

City of Los Angeles
Homeless Strategy
Committee

Strategy 5E:
Regional Homelessness
Advisory Council

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Background

LAHSA Commission established an **Ad Hoc Committee on Continuum of Care (CoC) Governance** to explore how a new governance structure might be convened, staffed, and coordinated with existing CoC oversight and governance bodies



U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) defines a **Continuum of Care (CoC)** as a regional or local planning body that coordinates housing and services funding for homeless families and individuals



Background Continued

Federal Compliance Issue

HUD requires CoCs fulfill specific duties to receive federal funding per the HEARTH Act of 2009

Strategy Development

Strategic planning around how to advance the work of ending homelessness regionally

Regional Needs

LA City & County identified need for enduring regional forum to ensure broad-based collective strategic leadership

RHAC Role and Purpose

Connect
the dots

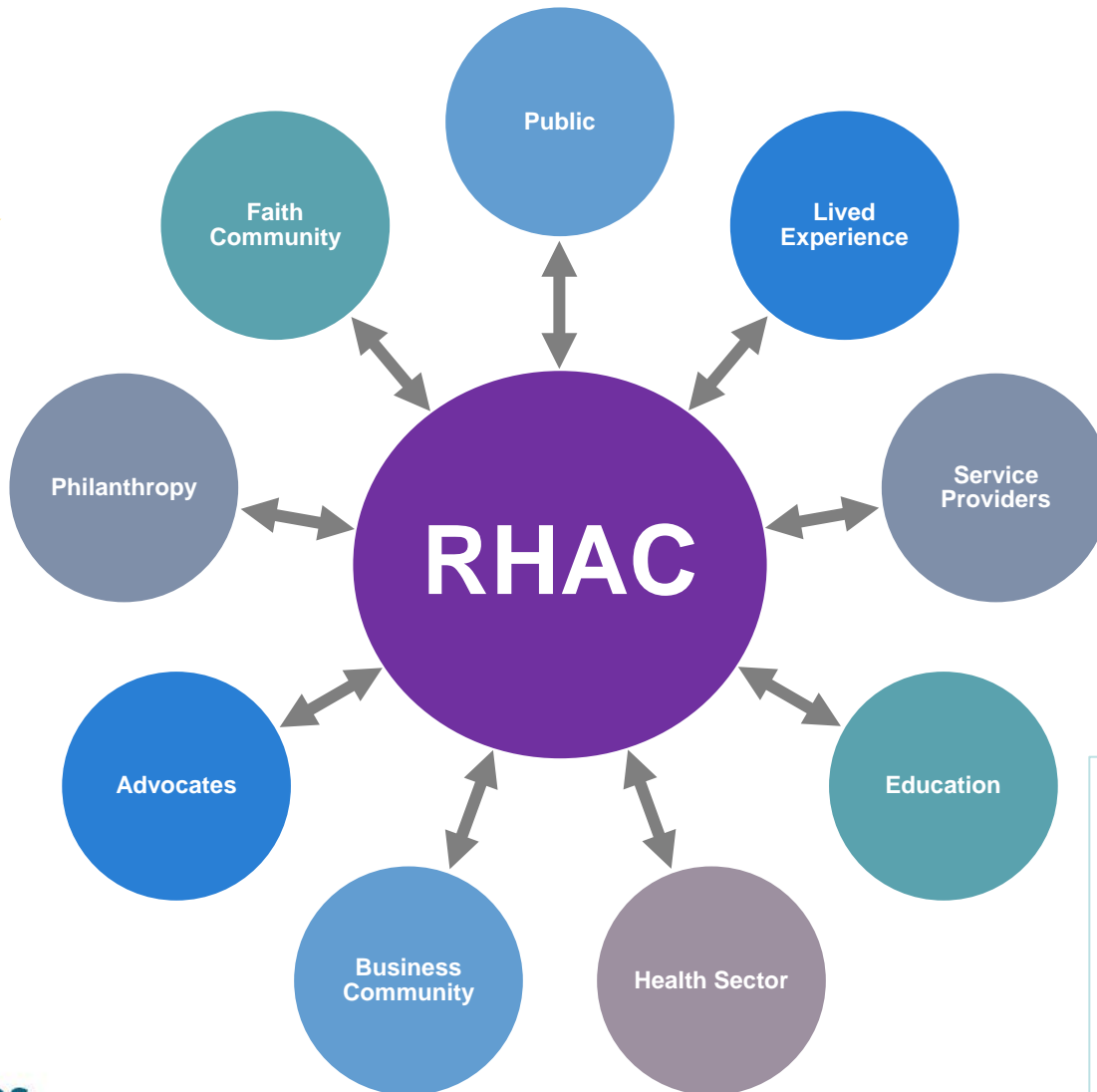
Spread
solutions

Raise
concerns

Track
progress

Stakeholder Representation

58 seats
total



Number of Seats by Sector:
Public = 26
Lived Experience = 2
Service Providers = 12
Education = 5
Health Sector = 2
Business Community = 4
Advocates = 2
Philanthropy = 3
Faith Community = 2

2017 RHAC Meeting Dates

February 15, 2017 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

⑩ Discussed data, City and County homeless strategies, and identified future agenda topics

May 17, 2017 from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

⑩ Discussed system performance measures, approved RHAC charter and LA CoC Board bylaws, established CES Policy Council, and provided City/County updates on Measures HHH and H

August 16, 2017 from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

November 17, 2017 from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm