



**City of Santa Ana**  
**20 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana, CA 92701**  
**Staff Report**  
**November 1, 2022**

---

**TOPIC:** Cold Weather Shelter Resolution

---

**AGENDA TITLE:**

Resolution Urging the County of Orange to Operate a Cold Weather Shelter Outside of Santa Ana for a Future Countywide Approach and Encouraging South Orange County Cities to More Equitably Participate in Efforts to Combat the Homelessness Crisis

**RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Adopt a resolution urging the County of Orange to operate a cold weather shelter outside of Santa Ana for a future countywide approach and encouraging South Orange County cities to more equitably participate in efforts to combat the homelessness crisis.

**DISCUSSION**

At the October 18, 2022 meeting, Councilmember Penaloza added the following councilmember requested item: Discuss and Consider Directing the City Manager to Direct Staff to Bring Back a Resolution Opposing the County of Orange from Operating any Cold Weather Shelter within Santa Ana City Limits and Encouraging the County to Rotate the Annual Cold Weather Shelter throughout Different Cities within the Different Service Planning Areas (SPAs). Staff received direction from the majority of the City Council to proceed with preparing the attached resolution for City Council consideration (Exhibit 1).

**Resolution**

The resolution declares that the City Council encourages the County of Orange to operate a cold weather shelter at locations in the County outside of Santa Ana for a true countywide approach, as repeatedly advocated by the City. Furthermore, the resolution declares that the City Council encourages South Orange County cities in particular to contribute their equitable share to combat the regional homelessness crisis by providing shelter and care to individuals experiencing homelessness.

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

There is no environmental impact associated with this action.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

**EXHIBIT(S)**

1. Resolution

Submitted By: Kristine Ridge, City Manager

Approved By: Kristine Ridge, City Manager