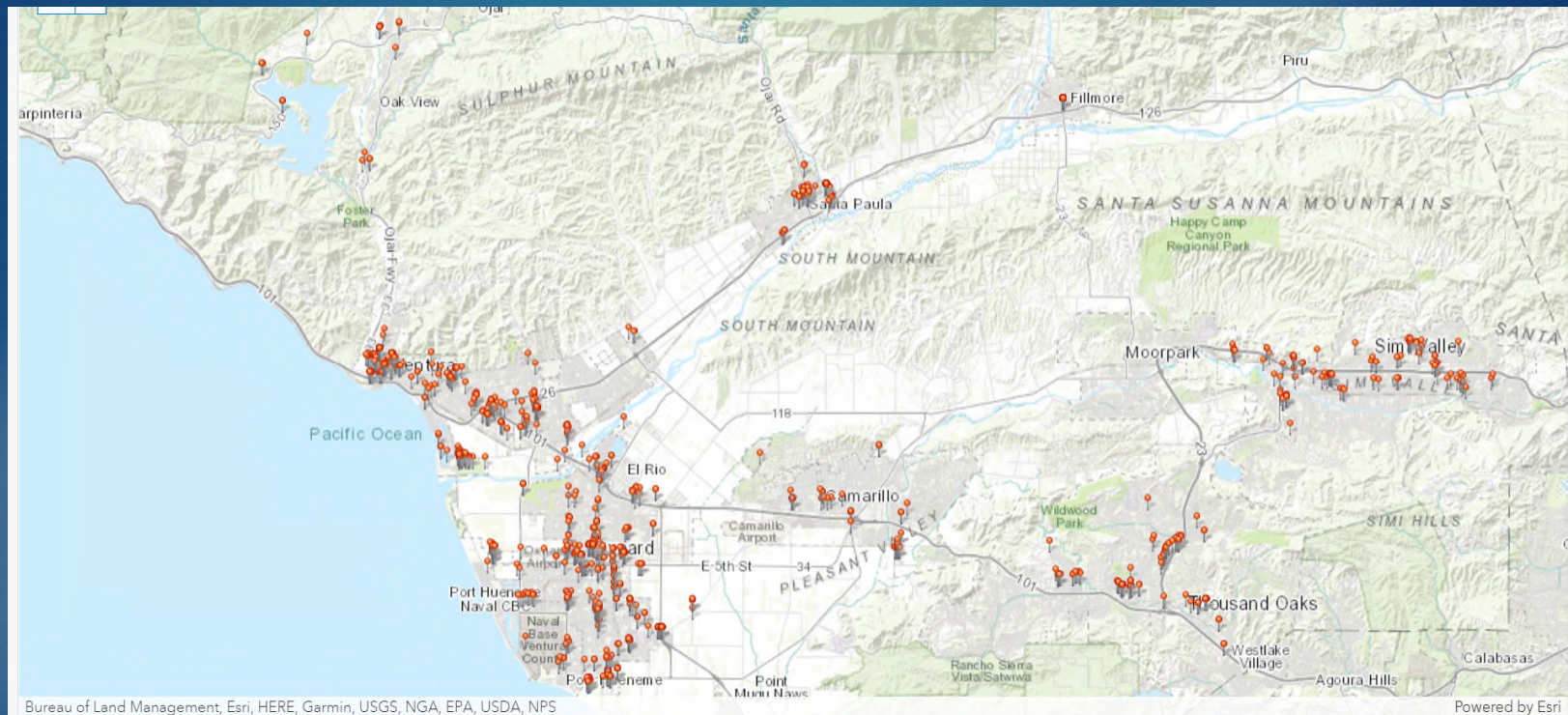




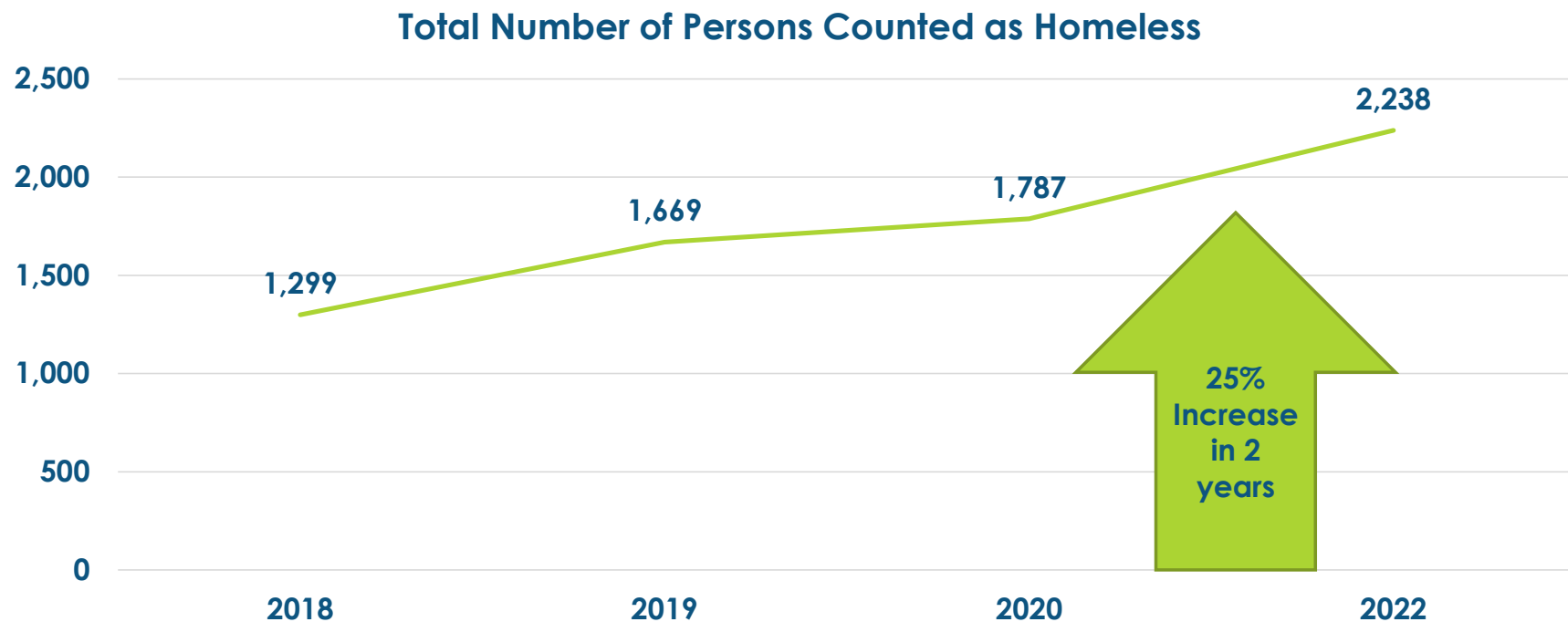
2022 Homelessness and Housing Issues in Ventura County

JULY 14, 2022



2022 Map of Point-In-Time Count Surveys

Homeless Count Totals 2018 – 2022*



*No count was conducted in 2021, as approved by HUD, due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Who is Homeless In Ventura County?

Total Persons: 2,238

Sheltered 727

Transitional Housing 155

Unsheltered 1,356

- ▶ Sleeping in places not meant for human habitation (streets, parks, vehicles, garages, encampments)
- ▶ Emergency Shelter or Transitional Housing programs

