



Creative Housing Options in Arcadia

Pray for Better Housing Options in Arcadia - September 9th, 2023 - 6:30pm-8pm

Ask God to help us all in Arcadia, to reduce Homelessness and build Affordable Housing.

Reduce Homelessness:

- Praise God for Steven Boi and team, for them to continue to feed the unhoused, at Eisenhower and County Park (on Monday and Friday mornings, respectively).
- Praise God for the Hill's Church, and for them to continue in their 2nd year to offer bi-monthly free food distributions on Saturdays mornings.
- For boldness in our churches to feed, befriend, and house our unhoused neighbors.
- To give the Homeless Stakeholders group common ground, vision and courage to build community bridges, and advise the City of Arcadia on next steps to work together for our unhoused neighbors.
- For a few churches, to work together, to create new efforts, such as Safe Parking, at their church parking lots.

Affordable Housing:

- For this Fall, for churches and residents to send letter, emails, and speak publicly at City Council meetings, to urge our elected city leaders to do the most to build more affordable housing in our Housing Element. To make our new inclusionary ordinance to be 20% or near that for new residential units to be affordable.
- For the rezoning of 6 key strategies areas around Arcadia to be voted to allow higher density, to build these more affordable housing.
- For City Council to comply with the State, and be fully compliant with our Housing Element.

City Council:

- Praise God for the newly constructed city council, with a women and Asian majority.
- For there to be understanding, and constructive sharing of ideas, and collaboration.
- For there to be 4 votes (out of 5) of City Council adopting the inclusionary ordinance, rezoning, and other new efforts to proactively and compassionately to transition unhoused folks in Arcadia, to be housed.

CHOA:

- Praise God for one year of the team working on housing issues in Arcadia.
- For the CHOA team to have wisdom, faith, courage, and to expand the team.
- For CHOA to build more trusted and deeper relationships within the faith community.



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