



# 2017-2018 ANNUAL REPORT



### A Message from Board Chair

# DAVE GUSTAFSON

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I invite you to read our new Fiscal Year 2017-18 Annual Report. I am thrilled to tell you that the first half of 2018 was just as dynamic and exhilarating as the previous reporting period of 2017. I have the utmost respect and appreciation for everyone at Peoples' Self-Help Housing and our partners, funders and donors, who continue to elevate us and help us achieve the goals we have set forth in our new Three Year Strategic Plan. In an ever-escalating affordable housing crisis, we are still able to consistently provide new housing and preserve existing affordable housing inventory. Never enough, though, as legislative changes, uncertainties of long-term financing options, and funding challenges for local jurisdictions are daunting for any developer of affordable housing nationally—but particularly in California.

Now, in our 48th year of operation, we have focused on bringing our Property Management arm, The Duncan Group, into the fold, functioning as one organization, as Peoples' Self-Help Housing, effective July 1. During this past fiscal year, Board and staff focused on the due diligence, evaluating the feasibility, effectiveness, inclusivity and operational impacts that may be associated with such a move. As a result, all 190+ employees of our creative and mission-driven staff are happy to "Become One" as they pursue the same goals, working passionately under one mission to successfully contribute to the betterment of the lives of our fellow citizens. Our desire as a Board is to further amplify Peoples' Self-Help Housing's recognizable brand name along the Central Coast, which is synonymous with inclusiveness, diversity and quality affordable housing that includes site-based services unlike any others. Because of our adaptability and ability to recognize when change is needed in response to challenges, we seek creative and innovative solutions facing the industry and nonprofits everywhere.

This is why this Board is growing and re-energizing its strong knowledge base across industries, with the addition of new members who bring essential expertise to the corporate effort. My fellow PSHH Board members and I strive to leave a replicable legacy through committed participation and engagement. We search out and promote opportunities that are essential for the well-being of the communities we serve. At the same time, we embrace our fiscal responsibility to assure the financial health of the organization and the sustainability of our programs. As we continue to collaborate with local, state and national agencies and partners to bring our communities the best possible housing opportunities, social services, educational and support programs, I encourage you to join us on our journey. Please contact us to explore how you can assist in making our reporting periods for 2018-19 and beyond even more successful.

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### **NEW CALENDAR**

Peoples' Self-Help Housing has transitioned its annual report to provide financial and programs statements on their fiscal calendar (July-June).

# 2017-18 LEADERSHIP

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### A Message from President/CEO



JOHN FOWLER

This past year, Angel\* budgeted his way out of debt, Bethany\* began her master's program at Columbia, Eric\* had dental care for the first time in his life and Lila\* opened her own business. Felix\* taught music again, Susan\* got a long-awaited service animal and the Gonzalez\* Family, after learning how to dig footings, pour concrete, install drywall, lay tile and shingle a roof, built their own home.

Every one of these confident, self-reliant actions came about because our residents were able to realize their dreams after finding a stable and affordable place to live. For many though, housing is precarious, overpriced and set in the insidious shadow of drugs, gangs and violence. And because of the greater fear of homelessness, people stay in these homes often doubled up with strangers, ignoring their health or working two jobs, all just to keep a roof, albeit a leaking roof, over their heads.

The State of California is a million units short of affordable housing, and logically one would suppose the solution lies in more construction. After all, don't our freshman economics classes teach that if you just build more, it will get cheaper. But housing isn't a commodity and even with tools like inclusionary housing, the market is never going to naturally yield enough for everyone, and more importantly enough that everyone can afford.

When I look at our housing portfolio, because of the skyrocketing cost of land, fees and construction, last year we only netted 74 new units. And although we did renovate another 175 units on top of that and built an additional 24 self-help homes, I yearn for an expedited way to bring opportunity and stability to the thousands who are desperately waiting on our lists.