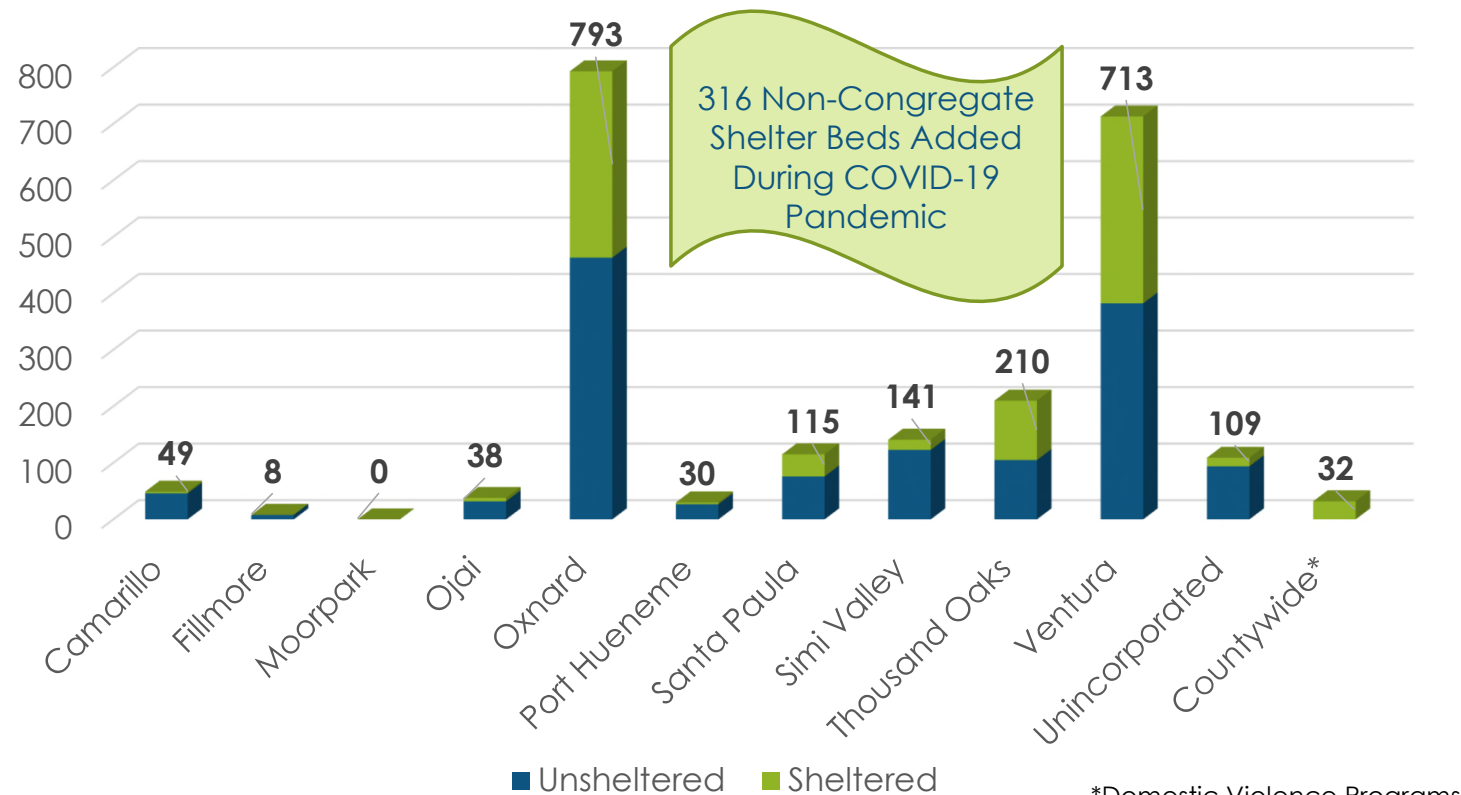
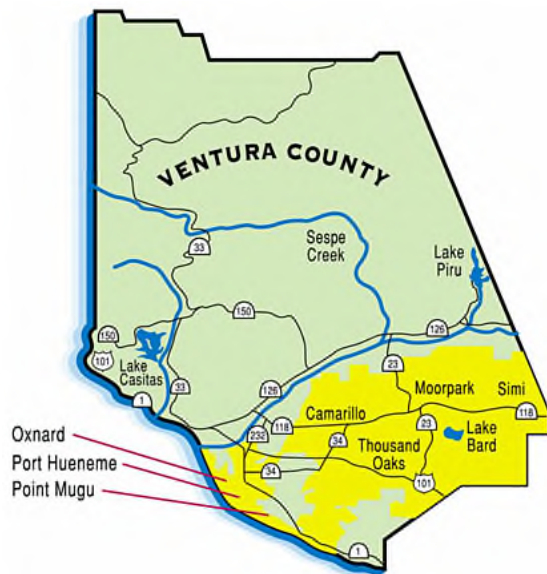
At-Risk of Homelessness

