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## HEAP/CESH Input Session Presentation

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Mon, Aug 27, 2018 at 4:43 PM

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Dear Ben, et al,

Input for Advisory Committee BOS, CC &amp; others.

Like 3 other SHRA Projects already, I understand that Sutterview SHRA low income & elderly hi-rise at [2526 L St, Sacramento](#), is getting an EV car & charging station under a slightly different program. Whereas the other programs are covered under a grant that makes the car use free Sutterview residents will have to pay at least by mileage or hour -- maybe not monthly. Sutterview now accepts our Homeless as top priority above elderly & disabled. This will be life changing for many Homeless, even some with Serious Mental Illness. It's in your job description to advocate hard for a way (grants?) for Sutterview Homeless to use these cars free also! This will be totally life changing for some!

The early program is on Facebook as:

Our Community CarShare

Please take a look -- I'll share more soon.

Thank you!

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For Advisory Board, BOS, CC, et al

From the beginning I've recommended the concept of Tiny Cottages around a Community Structure similar to the presentation Professor Stephen Watters has done such a good job on and many have endorsed called First Step Communities -- it's important to note that Bob Erlenbush and Jonathan Porteus are emphatic supporters, a WellSpace Clinic being envisioned as possible.

A couple other points:

Wherever Our Homeless are, Needle Collection Stations & Harm Reduction Services need to be provided, especially including Naloxone.

Tiny Cottages can be mass produced, even "cmc printed" or using recycled material. Our Homeless can be employed doing this!

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On Aug 24, 2018 4:24 PM, "Ben Avey" &lt;bavey@sacstepsforward.org&gt; wrote:

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## HEAP/CESH Funding Comment

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Resources For Independent Living serves consumers experiencing several barriers to housing including low income, mental health, history of incarceration and lack of affordable accessible housing stock. As a result, our consumers are often not suited for many of the solutions that fall under the rapid rehousing umbrella. This funding presents an opportunity to address the homelessness crisis by increasing availability of shelter beds and making improvements to current shelter buildings by making them more accessible.

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