# **WEST COUNTY COMMUNITY OF** HOPE **ANNUAL ROADMAP** 2022

### **OUR STORY**

#### **RESULTS**

**Healthy Children** 

Children enter school ready to learn

Families are economically stable

Communities are safe for children, youth and families

### SHARED PRIORITIES AND STRATEGIES

- Address the basic needs of community members
- Increase safe, affordable transportation options
- Improve accéss to medical care, includina mobile services, prenatal care and substance use centers
- Increase behavioral health services for children and parents
  Advocate for funding for food programs and access to healthy foods
  Host pop up food pantries

- Financial literacy Create pathways for employment Increase trade programing opportunities Support small businesses
- Increase safe, positive spaces for children to learn and play

- Increase affordable, quality early education centers
  Promote healthy school environments
  Support after school/out of school opportunities for children and youth
  Educate parents on the importance of early learning
  Increase available parenting programs
  Provide cultural competency for teachers
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- Advocate for a drop-in center for youth and family support center in the community Advocate for an increase in funding for children with intellectual disabilities Create safe playgrounds and recreational areas for children/youth

- Interrupt violence and create safe spaces

- Increase in facilities handling domestic violence Create more slow streets and promote road safety Invite community problem solving through regularly scheduled Town Halls Develop and implement programming focused on interrupting and reducing violence
- Improve housing affordability and livability
- Improve the housing code enforcement to ensure properties are well maintained Provide pro bono attorneys to the community to assist with fair housing issues Educate tenants on their rights Advocate for affordable rent

- Advocate for policies that prevent landlords from rent gouging Walk the neighborhoods and visit properties to ensure compliance with rules
- Create an open dialogue with residents

## PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- Total # of COH stakeholders
- Total # of aligned initiatives in the COH
- % of community members and stakeholders in the COH that feel more positively about their community

#### PRIMARY INDICATOR

