

June 20, 2024

Homelessness Response System Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA)





Agenda

- OVERVIEW
- PRIMARY ACHIEVEMENTS
- KEY COMPONENTS
- COMPARE & CONTRAST
- BUDGET



Overview

- The Homelessness Response System (HRS) IGA replaces the sunsetting JOHS IGA between the County and City.
- 3 year agreement \rightarrow July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2027
- The IGA establishes the mechanism by which the Homelessness Response Action Plan (HRAP) will be implemented, monitored, achieved and governed.





Primary Achievements

Shared goals and outcomes:

- Helping 2,699 unsheltered people get off the street and into housing or shelter.
- Adding 1,000 shelter beds by December 31, 2025.

Governance:

- O Steering and Oversight Committee
- Multi-jurisdictional Implementation Subcommittee
- O Community Advisory Subcommittee

Accountability:

- O By-name list
- O Shelter bed availability tool
- O Performance Dashboard
- O Public Budget Dashboard
- HRAP Action Items with dates & responsible parties





Key Components

DEFINES:

- Key terms in the IGA and its implementation
- Wind down and termination agreements
- Jurisdictional roles and responsibilities

ESTABLISHES:

- Homelessness
 Response
 System
- Shared goals, strategies, and outcomes
- Governance

MONITORS:

- Annual review of the IGA and HRAP
- Annual program plans, performance, and spending
- Public budget and performance dashboards





Compare and Contrast

| Existing IGA | Proposed IGA |
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| Vague terms; not measurable goals/metrics Unclear termination clause that required mutual agreement, a financial penalty and mandatory mediation No shared governance structure No process for implementation other than the JOHS Solely focused on JOHS Solely focused on JOHS No specific action items No data or public-facing dashboard requirements No description of funds or budget reporting | Goals and measurable outcomes Clear termination terms Creates a governance structure Establishes an implementation committee Holistic strategyincludes behavioral health Includes a Homelessness Response Action Plan Creates dashboards Quarterly progress & budget reports Explicit funding designation for City funds Removes "Joint" from the Joint Office of Homeless Services |



