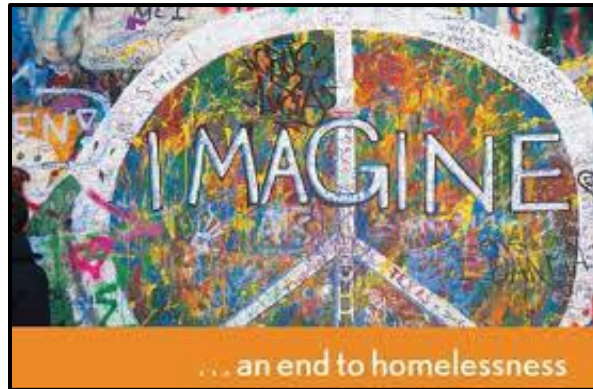




2019 ANNUAL REPORT & 5 YEAR REVIEW: 2014 - 2018



Mission: to end and prevent homelessness in the Sacramento region through policy analysis, community education, collective organizing, advocacy and civic engagement

5 Year Overview: 2014 - 2018

Advocacy: Testified 45 times to City Council, Board of Supervisors & CA State Assembly

Year	ADVOCACY HIGHLIGHTS
2014	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Board of Supervisors allocates \$260,000 for nurse outreach to encampments based on homeless deaths report ▪ Co-Sponsored AB1733 – free birth certificates/identification for homeless people ▪ Worked with Senator Feinstein’s staff to introduce Homeless Children and Youth Act of 2014
2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Successfully advocated for City to allocate \$1 M to Sacramento Steps Forward ▪ Successfully advocated to County Board of Supervisors to allocate \$740,000 to expand winter shelter ▪ Successfully advocated to City and County to conduct a homeless audit: cost of mitigating impacts of homelessness
2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Successfully advocated to City to increase spending on homelessness [\$1.2 M] - \$1.1 M to expand three shelters to operate 24/7 & \$100,000 for PIT Stop – mobile bathrooms
2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ County settles with SRCEH to increase General Assistance for over 5,000 homeless and low-income people – an increase of \$5.45 M annually ▪ Successfully advocated for Board of Supervisors to reinstate \$300,000 in CalFresh Outreach & Enrollment contracts ▪ Successfully advocated to City to allocate \$750,000 to train officers in Crisis Intervention following the shooting death of Joseph Mann
2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Co-sponsored SB 1152 – Hospital Discharge Process: Homeless Patients ▪ Based on SRCEH report, Access Denied: City & County allocated funds to expand bathroom access for homeless people ▪ Won injunction against city’s Panhandling Ordinance

COMMUNITY EDUCATION: 7 Advocacy Reports; Homeless Speakers Bureau & People’s Guide

- 7 advocacy reports including: Annual Homeless Deaths Report; Sacramento 10 Point Plan to End Homelessness; Functional Zero: A Critique; Cruel & Unusual Punishment; Access Denied; Law Enforcement & Use of Force; Dignity Denied
- Homeless Speakers Bureau: spoke to over 600 community members
- Distributed 25,000 copies [English & Spanish] of People’s Guide to Health, Welfare & Other Services

COMMUNITY TRAININGS: 2,000 community members trained on topics including Homeless Voter Registration and Get Out the Vote; Using Medi-Cal for Homeless Services; Implicit Bias

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT:

- 2016 Mayor’s Candidate Forum on Homelessness: attended by over 200 community members
- Hands Across I Street: 20 organizational sponsors & 250 community members calling on City & County to have one, unified plan to end homelessness
- 3 Hiring Events: attended by over 300 homeless & low-income people
- Annual Food Stamp Challenge: challenging elected officials to live on \$5/day for a week

MEDIA: 232 interviews for print & electronic media

2019

ADVOCACY

TESTIMONY

- Testified 10 times to City Council on homeless issues
- Testified to CA State Assembly Public Safety Committee on AB 1422- *Homeless Hate Crimes*

SHELTER EMERGENCY

Successfully advocated for City Council and Board of Supervisors to declare a shelter emergency in order to access state funds