I want to build faster, provide services earlier, open learning centers sooner and I continue to be stubbornly impatient for swifter solutions to unleash so much unrealized potential. Inspirational and progressive voices tell us that while it is slow, and the curve seemingly incalculable, the arc of change does indeed "bend toward justice".

And so I take a breath, remember that with each and every home built comes opportunity and lives renewed and celebrate the amazing achievements of residents like Angel, Bethany, Eric, Lila, Felix, Susan and the entire Gonzalez Family.

\*All resident names have been changed.





Group 1 received hand-painted rocks as house warm-

ing gifts from Paso Robles homeowner Annette H.



Owner-Builders place rebar

for a foundation.



San Miguel, California is the new address for 24 first-time homeowners and their families. The last group to build in the TR2710 development completed their houses in June 2018. The new neighborhood is comprised of large and small families with college students and infants plus newlyweds and individuals.

Through Peoples' Self-Help Housing's (PSHH) 47-year-old self-help program, low-income families receive assistance with the construction of a new home while also reducing associated costs. Groups of typically 10 families work together under PSHH's supervision to build one another's house, reducing their building costs by 20-25 percent. Each family contributes 2,000 hours of construction labor as "sweat equity" in lieu of a cash down payment. In the next fiscal year, PSHH will celebrate the start of construction on it's 1,200 house in the new Mission Gardens development, also in San Miguel.



Group 2

**Group** 

# **SINCE 1970**

- 1,189 Homes Completed
- 35 Neighborhoods Created
- \$8 million in down payment assistance

# HOME OWNERSHIP

As one San Miguel neighborhood was being completed, a second new one was just beginning construction. The first group of owner-builders in the new Mission Gardens development started construction in January 2018 and the second group to start will include Peoples' Self-Help Housing's (PSHH) 1,200th home. The site, which was purchased in December 2014, is directly adjacent to the recently completed TR2710 (see photos on the facing page) and will eventually be home to 29 new, first-time homeowners. Since forming in 1970, PSHH has built or is in the process of building 718 houses in San Luis Obispo County, 381 in Santa Barbara County and 109 in Ventura County.

Some additional highlights of the 47-year-old Home Ownership Program include:

- Over 400 loans in excess of \$10,900,000 down payment assistance provided to self-help owner-builders
- 56 rehab loans provided to homeowners

Highlights of the 2017-2018 fiscal year include:



PSHH President/CEO John Fowler (left) and PSHH Vice President of Home Ownership Sheryl Flores (right) made an appearance on Tap TV to discuss how PSHH addresses the issues Central Coast residents face when looking for a home to own.



In July 2017, former California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo educator Dr. Joe Sabol donated several apple trees to owner-builders at PSHH's Atascadero Triangle development.



Each of the three ownerbuilder groups of the recently completed San Miguel development received 4-5 training sessions each on construction of a home and being a homeowner.

## DEVELOPMENT ANNIVERSARIES

25 Years Oak Valley, Santa Maria

20 Years Harvest Meadows, Templeton

10 Years Montecito Verde III, Nipomo

**5 Years** Terebinth Lane, Templeton





Los Robles Terrace in Paso Robles

# MAINTAINING EXCELLENCE

In addition to progress on new construction and major rehabilitation projects, Peoples' Self-Help Housing made significant exterior upgrades to Mariposa Townhomes (Orcutt), Sea Breeze Apartments (Los Osos) and South Bay Apartments (Los Osos) including new windows, roofs and exterior lighting, plus exterior painting and landscaping. PSHH's teams were focused on projects from Paso Robles to Isla Vista throughout the 2017-2018 fiscal year.