Populations

13,986

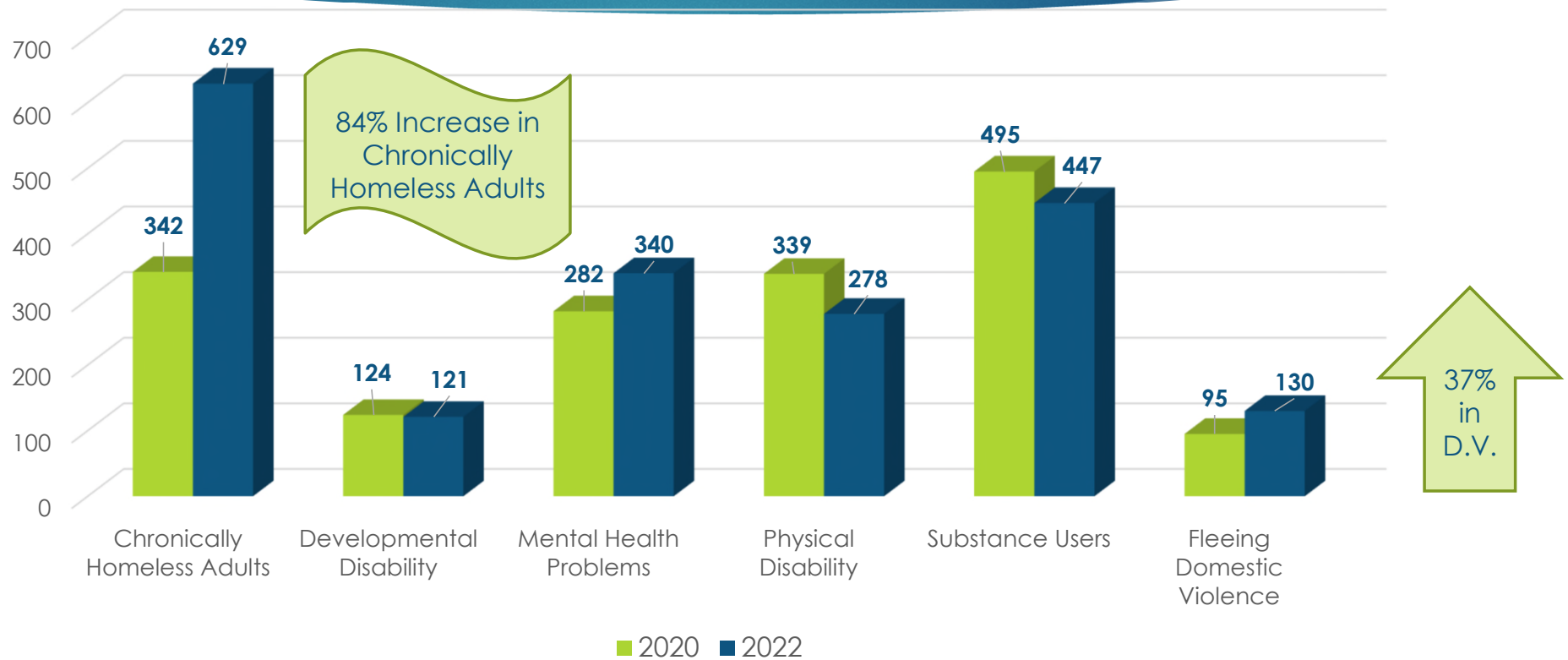
- ▶ Doubled-up, couch-surfing, paying for motel rooms
- ▶ Jail, hospital, treatment facility

