



REPORT

DATE ISSUED: June 10, 2020

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ATTENTION: Chair and Members of the San Diego Housing Commission
For the Agenda of June 12, 2020

SUBJECT: Workshop & Discussion: City of San Diego COVID-19 Emergency Rental Assistance Program

COUNCIL DISTRICT: Citywide

NO ACTION IS REQUIRED ON THE PART OF THE HOUSING COMMISSION

A workshop will be presented on a COVID-19 Emergency Rental Assistance Program in the City of San Diego.

The San Diego City Council voted 8-0, with one Councilmember absent, on June 2, 2020, to request that San Diego Housing Commission (Housing Commission) and City of San Diego staff work with the offices of Mayor Kevin L. Faulconer and City Councilmember Chris Ward to create a COVID-19 Emergency Rental Assistance Program that the Housing Commission would administer.

On June 8, 2020, the City Council voted 8-1 to approve a Fiscal Year 2021 (July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021) budget for the City of San Diego that included \$15.1 million for the Emergency COVID-19 Rental Assistance Program.

An informational workshop will provide the Housing Commission Board of Commissioners with an update on the efforts underway by the Housing Commission to support the development of the City of San Diego's proposed COVID-19 Emergency Rental Assistance program, the next steps in the City Council review and approval process, and anticipated timeline.

Respectfully submitted,

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