

Additional Direction

City Council is grateful for the assistance of the Austin Apartment Association, Austin Board of Realtors, and the Real Estate Council of Austin who previously helped our community achieve net effective zero homelessness for veterans, and further appreciates their willingness now to meet and collaborate to help design effective incentives that would create opportunities for access to low barrier private market rental units.

With the passage of this item, the City Manager is directed to work with the contracted agency (ECHO) to proactively engage these stakeholders, and others, in the design of incentives for landlords and housing unit owners to make available housing for people experiencing homelessness.