2022 Homeless Count by Jurisdictions



*Domestic Violence Programs

Unsheltered Survey Subpopulation Data



Current Initiatives

Crisis Response System

- ▶ Increased emergency/crisis beds across the county
- ▶ Improved access through coordinated entry system
- ▶ Utilize one-time State funds to build system capacity

Domestic Violence

- ▶ Improved partnership between homeless services and DV providers
 - ▶ Data Sharing & Coordination
 - ▶ Increased grant funding to support additional shelter and resources



Pathways to Home

Ventura County's Coordinated Entry System

SCREENING

TRIAGE

DIVERSION

PREVENTION

ASSESSMENT

ELIGIBILITY

NEEDS

VULNERABILITY
ASSESSMENT

REFERRAL

DIRECT REFERRALS
THROUGH
Homeless
Management
Information System
(HMIS)



Coordinated Entry System Pathways to Home

34 participating
partner agencies

2,650 referrals to
programs/services

879 persons
assisted with
housing assistance

60% of referrals to
Rapid Re-Housing
and Homelessness
Prevention

96 placements in
supportive housing



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Pathways to Home

Starting with just one phone call, the *Pathways to Home* program allows individuals and families to access homeless services through a coordinated process. The program includes a collaborative network of service providers who coordinate and connect people to resources to meet their needs. Any of the providers listed below can assist clients with the intake assessment for referrals through HMIS (Homeless Management Information System). There's no need to call multiple agencies. A phone call to any of the providers listed below is all it takes.

Homeless Individuals & Families

Harbor House
(805) 464-3533
430 E. Avenida De Los
Arboles, #203a
Thousand Oaks

**Health Care Agency
Homeless Services**
(805) 652-6694
3147 Loma Vista Road
Ventura

HELP of Ojai
(805) 640-3320
108 Fox Street
Ojai

**Human Services Agency
Homeless Services**
(805) 385-1800
4245 Market Street, #201
Ventura

Lutheran Social Services
(805) 497-6207
80 E. Hillcrest Drive, #101
Thousand Oaks

