







Cluster	Agency	Type	Primary Contact	Title
1	Union Station Homeless Services	Non-Profit	Larry Johnson	Director of Program Services
	Door of Hope	Non-Profit	Tim Peters	Executive Director
	Foothill Unity Center	Non-Profit	Betty McWilliams	Deputy Director
	Vacant			
2	Hosea Chapel Christian Church	Faith-Based	Gilbert Saldate	Pastor
	Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation	Non-Profit	Debra Boudreaux	Executive Vice President
	Volunteers of America Los Angeles	Non-Profit	Antoinette Falice	Program Manager
	Family Promise of San Gabriel Valley	Non-Profit	Sheldon Hess	Pastor
3	East SGV Coalition for the Homeless	Non-Profit	Bob McKennon	
	Children of God Body Of Christ	Non-Profit	Sharon West	Acting CEO
	YWCA San Gabriel Valley	Non-Profit	Edith Norris	Program Director
	Vacant			
4	La Verne Heights Presbyterian Church	Faith-Based	Connie Brehm	Homeless Ministry Leader
	David & Margaret Youth and Family Services	Non-Profit	Andrew Levander	Director
	Inland Valley Hope Partners	Non-Profit	Wytske Visser	Executive Director
	NewSong Church	Faith-Based	Rodney Heinrich	Pastor

Coordinating Council Governing Board Members

**Table 1.**

**Next Steps**

The Coordinating Council will host its first meeting on Wednesday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at the West Covina City Hall where the Governing Board members will be introduced to one another and the community at large. Public, private, and not-for-profit agencies are invited to attend. At this meeting, the Governing Board will elect officers and discuss selection of an Executive Director. Recruitment for this position is currently underway and it is anticipated that the Governing Board will make a hire decision by the end of July.

The Coordinating Council Executive Director offices are anticipated to be co-located with the COG offices during the first year of operations to facilitate access and integration into the Valley’s operations. LAHSA will provide administrative payroll services.

**Conclusion**

The Governing Board’s direction to develop and implement a regional homeless services strategy has resulted in an unprecedented effort to utilize a community-based approach to meeting the needs of this vulnerable population. The effort of the past two years reflect the input and collaboration of a wide-range of stakeholders and demonstrates the effectiveness of collectively partnering to develop solutions to lift more people out of homelessness. I would particularly like to thank the members of the COG ad hoc homeless services committee, the County of Los Angeles CEO’s office, and Supervisors Antonovich, Knabe, and Molina, and their staff for their support and participation over the course of this effort.