

The Role of Transportation in Cross-Sector Collaborations Designed to Improve Housing Stability

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Welcome



This webinar is hosted by the Housing and Services Resource Center (HSRC)

Facilitator

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Agenda

- Welcome and Housekeeping
- Poll Question
- The Intersectionality of Housing Stability and Transportation
- Featured Partnerships:
 - Arizona's Mountain Line and Flagstaff Shelter Services
 - King City, California
- Online Transportation Database LIVE Demo
- Q&A

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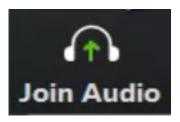
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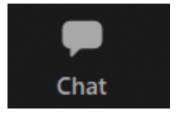
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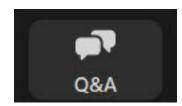
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Questions and Comments

- Please use chat to talk to fellow attendees or answer questions when prompted.
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Poll

How would you describe your group/ organization's current role in providing transportation support to increase access to community and health services and ensure housing stability?

- Provide direct transportation support.
- Partner with transportation provider.
- Do not currently provide support but may in future.
- Not applicable.



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Poll Results

Chat:

Your Agency + Name of Transportation Partner

The Intersectionality of Housing Stability and Transportation

Federal Partners

- Danielle Nelson, Senior Transportation Analyst, U.S. Dept. of Transportation (DOT)
- David Gonzalez Rice, Policy Advisor, Office of the Secretary, U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
- Erica McFadden, Director, Office of Independent Living Programs, Administration on Community Living (ACL)









Featured Partnership: Mountain Line and Flagstaff Shelter Flagstaff, Arizona

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https://mountainline.az.gov/

Pilot Area – Huntington & Industrial Corridor

- Identified transit gap
- Home to 10+ human services/clinics
- Challenges for fixed route
- Physical barriers to access nearby transit
 - Railroad tracks
 - I-40
 - Lack of sidewalks/crossings







Process for Inclusive Planning

- Defining roles and responsibilities
 - Steering Committee
 - 14 members
 - 50% older adults and/or person with disability
 - Partner Agencies
- Outlining components of planning and implementing a pilot service
- Defining critical path items decision points
- Defining the best way to get questions answered
- How are you going to make decisions as a group













Outcomes

- Over 1,600 trips in 15 months
- Overall rider satisfaction: 4.75 out of 5
- 63% of riders are older adult and/or person with disability
- Percentage of trips from Flagstaff Shelter Services to:
 - Walmart: 25%
 - Medical Care/Services: 16%
 - Connection Center: 28%
 - Housing Authority: 5%



Sandra Walsh

"I am 86 years old, and I go to Walmart to get 1 – 2 weeks worth of groceries. It is very difficult for me to maneuver my cart on the regular bus. I love the "\$1 bus." It is easier to get my cart on there since there is more room and the driver puts the lift down for me.

"The people on there are also very friendly and the drivers are wonderful. I applied for paratransit, but did not qualify, since I can still use the bus."

Discussion with the Flagstaff Partners

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Featured Partnership: King City, CA

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King City: Regional Demographics

Population (2021): 13,443

Size: 3.9 square miles

1 in 6 people living below poverty line (2020)

Demographics

88% Hispanic

9 % White

3% Other

Median Income (2021)

USA: \$70,784

California: \$84,097

Monterey County:

\$90,100

King City: \$59,712



Persons/Household

USA: 2.60

California: 2.96

Monterey County: 3.24

King City: 4.15





Transportation and Housing

Monarch Inn - Senior Affordable Housing

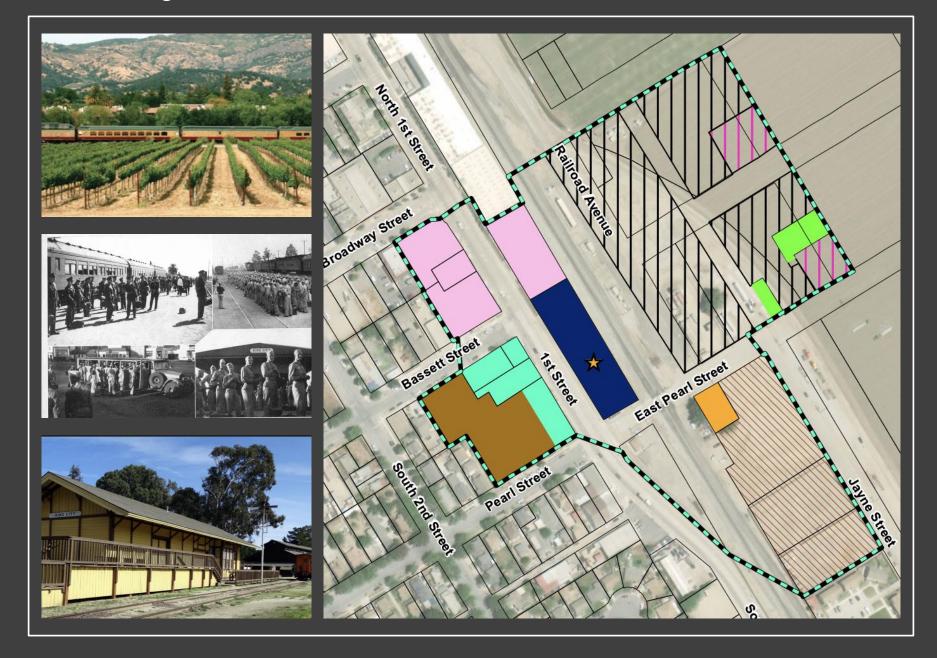
Project Type: Mixed-Use/ Senior Affordable

Residential/Commercial

Units: 42 Senior Affordable Rental Units

Funding: Private and Various Grants

King Station Multimodal Transit Station – A Collaborative Process



Collaboration Process

DON'T GIVE UP! Keep Communication Going and **Identify Funding** Expand Sources and Stakeholders Apply for Them Identify Ways to Incorporate the Project Into Local, **Build Strong** Regional, State, Leadership and Start Early, **National Plans** Communication Define the **Processes** Project and Identify

Stakeholders

Featured Partnerships Panelists

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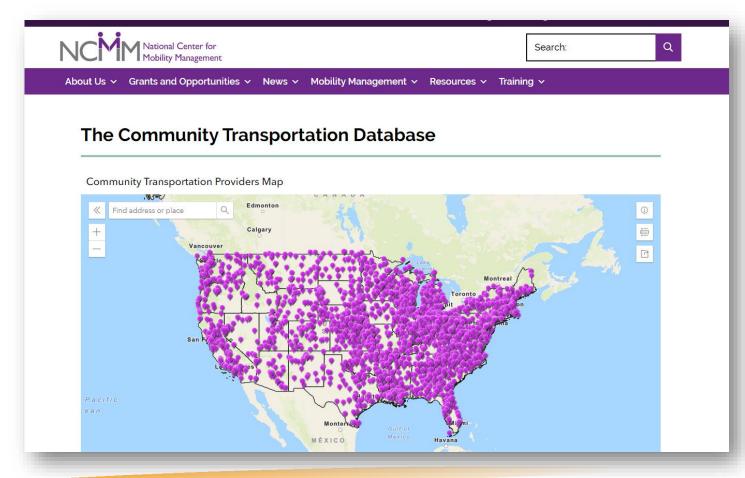
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Chat:

What is the biggest success your state has had in developing cross-sector collaborations that include transportation?

National Center for Mobility Management Community Transportation Database





Federal Transit Administration



Panel Discussion

Q&A

Additional Resources



Connecting You to Community Services

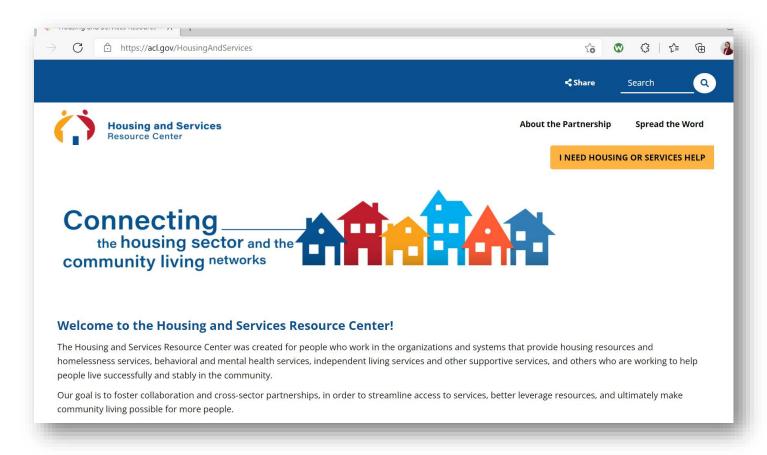
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