

San Diego Housing Commission (SDHC) Customer Experience Unit Presentation to the SDHC Board of Commissioners

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SDHC Customer Experience Unit Introduction

- February 28, 2023: California's State of Emergency due to the COVID-19 pandemic ended.
- March 6, 2023: SDHC headquarters at 1122 Broadway reopened to the public.







SDHC Customer Experience Unit Customer Experience Unit Overview

- The Customer Experience Unit (CEU) is the primary point of contact for visitors to SDHC's offices at 1122 Broadway.
 - Consists of five SDHC staff
 - Interacts frequently with customers and stakeholders
 - In person: Office hours 9 a.m. 4 p.m.
 - Call Center: (619) 231-9400. Call Center hours 7:30 a.m. 4 p.m.
 - Provides accurate information to SDHC program participants and SDHC staff.





SDHC Customer Experience Unit First-Floor Lobby

Greeter

- SDHC administrative assistants working in support of customer service efforts
- Greet visitors and answer general questions

Self-Service

- Three drop-boxes available for customers to drop off documents
- 24-hour access drop-box at the front of the main entrance on Broadway

Resources

- Flyers available for customers
 - Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Wait List Q-and-A
 - SDHC Achievement Academy
 - Affordable Housing
 - Homelessness Services
 - Available Unit Listing
 - SDHC Achievement Academy





SDHC Customer Experience Unit First-Floor Lobby (Continued)

Appearance

- Monitor displays SDHC program information, including contact information
- Modern tapestry art to add color to the lobby.
- Anticipated additions to come:
 - Area rug to assist with acoustics
 - Redesign of the layout of the first-floor lobby to enhance the welcoming environment and service to customers







SDHC Customer Experience Unit Third-Floor Lobby

- The CEU is available at the third-floor reception area to assist customers in person and to facilitate virtual connections.
 - Virtual calls to case workers/staff
 - Virtual meetings with case workers/staff
- Additional assistance:
 - Free parking validation
 - Apply for SDHC Rental Assistance Wait Lists
 - Respond to SDHC Rental Assistance Wait List Update to "save your spot"
 - Update information on an existing SDHC
 Rental Assistance Wait List application







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Questions & Comments

