

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Richard Meyers, City Manager

SUBJECT: HOMELESSNESS DISCUSSION

DATE: March 9, 2022

### Background

The City Council has discussed Homelessness at a previous City Council meeting as well as held a work session. In preparation for the Town Hall meeting on Tuesday, April 5, 2022 at 7:00 pm in the Cottage Grove Armory we will be holding a final discussion and go over information for the Town Hall.

Staff will be presenting information for Council discussion and comment. Attached is an additional report "Homelessness in Oregon: A Review of Trends, Causes, and Policy Options" prepared for the Oregon Community Foundation by EcoNorthwest. EcoNorthwest also prepared the City's Housing Needs Analysis that can also provide local insight into The Oregon Community Foundation report. The City's Housing Needs Analysis is available on the City's webpage at: <https://www.cottagegroveor.gov/cd/page/housing-needs-analysis-0>.

### Recommendation

Information item only, no action from Council.

### Cost

No Cost



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Richard Meyers, City Manager