HOMELESS PROGRAMS – IN ALL 8 CITY COUNCIL

After nearly a year of advocacy, we successfully won the siting of homeless programs in all eight of the city council districts: 3 emergency shelters; scattered site housing Programs

SAFE PARKING PROGRAMS

Additionally, we won two Safe Parking Programs – one in Councilmember Guerra’s District and one in Councilmember Jennings’s District

INJUNCTION TO CITY’S PANHANDLING ORDINANCE

After winning a preliminary injunction in 2018 against the City’s Panhandling Ordinance – we won a final injunction in 2019

ACCESS TO BATHROOMS

- Based on our report, Dignity Denied, we won \$350,000 in City and County funding to open up bathrooms at First Step Communities North A Street site
- Construction began on Portland Loo bathroom at Caesar Chavez Park

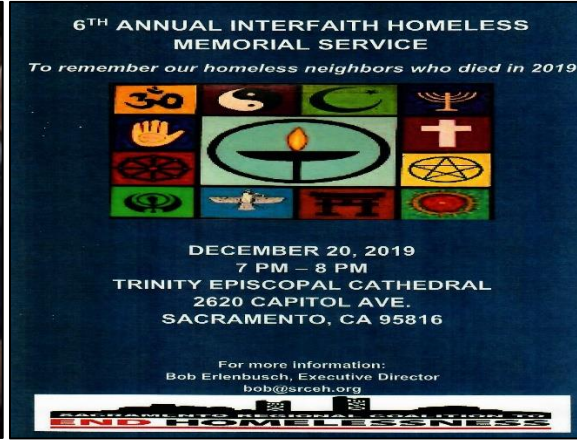
CALFRESH OUTREACH

Successfully advocated for County Board of Supervisors to reinstate \$150,000 in CaFresh contracts to local food banks

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

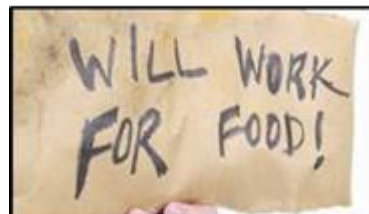
6TH ANNUAL INTERFAITH HOMELESS MEMORIAL SERVICE

We honored 110 of our homeless neighbors who we lost in 2019



HOMELESS EMPLOYMENT ADVOCACY COLLABORATIVE:

Sponsored 2 Hiring Events attended by 350 homeless and low-income people



COMMUNITY EDUCATION

**8 TRAININGS;
COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS
TO OVER 600 PEOPLE**

Community Trainings:

- Homeless Voter Registration: trained 35 women at Women's Empowerment

Community Presentations: 5 community presentations to:

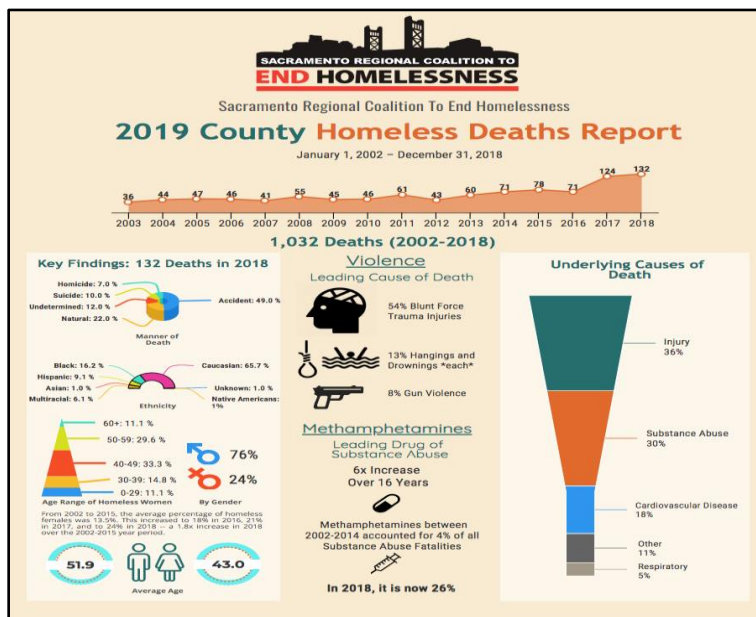
- Arden Arcade Chamber of Commerce
- CSUS Renaissance Society
- Heritage Park Association
- Kiwanis Club
- Sacramento Taxpayers Association

Conference Workshops:

- Meeting of the Minds
- National Health Care for the Homeless 2019 Policy Symposium

PUBLICATIONS

2019 HOMELESS DEATHS REPORT



132 deaths of people experiencing homelessness in Sacramento County for a 17 year [2002 – 2018] year total of 1,032

OR.... 1 homeless person dies every 6 days

COMMUNICATIONS

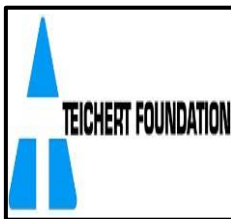
MEDIA COVERAGE

SRCEH was covered in 49 news stories in 2019 including ABC 10, Capital Public Radio, CBS Sacramento, KCRA [NBC]. Fox 40, Sacramento Bee and Sacramento News & Review

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Organizational Support: \$1,000 membership annually



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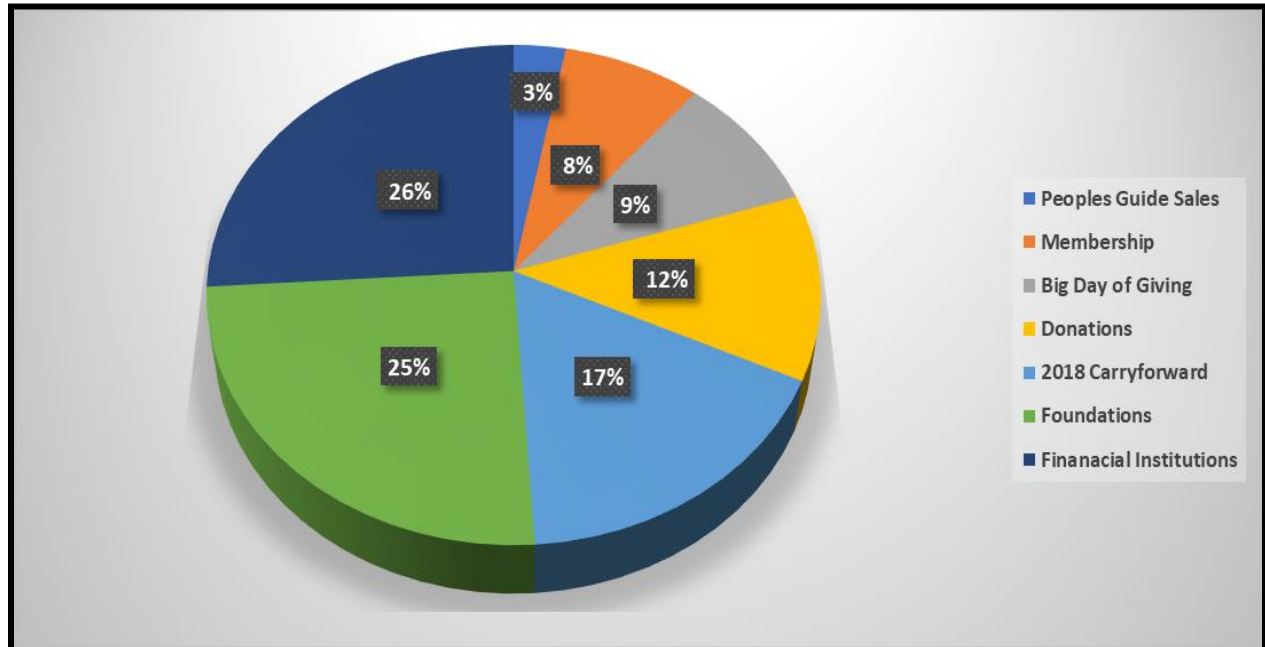
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