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From: Dez Martinez <wearenotinvisible2015@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 24, 2021 7:52 AM
To: BOSComments
Subject: "8/24/21 Item 6"

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Regarding Brawley camp. There were no housing/shelter services offered or provided. I was told by the sheriff that all beds were on hold for Project Off Ramp. We did have available beds but unfortunately those were for the Dyer freeway project only.

The services that were offered was a voucher for Ca I.D. only.

Please publish that on your report so people do not think you offered beds/shelter and 15 people accepted. This is misleading the community and affects the individuals that were left on the side of the road.

I am not complaining about the outreach team or what they offered , they can only offer what Dyer allows & they did what they could.

I hold our County accountable for not advocating that we have Shelter for All including individuals in our rural areas.

They deserve the same as everyone else. A chance, some dignity , Safety and a roof over their head. /

Why has none of our rural area homeless offered shelter at all these "new" motels?

I'm sure you all will not care one bit about this email, but if you do not truly advocate shelter for all then you are a part of the problem. Stop allowing the City Mayor to dictate who can receive shelter and who can not.

Please mention any & all services that were offered when giving your report, Please.

Thank you.

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From: Cindy Piombino <piombino.cindy2015@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 24, 2021 7:29 AM
To: BOSComments
Subject: Room availability for our homeless

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Cindy Piombino, Christ's Helping Hands Ministry Outreach here.

During one of our several Outreaches this past month we have ran across homeless individuals that have been exited (no Second Chances here and also sounds like discrimination in one case) out of housing on Parkway or just not even offered services at all. I have names, I have numbers.

They need help!! They want off the streets when are we going to have some more housing for our homeless?

Prayers for all
Cindy Piombino

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From: Brandi Nuse-Villegas <brandiangela78@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 23, 2021 7:10 PM
To: BOSComments
Subject: Public comment 8-24-21 item 6

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Dear supervisors,

I looked at the presentation, and wanted to reiterate the experience I had with the Brawley Camp. I had been out there for over a year before it was cleared.

I'm not sure about the numbers. Most of the people I knew has moved elsewhere. But I spoke to a woman I worked with who had health issues. She said that outreach workers came out once and told them that there were no rooms available that day because "Dyer was holding them for his project." the day of the clearing, she was still out there and said they were not offered rooms. Othrs confirmed this. Several people were going to go to Dez Martinez' Safe Camp. I called Magsig's office and Sonja's office. She said that they would send outreach workers to them. They had to clear out of the area that day. I followed up and helped them move and they said that no one came out for them.

I am uncertain where these numbers have come from.

However, I ask that the county press the city to ensure that rooms are made available. Please do not displace people without sufficient rooms.



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