Project Understanding
(805) 231-2299
2734 Johnson Drive, #201
Ventura

The Salvation Army
(805) 648-4977
155 S. Oak Street
Ventura

The Samaritan Center
(805) 579-9166
280 Royal Avenue
Simi Valley

The Spirit of Santa Paula
(805) 340-5025
1498 Harvard Blvd.
Santa Paula

Turning Point Foundation
(805) 652-2151 ext.304
536 E. Thompson Blvd.
Ventura

**Ventura County
Area Agency on Aging**
(805) 477-7300
646 County Square Drive
Ventura

**Ventura County
Behavioral Health**
(805) 981-6830
1911 Williams Drive
Oxnard

Homeless Veterans

**Gold Coast Veterans
Foundation**
(805) 482-6550
4001 Mission Oaks Blvd.
Camarillo

**The Salvation Army
Supportive Services for
Veteran Families (SSVF)**
(310) 948-0611

Turning Point Foundation
Veterans Transitional
Housing Program
(805) 321-0545

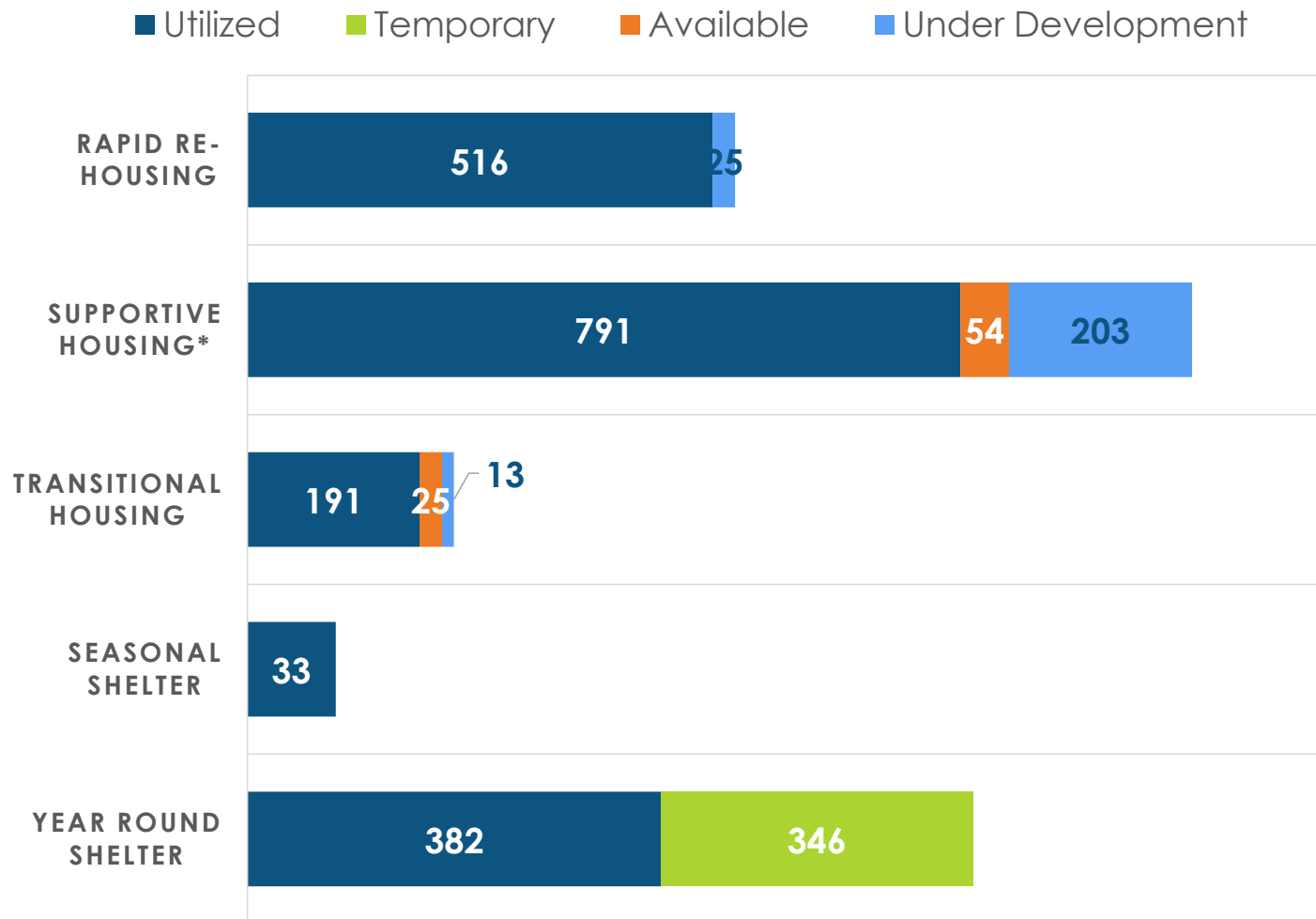
Homeless Youth

**Human Services Agency
Homeless Services**
(805) 385-1800

**Interface Children &
Family Services**
Youth Outreach Line
(805) 469-5882

TAY Tunnel
(ages 18 - 25)
141 W. Fifth Street
(805) 240-2538

**Clients may also
contact 2-1-1
to reach the
Pathways to Home
program**



***Available inventory includes Veteran Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH) Vouchers Only**

2022 Housing Inventory Count

HOUSING CHALLENGES IN VENTURA COUNTY

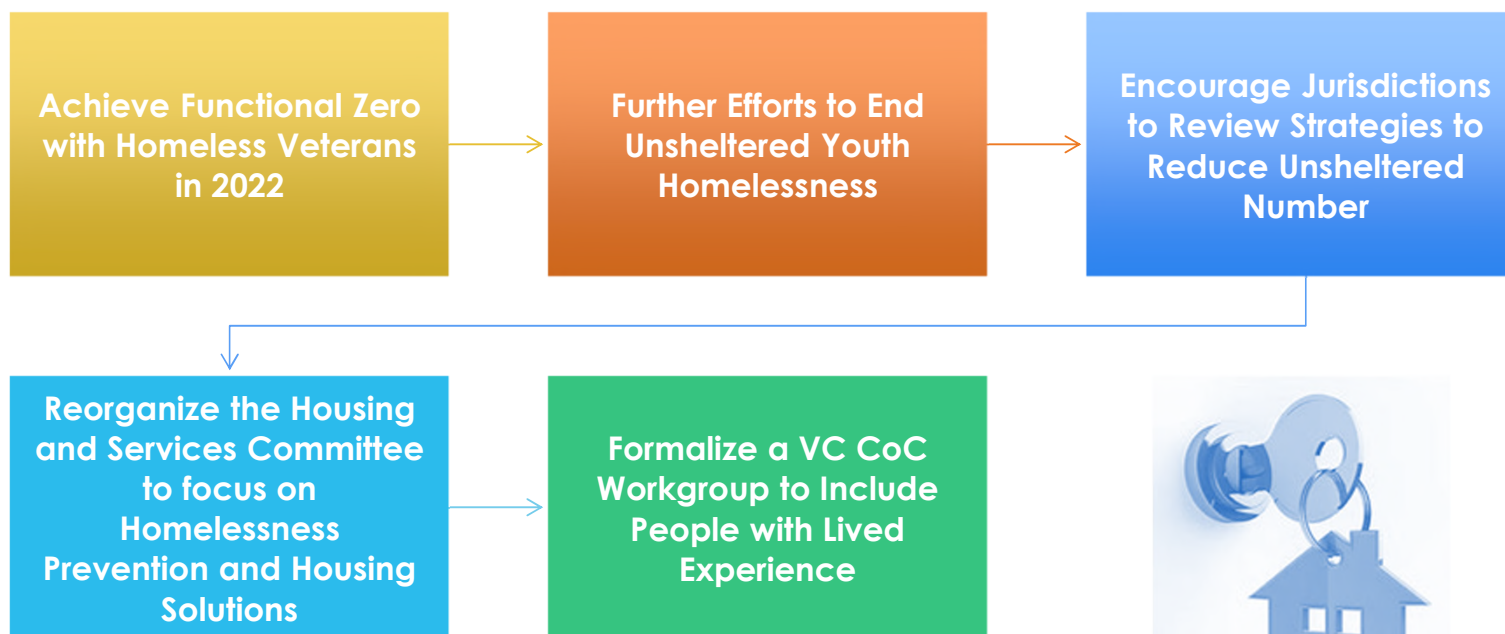
	Studio	1 bedroom	2 bedroom	3 bedroom	4 bedroom
FY22 FMR	\$1,507	\$1,792	\$2,218	\$3,101	\$3,655