Casas de Los Carneros in Goleta





# RENTAL DEVELOPMENTS



# **JARDIN DE LAS ROSAS**

5150 Salsipuedes in Santa Barbara

Located in downtown Santa Barbara, Jardin de Las Rosas (JDLR) features 40 rental units that vary in size from one bedroom to three bedrooms for individuals and families. Additional highlights include the Michael Towbes Community Center, the Jeanette Duncan Learning Center, a multi-purpose room, staff offices and an interior courtyard with a playground and a specially commissioned 60-foot-wide mural. Funding partners for JDLR include California Community Reinvestment Corp., J.P. Morgan Chase, City of Santa Barbara HOME & Redevelopment, Goleta Valley Housing Committee, Enterprise Community Partners and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Development partners include Peikert Group Architects, LLP, RRM Design Group, Landscape Architect Robert Andrew Fowler, Civil Engineer Stantec and Ashley & Vance Engineering Inc.



**CHAPEL COURT** 681 Ash Avenue in Carpinteria The 6-month rehabilitation of this 28-unit rental housing for farmworkers was completed in April 2018. Construction work included new, stabilized apartment foundations, renovation of the interiors of ADA units including new insulation, upgrade of irrigation and landscaping and installation of new lights in the parking lot and interior courtyard. Funding agency was the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).



CRESTON GARDEN APARTMENTS 1255 Creston Road in Paso Robles

Extensive renovations on this 60-unit complex included new community and learning centers and foundation repairs and leveling of all buildings. Originally built in 1980 and funded through the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Section 515 Program, the rehabilitation was funded by USDA Rural Development, Chase and Enterprise Community Investment. Development partners included Keith Hall Architect, North Coast Engineering and Robert Andrew Fowler, Landscape Architect.



**VALENTINE COURT** 280 E. Newlove Drive in Santa Maria This 35-unit apartment complex for seniors and those living with disabilities underwent numerous upgrades, including energy efficiency improvements, new paint, appliance installation, and an expansion of the community building. Originally constructed in 1990, Valentine Court was funded by a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) from the City of Santa Maria and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Section 202 Program.

# SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY



# **BROAD STREET PLACE**

Location: San Luis Obispo Population: Workforce Unit Count: 40 Construction Type: New Construction Start: Spring 2019 Construction End: Summer 2020



### **CAMBRIA PINES**

Location: Cambria Population: Family Unit Count: 33 Construction Type: New Construction Start: January 2020 Construction End: May 2021



### CERRO ALTO Location: Atascadero/Morro Bay/Cambria Population: Family Unit Count: 54 Construction Type: Rehab Construction Start: November 2019 Construction End: October 2020



### LOS ROBLES TERRACE

Location: Paso Robles Population: Senior Unit Count: 40 Construction Type: Rehab Construction Start: September 2017 Construction End: July 2018 Investor: National Equity Fund Construction Lender: Wells Fargo Perm Lender: California Community Reinvestment Corp. Other Funding Partners: U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development



### **RIGHETTI RANCH**

Location: San Luis Obispo Population: Family Unit Count: 65 Construction Type: New Construction Start: March 2019 Construction End: July 2020



### **ROLLING HILLS II**

Location: Templeton Population: Family Unit Count: 36 Construction Type: New Construction Start: December 2016 Construction End: November 2018 Investor: CREA, LLC Construction Lender: Wells Fargo Perm Lender: Wells Fargo Other Funding Partners: County of San Luis Obispo, Housing Authority of the City of San Luis Obispo, Housing Trust Fund of the County of San Luis Obispo, Private Anonymous Donor



### **TEMPLETON PLACE II**

Location: Templeton Population: Senior Unit Count: 36 Construction Type: New Construction Start: November 2019 Construction End: March 2021

# SANTA BARBARA COUNTY



**CASAS DE LOS CARNEROS** 

Location: Goleta Population: Family Unit Count: 70 Construction Type: New Construction Start: November 2016 Construction End: August 2018 Investor: Merritt Community Capital Corporation Perm Lender: Wells Fargo Other Funding Partners: County of San Luis Obispo, Housing Authority of the City of San Luis Obispo, Housing Trust Fund of the County of San Luis Obispo



Location: Guadalupe Population: Farmworker Unit Count: 38 Construction Type: New Construction Start: December 2018 or January 2019 Construction End: March 2020 Investor: National Equity Fund Construction Lender: Chase Bank Perm Lender: California Community Reinvestment Corp. and USDA Other Funding Partners: N/A



