

Updates from Supervisor Horvath's office

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Supervisor Horvath's number one priority is advancing regional solutions to homelessness.

- Six months after appointing herself to the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA), Supervisor Horvath has been voted in as the **next Chair of LAHSA**.
- On August 9, **the County launched Pathway Home**, an encampment resolution initiative.
 - o The focus for Pathway Home is unincorporated LA County and small cities.
 - o Pathway Home is an all-hands-on-deck approach that offers people a diverse suite of wraparound services to end their homelessness. Each operation will be different, reflecting the unique needs and challenges of the people living in each encampment.
- At the Board of Supervisor's August 8 meeting, a motion was adopted to create a **Homelessness Executive Committee and Leadership Table** to strengthen regional collaboration.

Los Angeles County is standing up for our entertainment workers and hotel workers.

- At the August 8 meeting, the Board of Supervisors adopted Supervisor Horvath's motion to create an ordinance to strengthen workplace safety and training for hotel workers in unincorporated Los Angeles County.
- At the July 28 meeting, the Board of Supervisors unanimously passed two motions to support striking workers in the entertainment industry.
 - o A critical industry to the Los Angeles region, the Supervisors passed a motion to support SAG-AFTRA, adding to their previous support motion for the WGA. The motion urges the AMPTP calling for them to return to the negotiation table.
 - o The Supervisors also supported a motion to explore ways to economically support writers, actors, and businesses that depend on the industry for their livelihood.

The Department of Mental Health is hiring. You can of help support your local community by learning more about clinical and non-clinical positions now available. Learn more at www.doworthwhilework.com.

[Mortgage Relief for Landlords with 1-4 Units](#) is now available in through the **Mortgage Relief Program** (MRP). It is intended to provide financial relief to property owners in underserved communities to alleviate their tenant's COVID-19 rental and utilities debt. Learn more and apply for funding at the link above.

Please contact Savannah Portillo (sportillo@bos.lacounty.gov) with any questions or concerns.