

INFORMATIONAL REPORT

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ATTENTION: Chair and Members of the San Diego Housing Commission
For the Agenda of May 6, 2016

SUBJECT: Workshop & Discussion: San Diego Housing Commission Achievement
Academy

NO ACTION IS REQUIRED ON THE PART OF THE HOUSING COMMISSION

SUMMARY

A workshop will be presented to provide an overview of the San Diego Housing Commission (SDHC) Achievement Academy's new programs and services provided to Federal Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher and public housing participants, along with program outcomes. No action will be taken on this item.

DISCUSSION

The SDHC Achievement Academy has developed new programming to assist families with young adults and children. The new programs include:

- Hard skills training: Workforce development with resume writing, interviewing techniques, mock interviews, job search skills, and basic writing skills
- Financial education: credit report and budgeting classes, one-on-one financial coaching, and assistance with credit issues
- Multigenerational programming
- Summer reading program for out-of-school children
- Weekly recruitments with top employers in San Diego

Respectfully submitted,



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