



JUNE 9, 2015 STUDY SESSION

HOMELESS SERVICE AND RESPONSE OPTIONS

Primary Option Considerations

- Expanding Affordable Housing Inventory
- Expanding Coordination of Services
- Expanding City Support to Services
- Other Options

Expanding Affordable Housing Inventory

- **AB 35:** Increase State's Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program to \$370M Annually (Chiu/Atkins)
- **AB 1335:** Building Homes and Jobs Act- fee on recorded real estate documents (Atkins)
- **Local Match Resources:** Consider increase formula or annual allocation to Housing Production
- **SB 608:** Right to Rest Act: recognizes issue yet does not work toward a solution (Liu)

Expanding Coordination of Services

- Continuum of Care Regional Plan
- Direct Engagement with Multiple Service Providers, Business and Neighborhood Groups
- Coordinate Ecumenical/Non-Profit Efforts
- Partnership with Homeless Outreach Services

Expanding City Support

- ✓ Pilot- Homeless Outreach Service Team \$415k
 - 24/7 Hotline
 - Homeless Maintenance Stipend
 - Rapid Rehousing/Temporary Placement
- ✓ Community Engagement Support \$50k

Best Practice to address “Accountability” and
“Where do people go” issues

Other Considerations and Discussion

- Suggested Options align with Federal and State Initiatives
- Or, should Santa Rosa explore separate and unique Responses?

DISCUSSION OF OPTIONS