VILLA LA ESPERANZA

Location: Goleta Population: Family Unit Count: 83 Construction Type: Rehab Construction Start: December 2015 Construction End: November 2018 Investor: Merritt Community Capital Construction & Perm Lender: Citibank Other Funding Partners: U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development



LOS ADOBES DE MARIA III

Location: Santa Maria Population: Farmworker Unit Count: 34 Construction Type: New Construction Start/End: December 2016/August 2018 Investor: National Equity Fund Construction Lender: Wells Fargo Perm Lender: Wells Fargo and USDA Other Funding Partners: City of Santa Maria, County of Santa Barbara, NeighborWorks America



SIERRA MADRE COTTAGES Location: Santa Maria Population: Senior Unit Count: 40 Construction Type: New Construction Start: March 2019 Construction End: July 2020 Investor: Enterprise Community Investment Construction & Perm Lender: Bank of America Other Funding Partners: City of Santa Maria, County of Santa Barbara, Federal Home Loan Bank – Affordable Housing Program, Private Anonymous Donor



**ISLA VISTA APARTMENTS** 

Location: Isla Vista Population: Family/Farmworker Unit Count: 56 Construction Type: Rehab Construction Start: April 2020 Construction End: March 2021

# PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

# 2017-2018 HIGHLIGHTS

• 5,032 Residents Housed

• 48 Properties Managed

# RENTAL DEVELOPMENT ANNIVERSARIES

### 20 Years

Atascadero Gardens, Atascadero Brizzolara Apartments, San Luis Obispo Oak Forest Apartments, Arroyo Grande Schoolhouse Lane Apartments, Cambria Victoria Street Bungalows, Santa Barbara

### 15 Years

Valentine Court III, Santa Maria

## 10 Years

Casas Las Granadas, Santa Barbara Lachen Tara Apartments, Avila Beach The Villas at Higuera, San Luis Obispo

### 5 Years

Chapel Court Apartments, Carpinteria Dahlia Court II, Carpinteria College Park Apartments, Lompoc Pismo Creek Bungalows, Pismo Beach Villa la Esperanza, Goleta The Duncan Group (TDG), PSHH's property management arm, made the leap into the world of electronic processes during the 2017-2018 fiscal year by converting several day-to-day activities to online:

- Rent Pay: Convenience for residents and staff and allows residents to improve their credit ratings.
- Rental Applications: Individuals can apply to multiple locations without having to duplicate a hard copy.
- Property Inspections: A new app helps staff in saving time and ordering materials.
- Vendor Management: Purchasing of materials and accounts payable is saving staff time and paper and expedites delivery of goods.

In 2017, TDG also provided relocation assistance to 218 resident households while crews completed major rehabilitation projects on select PSHH developments.

As of July 1, 2018, TDG becomes the Property Management Department of PSHH so all departments can work under one company name and with the same goals and mission. On-site property and maintenance managers and portfolio managers continue to offer hands-on, caring assistance to residents and maintain safe and beautiful properties.



Maintaining Excellence: PSHH's on-site maintenance teams strive to keep community spaces clean and well-kept. The 19-year-old Dahlia Court (pictured left) and the 10-year-old Villas at Higuera in San Luis Obispo (pictured right) are enhanced with beautiful landscaping because of these efforts.

