



SUPPORTIVE HOUSING & INNOVATION FUND

In March 2018, **Destination: Home** launched the Supportive Housing & Innovation Fund in partnership with **Cisco**, which provided \$50 million in seed funding. The fund is designed to channel private, philanthropic investments towards proven solutions for reducing and preventing homelessness - enabling the private sector to strategically partner with local government, leverage public funding, and share in a joint approach towards ending homelessness in our community.

With a combined \$115 million in grants from Cisco and Apple, the fund is focusing its investments in three key areas:



Supportive & ELI Housing Development:

Spurring the development of new housing opportunities for formerly homeless and extremely low income (ELI) households.



Data & Technology Utilization:

Improving the use of data and technology to enhance our supportive housing system and better meet the needs of homeless and formerly homeless residents.



Homelessness Prevention & Housing Stability:

Piloting and scaling innovative strategies that help at-risk residents maintain stable housing.

Investing in Solutions

Since its inception, the Supportive Housing & Innovation Fund has invested over **\$71 million** in key projects and initiatives that will help accelerate our progress towards ending homelessness in Silicon Valley:

Provided **no- or low- interest acquisition and pre-development financing** for 33



new housing developments w/ 3,300 Supportive/ELI units



Funded new **project manager positions** for 8 **non-profit developers** to

advance construction of 1,600 new deeply affordable apartments



Funded a **dedicated city planner** at the City of San Jose, which reduced approval time for

ELI & supportive housing projects by 2 months



Expanded capacity in the **countywide Homelessness Prevention System** to serve more than 1,700 households annually and add targeted services for victims of domestic violence



Funded an Employment Services provider to help develop **living wage job pathways** for recently-housed individuals



Funded the development of a **MyConnectSV**, a new client-facing Homeless

Management Information System portal for homeless and formerly homeless individuals

Thanks to Cisco and Apple for their generous contributions to the Supportive Housing & Innovation Fund and for participating in a true public-private partnership committed to ending homelessness in Silicon Valley.



Destination: Home is a public-private partnership ending homelessness in Silicon Valley.

For more information, please visit: DestinationHomeSV.org

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