

Jerryl Soriano

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To: Jerryl Soriano
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Jerryl Soriano~

We have become aware of the proposal of new Coachella Valley Association of Governments proposal seeks to place homeless populations displaced by the closing of Roy's Resource Center into residential houses in Palm Springs, Cathedral City and Desert Hot Springs.

I am a Desert Hot Springs resident. My husband and I have just moved here two years ago. We bought our first home. A home we spent most of our lives working very hard to have. Saving and saving, working from the time we were 16 yrs old into our 50's never not having a job to get to this point of being a home owner.

We moved here from LA/San Fernando Valley. Taking long rides here in traffic week after week finding out perfect and forever home.

We didn't go through all of this so we could have homes in our neighborhood/surrounding neighborhoods and citywide with homeless rentals. Rentals that will change over every 90 days with 6-10 new people residing in each home. Homes that won't be monitored or vetted.

I see most of this to be pushed on our city due to The program budget providing a rental amount of \$1,682 per month. As most of the other cities rentals are much higher to support that amount.

With a Total program cost is \$865,737.22 if approved by the CVAG. Outrageous!!!!

Why should our city pay the same amount of \$103,000 when this city doesn't the same city funds as the other cities???

Who will pay for the up keep of these homes??? Who will monitor these homes/people ??? Why will so many people be aloud in a small home???

We are having enough trouble with the homeless problem in this city. We don't need to be known for A homeless city.

As well as that just three minutes from our new home a resident of DHS Judy Shea (I'm sure you know) it's trying to open a homeless housing project right next door to a senior living facility, they share the parking lot! This is in a residential neighborhood with tons of children, no access to transportation, amenities or mental health facilities. The closest thing is a horrible liquor store which is known for selling

drugs from the drug dealers living in the apartments behind. We have a huge petition going on now to fight this!!!

My point is here..... When do home owners have any say??? Any rights to keep there neighborhoods clean and safe??? Why should people like us that have worked very hard be placed in this position. We pay over \$5000.00 in just property taxes a year!!! Doesn't that give us the right to care about our families, our home, our safety OUR NEIGHBORHOODS AND NEIGHBORS.....

We just our getting back on our feet in this city with property value going up as well as house costs , crime declining and we don't need to go backwards.

We should be doing something more established like Coachella Valley Rescue Mission has done!!!
<http://www.cvrn.org/>

Thank you for reading and sharing my concerns on this matter

Steven and Lorie Waldenberg

Petition attached:re:Judy Shea

mailto:?body=Hey%2C%0A%0A%0Ajust%20signed%20the%20petition%20%22The%20city%20of%20Desert%20Hot%20Springs%20Residents%20%3A%20STOP%20HOMELESS%20SHELTER%20IN%20DHS%20HACIENDA%20HEIGHTS%20AREA%22%20and%20wanted%20to%20see%20if%20you%20could%20help%20by%20adding%20your%20name.%0A%0AOur%20goal%20is%20to%20reach%20100%20signatures%20and%20we%20need%20more%20support.%20You%20can%20read%20more%20and%20sign%20the%20petition%20here%3A%0A%0Ahttps%3A%2F%2Fwww.change.org%2Fp%2Fthe-city-of-desert-hot-springs-residents-stop-homeless-shelter-in-dhs-hacienda-heights-area%3Frecruiter%3D529186805%26utm_source%3Dshare_petition%26utm_medium%3Demail%26utm_campaign%3Dshare_email_responsive%0A%0AThanks!%0A%0ALorie&subject=The%20city%20of%20Desert%20Hot%20Springs%20Residents%20%3A%20STOP%20HOMELESS%20SHELTER%20IN%20DHS%20HACIENDA%20HEIGHTS%20AREA

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