# South Shore Region Local Resident Housing Plan

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#### **Housing Study Area – South Shore**



## Building Blocks of a Housing Plan

- Understand Community values
- Link homes to local values
- FRAME

Listen + Frame

#### Housing Needs Assessment

- The data: how much and what type of housing is needed for whom at what prices
- Program support, education, information

- Establish goals
- Identify and prioritize housing strategies
- Roles, responsibilities
- Timeline
- Updates

Housing Action Plan

#### Management and monitoring

- Administration
- Coordination
- Tracking/monitoring
- Work Plans

We are here

- Policy creation /adoption
- Need: capacity and \$\$ (and partners)

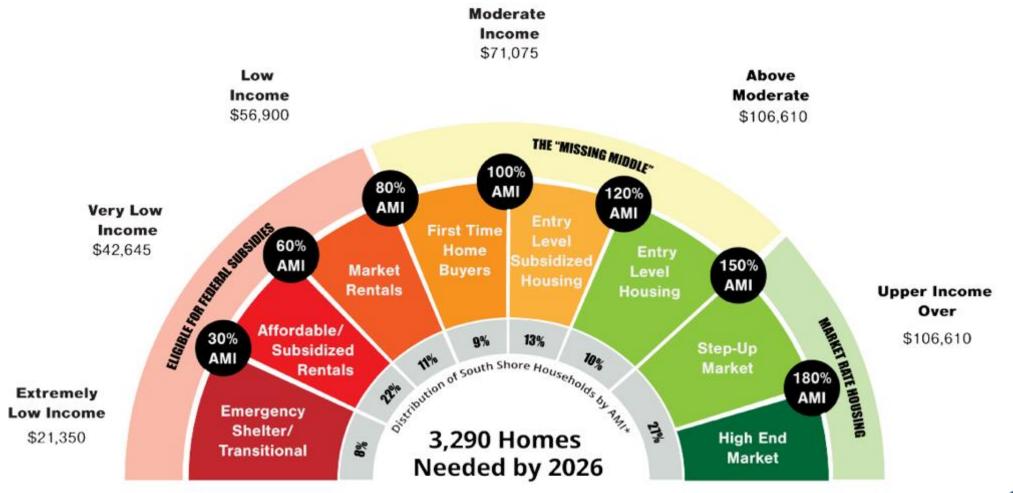


#### **Housing Advisory Group**

#### Housing Advisory Group (and Implementing Partners)

JURISDICTIONS	STATE/REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS	AREA NON-PROFITS	EMPLOYERS/ INSTITUTIONS
City of South Lake Tahoe	California Tahoe Conservancy	El Dorado Community Foundation	Barton Health
Douglas County	Tahoe Regional Planning Agency	Family Resource Center	Hard Rock Hotel and Casino
El Dorado County	Tahoe Transportation District	Lake Tahoe South Shore Chamber of Commerce	Lake Tahoe Community College
		South Tahoe Chamber of Commerce	South Tahoe Alliance of Resorts
		St. Joseph Community Land Trust	Vail Resorts
		Tahoe Prosperity Center - Convener	20-0648 A 4 of 16

### **Spectrum of Needs**





#### **Concerning Trends (Needs Assessment)**

• Decline in year-round resident occupied homes

○ 61% (2000) → 46% (2019)

- Declining younger households/families with children
- Cost-burden (paying 30% or more of income for housing)
- Commuting households that cannot live local must commute not good for lake clarity/environment
- Displacement of residents due to redevelopment, condemnation and competition with second homeowners and visitors
- Unfilled jobs, declined jobs, employee turnover lack of housing that employees can afford affects 50% of employers

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#### **Action Plan**

#### What is an Action Plan?

A partnership framework with actionable strategies to <u>increase the inventory of</u> <u>local resident housing</u> – dwellings that South Shore Region residents and employees can afford to purchase or rent.





#### **Action Plan Strategies**

Build Homes on Public/Institutional Land Conservancy - Tahoe Livable Communities Other public lands (several developments in process) Land Banking/Acquisitions

Employer Assisted Housing/Programs



**Improve Rental Conditions** 



## Variety of Strategies:

- There is no silver bullet!
- Range of strategies builds flexibility/ effectiveness into the Plan.
- Cannot do everything at once each partner has capacity limits; needs to prioritize; and finish what has started.
- Community engagement/public input is essential for support and to stay on track.
- Partners will all focus on strategies that fit their mission and goals and that they have the capacity to complete.





#### **Action Plan Goals and Objectives**

Work together to improve the quality, variety and availability of homes that those who live and/or work in the South Shore can afford to purchase or rent (diversity, range of incomes, variety of strategies, year round and seasonal, community and environment)

- Increase <u>local occupancy</u> of housing from 46% to at least 50%.
- Facilitate local resident housing for the full <u>range of incomes.</u>
- <u>Commuting employees</u>: Provide opportunities for at least 80% of South Shore employees to live in the South Shore.
- <u>Number of Units</u>. Increase the availability of local resident housing by an average of 150 units per year new development, redevelopment, infill, and improving the condition and use of existing homes.