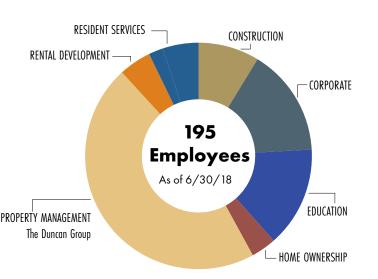
# ADMINISTRATION

During the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the **IT Department** started their efforts to connect residents at 40 PSHH rental developments to the Internet by the end of 2018. Additional advancements included:

- Installation of a new phone system at PSHH corporate offices
- Partnering with Transitions-Mental Health Association (TMHA) to provide IT services
- Implementation of the new EdStop App to track outcome of PSHH's Education Business Plan

Additionally, the **Human Resources Department** made several improvements and held various activities in a continued effort to be a preferred employer on the Central Coast including:

- Revision of job requirements to lower time required to fill new positions
- Increase of Vacation Accruals and Bereavement Leave and establishment of Standardized Salary Ranges
- Creation of an Annual Performance Review Program for all staff
- Converted staff time card system to online and electronic
- Offered over 1,400 training hours to employees
- Advanced 7 talented employees through internal promotions
- Collected feedback through a new Employee Engagement Survey which had a participation rate of over 80% and positive results of an overall satisfaction at 95%



### EMPLOYEES OF THE YEAR



**Griffin Moore** Controller



Olivia Moctezuma Property Manager Chapel Court

# YEARS OF SERVICE

**Over 25 Years** Juliet Mendoza, Mark Wilson, Monica Demalleville

Over 20 Years Annette Schlosser, Sheryl Flores

### Over 15 Years

Abel Gutierrez, Alejandra Guevara de Velasco, Bob Ferrel, Jackeline Diaz, Librada Gallardo, Manuel Esquivel, Mireya Rojas, Phil McClintock, Venny Hernandez-Contreras

### Over 10 Years

Alejandra Mahoney, Felix Chavez, Francisco Bazaldua, Gabriela Ruiz, Juan Gomez, Kenneth Trigueiro, Liz Smith, Veronica Nunez

# WHO IS PSHH?



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affordable *homes* with site-based *services* that offer *opportunities* to change lives and strengthen *commutities* on the central coast of California.

The Mission of Peoples' Self-Help Housing

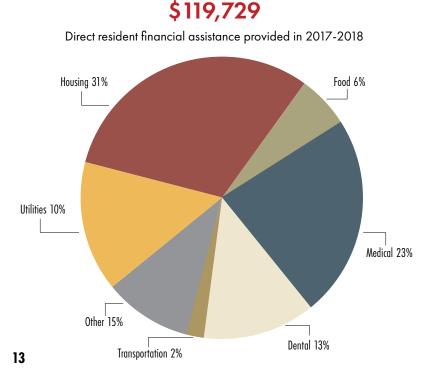


# RESIDENT SERVICES

# 2017-2018 HIGHLIGHTS

- \$119,729 secured for resident assistance
- 6,702 hours of direct service provided
- 1,223 events held for the community

Residents at all PSHH properties are eligible for a wide variety of caring, supportive services delivered by trained social workers and support staff. During the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the Neighborhood Development & Resident Services Department connected residents with much-needed resources and provided welcoming environments for communities to connect and thrive.



# THANK YOU CHANGE A LIFE FOUNDATION

A 10-year partnership with visionary supporters Change a Life Foundation has provided a decade of generous contributions that have impacted the lives of so many PSHH residents. In this last year alone, they gave over \$50,000 in direct support for gifts as meaningful as the ability to hear or eat.



For our low-income residents, critical needs for items such

as hearing aids or dentures could never have been afforded without the help of Change a Life Foundation. We cannot thank them enough for everything they have done and will remember them with gratitude as they sunset their philanthropy.

# HOUSING THAT OFFERS MORE THAN A ROOF

In October when Roger\* moved into Casa De Las Flores in Carpinteria he had experienced many hardships. Originally from the Bay Area, he was lucky enough to have his name pulled in the lottery system. Roger had a long-time history of chronic homelessness and substance abuse but since becoming a PSHH resident, he has been able to achieve sobriety, maintain a full-time job, and now even owns a car.



Supportive Housing is a small team of clinical social workers who are able to provide emotional support, financial budgeting and community referrals to meet the needs of residents. In the case of Roger, SHP was able to connect him to resources, advocate on his behalf and help him live independently.

\*Name has been changed.