FY21 FMR	\$1,269	\$1,519	\$1,923	\$2,690	\$3,189
Avg. 2021 Rent*	\$1,716	\$2,039	\$2,427	\$2,952	N/A

<https://www.huduser.gov/portal/datasets/fmr.html>

- ▶ FMR – Fair Market Rent – Amount paid by federal subsidies
- ▶ Market Rate Vacancy Countywide at or below 2%
- ▶ Average Ventura County Rent for 1 BR apt. up 10.4% since July 2020

** Dyer Sheehan Group, Ventura County Apartment Market Survey*

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New Funding Opportunities

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- ▶ U.S. Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Notice of Funding Opportunity to Address Unsheltered Homelessness (Request for Proposals to be released by August 2022)
- ▶ State Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) to Support Emergency Shelters, Rapid Re-Housing Programs, Homeless Prevention and Street Outreach (RFP to be released next week)
- ▶ HUD Continuum of Care Program Grant to Seek New or Expansion Projects (Notice of Funding Availability expected by Fall 2022)
- ▶ County of Ventura Request for Proposals (RFP) for Permanent Supportive Housing, Recuperative Care and Other Creative Housing Solutions (RFP expected to be released by Fall 2022)
- ▶ State Homeless Housing Assistance and Prevention (HHAP) Program Grant Round 4 (Application to be release in October 2022)

Questions?



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