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Homeless & Housing Programs

New State Funding



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California Emergency Solutions and Housing Program (CESH)

This program is funded from a portion of the first and second quarters of revenue deposited in the Building Homes and Jobs Act Trust Fund and approximately \$25 million in unallocated California Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds.

Homeless Emergency Aid Program (HEAP)

This program was created by SB850 and is managed by the newly established California Homeless Coordinating and Financing Council (CHCFC).



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Funding Available

CESH - \$398,013 in one-time funds - Program provides funds for a variety of activities to assist persons experiencing or at risk of homelessness

- Provided as a five year grant.
- County submitted an application on October 15, 2018

HEAP — Up to \$1.2M in one-time funds - designed to provide direct assistance to cities, counties and Continuums of Care to address the homelessness crisis throughout California.

- 50 percent of the awarded funds must be contractually obligated by January 1, 2020.
- 100 percent of the funds must be expended by June 30, 2021.
- Final application date is December 31, 2018.



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Allowable Uses

CESH - Rental assistance and stabilization, flexible housing subsidies, emergency assistance, capitalized operating subsidy reserves and improving HMIS and coordinated entry systems.

HEAP - Rental Subsidies/ Rental Assistance, Capital Improvement, Administrative, Other, Youth Set-aside*

* A required component



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Recommendation

Authorize staff to submit an application for \$1.2M in HEAP funds to be used to provide rental subsidies for homeless and at risk households in Napa County.