# **BUILDING COMMUNITIES THROUGH EVENTS & ACTIVITIES**

Creating resiliency from within is a core concept for the Community Building and Engagement team. Volunteer hours came from both social work interns and PSHH Resident Leaders and led to the offering of over 1,200 events in 2017-2018.

In June, as part of a nationwide celebration of NeighborWorks America's 40th Anniversary, PSHH also held two special events for the community. At Mariposa Townhomes in Orcutt, some 30 resident and community volunteers put on work gloves and spent the afternoon building two raised garden beds. The Community Block Party and Resource Fair at Oak Forest Apartments in Arroyo Grande welcomed more than 100 attendees from seven of PSHH's properties in San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara counties to learn about community services and resources and enjoy free activities like Zumba.

Through the nearly 40 partnerships PSHH has built with other community organizations, residents have access to a variety of wellness seminars plus health screenings, exercise and fitness classes and enriching activities like art and gardening.









# LICENSING PROGRAM OPENS DOOR FOR FUTURE

Santa Maria residents, Elvia and Guadalupe, can call themselves "business owners" after being among the first to successfully complete PSHH's new Neighborhood Child Care Licensing Project. The self-paced program was designed for residents already providing inhome childcare and wanted to turn their passion into a licensed business.

"The greatest benefit of the Childcare Program is that it will help my family and I achieve economic stability," Elvia Salazar, project participant and new business owner, said. "To have my own business is a huge achievement in my personal life."

The project was part of the Working Neighborhoods and Workforce Literacy Initiative program. Funding Partners included Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians Foundation and the Edwin and Jeanne Woods Family Foundation through a NeighborWorks America collaborative grant. Community Partners included The United Way of Northern Santa Barbara County, Children's Resource and Referral of Santa Barbara County, EconAlliance, and the Central Coast Literacy Council.

# EDUCATION

# 2017-2018 HIGHLIGHTS

- 320 K-12 students served
- 307 enrolled in after school tutoring
- 156 College Club members
- 76 students in college

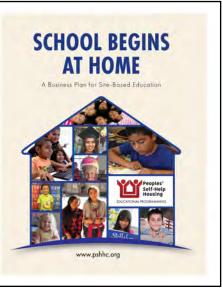
Academically, a child living in poverty starts behind and falls further behind with each passing school year. As their more privileged classmates pull away, if that child is also an English Language Learner, the gap will widen even more. Recent data from school districts where PSHH had housing developments showed math and reading scores up to five times lower for economically disadvantaged children where English was not the primary language.

### PSHH's new business plan "School

Begins at Home" was born of those sobering statistics and building upon the already highly successful education program, eight performance objectives outlined below show how the opportunity gap would be closed for every child in the program. It also demonstrates how by, creating a replicable and scalable program (in essence, a "program in a box"), this model could be shared with any organization as dedicated to education as PSHH.

### **Performance Objectives**

- Augmented curriculum
- Increased opening hours
- Expanded staffing
- Add Learning Centers
- Eight measurable initiatives





### **EXPANDING EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**

Named for organizational founder Jeanette Duncan, PSHH's 11th Learning Center opened at Jardin de las Rosas in Santa Barbara in April. Ready to serve 30 students, it is equipped with state-of-the-art technology for both self-paced and assisted learning.

The Jeannette Duncan Learning Center is operating throughout the year while school is in session and during vacation periods. Utilizing specialized software to reach critical goals for 3rd grade reading levels and 5th grade math, educators are always on-hand for student and parent support.

PSHH's Learning Centers offer after school tutoring and homework assistance for schoolchildren in kindergarten through high school. The inviting environment of these centers also include day camps, field trips and engaging activities to boost a child's potential for academic success.



### **COLLEGE CLUB GOES BLUE & GOLD**

Getting a small taste of campus life is an important part of the decision-making process for collegebound students. At the beginning of 2018, PSHH's College Club ensured that club members enjoyed a taste of the University of California, Los Angeles campus to help them as they plan their futures in higher education.

