program Award List

<b>Alameda County</b>		
Emergency Shelter Program, Inc.	Hayward	168,385
City of Hayward	Hayward	168,385
Tri-Valley Haven for Women	Livermore	168,000
Cornerstone Community Development Corporation	San Leandro	168,385
Abode Services	Fremont	168,385
Cornerstone Community Development Corporation	San Leandro	168,385
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$1,009,925</b>
<b>Amador County</b>		
Amador-Tuolumne Community Action Agency	Jackson	95,525
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$263,910</b>
<b>Butte County</b>		
Community Action Agency of Butte County, Inc.	Chico	\$168,385
Chico Community Shelter Partnership	Chico	\$168,385
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$336,770</b>
<b>Contra Costa County</b>		
SHELTER, Inc. of Contra Costa County	Martinez	168,385
SHELTER, Inc. of Contra Costa County	Martinez	116,000
Trinity Center Walnut Creek	Walnut Creek	110,000.00
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$394,385</b>
<b>El Dorado County</b>		
The Center for Violence-Free Relationships	Placerville	\$55,500
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$55,500</b>
<b>Humboldt County</b>		
Arcata House Partnership	Arcata	\$135,000
Arcata House Partnership	Arcata	\$108,253
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$243,253</b>
<b>Imperial County</b>		
WomanHaven, Inc.	El Centro	\$167,475

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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$319,210</b>
<b>Los Angeles County</b>		
1736 Family Crisis Center	Los Angeles	\$168,385
The Salvation Army, a California Corporation	Long Beach	\$168,385
The Salvation Army, a California Corporation	Long Beach	\$129,450
The Salvation Army, a California Corporation	Long Beach	\$102,808
Ocean Park Community Center	Santa Monica	\$100,000
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$669,028</b>
<b>Marin County</b>		
Homeward Bound of Marin	Novato	\$165,000
Center for Domestic Peace	San Rafael	\$168,385
Ritter Center	San Rafael	\$141,800
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$475,185</b>
<b>Napa County</b>		
Community Action of Napa Valley	Napa	\$168,345
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$336,690</b>
<b>Nevada County</b>		
Foothill House of Hospitality	Grass Valley	\$149,460
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Family Resource Center of Truckee	Truckee	\$124,339
The Salvation Army	Grass Valley	\$76,125
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$518,309</b>
<b>Orange County</b>		
Fullerton Interfaith Emergency Service	Fullerton	\$56,850
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Interval House	Seal Beach	\$168,385
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$562,005</b>

<b>Placer County</b>		
The Gathering Inn	Roseville	\$61,205
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Stand Up Placer, Inc.	Auburn	\$168,385
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$302,990</b>
<b>Riverside County</b>		
Martha's Village and Kitchen, Inc.	Indio	\$168,000
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$168,000</b>
<b>San Mateo County</b>		
Samaritan House	San Mateo	\$168,385
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$168,385</b>
<b>Santa Barbara County</b>		
Transition House	Santa Barbara	\$168,385
Transition House	Santa Barbara	\$65,400
Good Samaritan Shelter	Santa Maria	\$105,584
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$339,369</b>
<b>Santa Cruz County</b>		
Homeless Services Center	Santa Cruz	\$168,385
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$336,770</b>
<b>Sonoma County</b>		
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Santa Rosa	Santa Rosa	\$168,385
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Committee on the Shelterless	Petaluma	\$168,385
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$841,925</b>
<b>Tehama County</b>		
Alternatives to Violence	Red Bluff	\$168,385
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$168,385</b>

<b>Ventura County</b>		
Turning Point Foundation	Ventura	\$168,384
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$228,384</b>
<b>Yolo County</b>		
United Christian Centers of the Greater Sacramento Area, Inc.	West Sacramento	\$159,509
Yolo Wayfarer Center (Christian Mission)	Woodland	\$168,385
<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$327,894</b>
<b>Yuba County</b>		
The Salvation Army	Marysville	\$168,385
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<b>County Total:</b>		<b>\$336,730</b>
<b>Grand Total of All Awards</b>		<b>\$8,403,002</b>