### **Action Plan Timeline**

HOUSING STRATEGIES	Strategy				Mid Term	Long Term
	Туре	2020	2021	2022	4-6 years	6+ years
Quarter		2 3 4	1 2 3 4	1 2 3 4		
Development #1 - TTD/Pacific/City partnership*	Partnerships					
Second Home to Long Term Rental*	Programs					
Private Donations/Grants*	Funding					
Community Land Trust*	Preservation					
Development #2 - City/SJCLT partnership*	Partnerships					
Incentivize Housing Using State Codes as a Model*	Incentives					
Federal and State Grants/Loans*	Funding					
Development #3 - Conservancy land*	Partnerships					
Code Simplifications	Incentives					
Permanent Deed Restriction/Guidelines*	Preservation					
Land Banking/Acquisition*	Partnerships					
Welcome Mat Initiative*	Incentives					
Employer Assisted Housing	Partnerships					
Improve Rental Conditions	Preservation					
Homebuyer Assistance*	Programs					
Fee Waivers/Deferrals*	Incentives					
Redevelopment Assistance	Incentives	Key:				
Inclusionary Zoning	Regulations	Act	ion Phase			
Residential/Commercial Linkage	Regulations	On	going Phase			
Taxes Dedicated for Housing	Funding				20	-0648 A 11 of 16

## **Timing Considerations:**

- <u>Current capacity</u>: what can we do now (e.g., available staff, funding)
- Ease of implementation: political and capacity limits
- <u>Political and community support</u>: the extent of political will, community support
- <u>Political capital</u>: will this create a success we need in order to build up support for other strategies
- Extent of impact: how much housing can it provide
- <u>Building blocks</u>: some actions need to happen before others can be successful

Assumes capacity will be added over time!



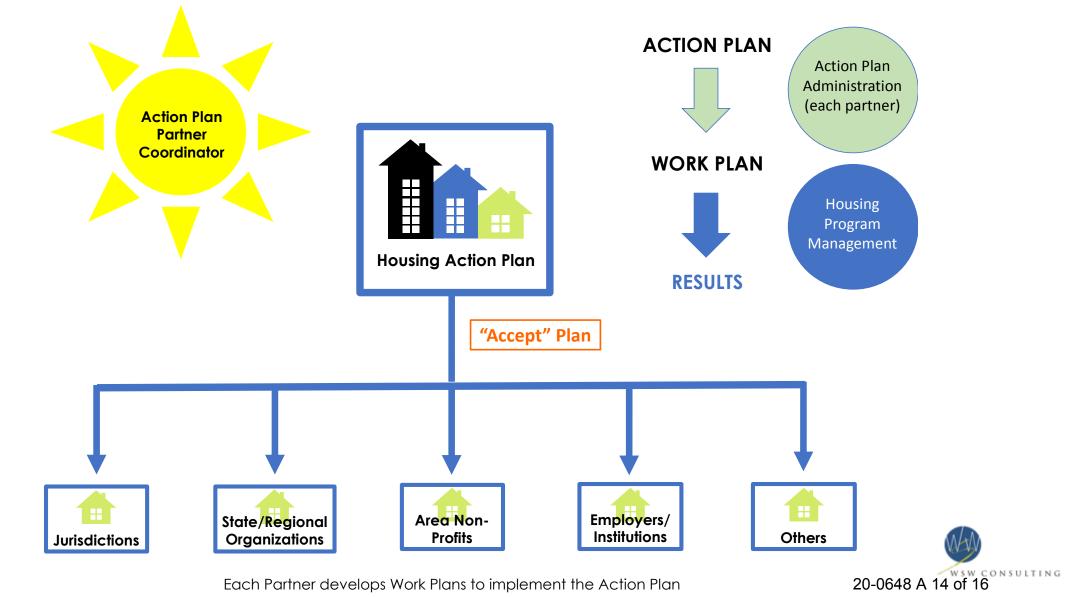
#### **Action Plan Roles**

Legend:	Lead	L-1 (implement first); L-2 (implement second)						
	Support	Analysis, coordination, expertise, advocacy						
	Convener	Pull needed partners together to coordinate action						
	Further Explore	May support through further analysis/discussion						

Strategy priority	City	Douglas County	El Dorado County	TRPA	EDCF	Conser- vancy	SJCLT	ТРС	ТаНоСо	TTD	Tahoe Chamber	South Tahoe Chamber	Employers
Development #1 - TTD/Pacific/City partnership*	S			S						L	S	S	
Second Home to Long-term rental*	S	S			S				L		S	S	S
Private Donations/Grants*					L		S	S			S		S
Community Land Trust*					S		L						S
Development #2 - City/SJCLT partnership*	L/S			S			L/S				S	S	
Incentivize Housing Using State Codes as a Model*	L	S	L	L				С					
Federal and State Grants/Loans*	L	S	L		S	L - State		С		S			
Development #3 - Conservancy land*	S		S	S		L	S	S			S	S	
Code Simplifications	L	L	L	L									
Permanent Deed Restriction/Guidelines*	L	S	S	L			S	С					
Land Banking/Acquisition*	L	S	S		S	L	S						
Welcome Mat Initiative*	S	S	S	L		S		С			S		
Employer Assisted Housing					S		S	S	S		C/L	S	S
Improve Rental Conditions	L - 1	L - 2	L - 2						S				
Homebuyer Assistance*	L/S	S	S		S						S		
Fee Waivers/Deferrals*	L	L	L	L		S		С			S		
Redevelopment Assistance	L	L	L	L - regs							S		
Inclusionary Zoning	L - 1		L - 2	S		S	S	S			FE	FE	FE
Residential/Commercial Linkage	L - 1		L - 2	S				S			FE	FE	FE
Taxes Dedicated for Housing	S		S		С			S		S	FE	FE	FE

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#### **Implementation and Management**



Each Partner develops Work Plans to implement the Action Plan

#### **Implementation and Management**

<u>Missing in past</u>: regional housing coordinating entity

- Action plan partner coordinator
- Housing program management you are not done once housing is created
  - Program guidelines, unit management, inventory/tracking of deed restrictions
- Financing ongoing process
- Public education and engagement including centralized communication of programs.



#### Thank you.

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