The trip to UCLA delivered on academic and social experiences as they visited iconic campus hot spots like Powell Library, Royce Hall, Janss Steps and Bruin Plaza and perused the campus museums and art collections. The students were most interested in the Geology Dept's research on climate change and UCLA Hall of Famers Bill Walton and Kareem Abdul-Jabbar.

There are 10 PSHH College Clubs in San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara Counties staffed with full-time advisors dedicated to club members' success. Meeting twice a month, this supportive environment equips students with the skills and knowledge needed to attend an higher institution through workshops, assistance in completing applications and finding scholarships.



### TAKING CONTROL OF THE FUTURE

For former Chapel Court resident Amy Lopez, having a safe and stable home to grow up in and later raise her daughter in meant a brighter future far away from the undesirable future as another "single Latina living off welfare."

As a child, Amy, her parents and her siblings found the clean and safe housing of Chapel Court in stark contrast to their previous housing of a cockroachinfested one-bedroom apartment.

After giving birth to her daughter Lizette at 15, Amy persevered to complete high school, earn a full scholarship to community college, graduate with a Criminal Justice degree and now is working to earn a Master's Degree as a clinical therapist from California State University, Northridge.

The 35-year-old currently works for Hospice of Santa Barbara as a social work care manager and lends support to her parents who are now retired. Amy's daughter, who participated in PSHH's education program at Chapel Court, is looking forward to completing high school in 2018 and attending Santa Barbara City College like her mother.



### WESTWARD BOUND TO DO GOOD

On recommendation by a family friend, University of Michigan graduate and future medical professional Kaavya Puttaganta put the brakes on grad school and headed to California to join PSHH.

As the Lead Educator at River View Townhomes in Guadalupe, the 22-year-old said it was PSHH's holistic approach and connection between health, education and housing that drew her west.

Kaavya graduated last Spring from U-M, where she studied Spanish, Gender and Race, and Biology. While she hopes to eventually attend medical school and practice community-based medicine, her intent is to spend the next few years working in the nonprofit industry to learn more about promoting social justice.

"It's been a powerful experience," Kaavya said about her time with PSHH. "On a personal level it made me realize I am responsible for my own success and safety in school and that my decisions also impact families and kids.

Kaavya added that she's also enjoyed being able to help people in really vulnerable positions learn to trust medicine.

# SERVING THE CENTRAL COAST FOR OVER 47 YEARS



### HOME OWNERSHIP DEVELOPMENTS

#### **ATASCADERO**

Atascadero Triangle Homes El Camino Oaks Hacienda Estates & Twin Oaks

#### **BAYWOOD PARK** El Montecito

**GUADALUPE** Guadalupe I, II, III, IV **River View Estates** 

LOS ALAMOS Bridlepath Estates Los Alamos Homes

LOS OSOS Los Osos Homes

MOORPARK Villa Campesina

#### NIPOMO Los Pinos Estates Montecito Verde I & II Nipomo III

Oak Leaf Homes **OCEANO** 

Oceano Lots

PASO ROBLES Paso Robles Homes Spring Meadows

PIRU Citrus Pointe SAN MIGUEL

Cottonwood Homes San Miguel Homes Tr 2527 San Miguel Tr 2710 San Miguel

SANTA MARGARITA **Redwind Indian Settlement** 

SANTA MARIA Oak Valley Tanglewood

SHANDON Shandon Homes

TEMPLETON Harvest Meadows Lone Oak Estates Templeton I Terebinth Lane Homes

### **RENTAL PROPERTIES**

#### SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

ARROYO GRANDE Cawelti Court 🐴 Courtland Street Apartments 🏯 💩 Juniper Street Apartments 🔹 Oak Forest Apartments 🞄

#### ATASCADERO Atascadero Gardens

**AVILA BEACH** Lachen Tara Apartments 🕭

CAMBRIA Schoolhouse Lane Apartments 🚜

LOS OSOS Sea Breeze Apartments South Bay Apartments

#### MORRO BAY

Oceanside Gardens 🐴 Ocean View Manor 🚲 Pacific View Apartments Sequoia Apartments 🗥

