HOUSING POLICY FORUM

Rethinking Social Housing for California

Housing Policy Forum: Wednesday, March 15, 2023 | 1:00-3:00 PM PST

Objectives

This forum will provide information on social housing models, spotlighting Vienna, to highlight parallels and key differences in California's housing landscape to uplift potential for adaptation of social housing policies. In addition, it will:

- Introduce the history, key tools, and foundational pillars of the Vienna social housing model.
- Compare and contrast the Californian and Viennese housing systems and break down existing social housing initiatives in the state.
- Highlight opportunities and approaches to adapt social housing throughout California and in the SCAG and SANDAG regions.

Agenda

Time	Agenda Details	Speakers
1:00 p.m. – 1:10 p.m.	Welcome & Session Overview	Sean Elo-Rivera, Vice Chair, SANDAG and Council President, City of San Diego Jessica Ripper, Global Policy Leadership Academy
1:10 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Presentation: Overview of Social Housing Q&A	Helmi Hisserich, Global Policy Leadership Academy Sonia Suresh, Assistant Director of Decommodified Housing, SAJE







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1:50 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.	Panel: Social Housing in Vienna and Southern California - Parallels, Key	Moderator: Tuere Fa'aola, Sustainable Communities Program Manager
	Differences, and Implementation Strategies	Panelists: Asm. Alex Lee (D-25)
	Q&A	Jenna Hornstock , Deputy Mayor of Housing, Office of Los Angeles Mayor Karen Bass
		Joe Donlin, Deputy Director and Director of Research and Policy Advocacy, SAJE
		Sean Spear, President and CEO, Community Housing Works
		Susan Guinn, Chief Innovation Officer, San Diego Foundation
2:55 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Preview of Upcoming Events and Closing	Jessica Ripper , Global Policy Leadership Academy