**OCEANO** Belridge Street Apartments Å La Brisa Marina 🚜

#### PASO ROBLES

Canyon Creek Apartments 🏯 💩 Creekside Gardens 🗥 Creston Garden Apartments 🏯 👛 Los Robles Terrace 📥

PISMO BEACH Pismo Creek Bungalows 🎄 Sea Haven Apartments

SAN LUIS OBISPO **Brizzolara** Apartments The Villas at Higuera 🗥

**TEMPLETON** Rolling Hills Apartments 🗥 Templeton Place 🎄

CARPINTERIA Casas de las Flores 🏻 🚔 📥 Chapel Court Dahlia Court I & II 🏯 🐴

#### GOLETA/ISLA VISTA

Casas de Los Carneros 🏯 📥 Ellwood Apartments Isla Vista Apartments 🐴 Storke Ranch Apartments 🚓 Villa la Esperanza 🏯 🚢

GUADALUPE River View Townhomes 🏯 🎄

LOMPOC College Park Apartments 💩 Mariposa Townhomes 🎪 🎄

### SANTA BARBARA

Casas las Granadas Jardin de las Rosas 🌲 🐴 Ladera Street Apartments 🏯 💩 St. Vincent's Garden 🌲 🎄 Victoria Hotel Victoria Street Bungalows

SANTA MARIA Los Adobes de Maria I & II 🏯 🐴 Valentine Court I, II, III 📥

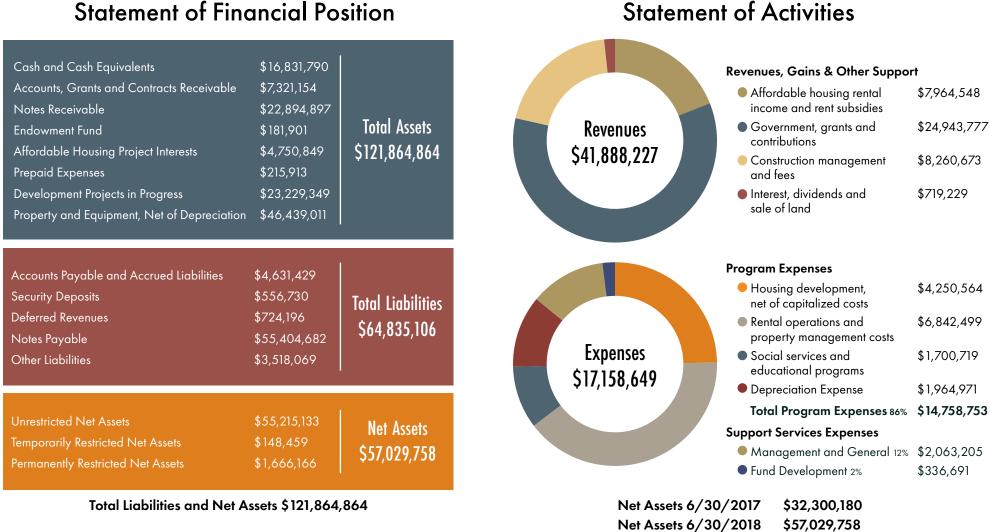
### **VENTURA COUNTY**

FILLMORE Rancho Sespe 🛛 🞄

VENTURA El Patio Hotel



# **FINANCIALS** & STATS For the Year Ended June 30, 2018



# **Statement of Financial Position**

# THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS

\$25,000 and Greater







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## \$24,999-\$10,000

Guadalupe Union School District Anonymous Pacific Premier Bank SLO Noor Foundation County of Ventura County of Santa Barbara Bank of America Barbara N. Rubin Foundation City of San Luis Obispo McCune Foundation Towbes Foundation Union Bank Foundation

## \$9,999-\$5,000

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