# CONFRONTING DISPARITY AND NEGLECT: HOW LOS ANGELES FAILS THE UNHOUSED

## Democratizing support systems for the homeless through Civic Participation (Community)

*SUBSTANCE ABUSE — *TRAUMA

*STEREOTYPES DIFFERENT CLASSES AND THEIR PREJUDICE OF DANGER ASSOCIATED BY UNHOUSED

-REDLINING BETWEEN THE WEALTHY AND THE POOR — -OVER CONCENTRATED AREAS

### {UNHOUSED}

{veterans} {incarcerated} {unprivileged }

^POLICIES LIMITING ACCESS TO INSURANCE AND RESOURCES

## Establish a Legal Right to Housing (Policy)

areas of encampment

*INCENTIVES TO DRIVE THE UNHOUSED OUT — *GENTRIFICATION

*POLITICAL RESISTANCE

-PUBLIC OPINION — -ECONOMIC WEALTH — -STREET CLEANING

{political officals} {government} {developers}

^JULY 2024 NEWSOM EXECUTIVE ORDER THAT ALLOWS CITIES TO ENFORCE BAN ON SLEEPING ON THE STREETS

## Reclaiming Infrastructure for the Homeless (Infrastructure)

abandoned buildings that were/are privately developed

*GENTRIFICATION

*MARGINALIZATION

-STREET CLEANINGS

-DISPLACEMENT OF THE UNHOUSED

-PRIORITIZE SURVIVAL OVER GROWTH

{undocumented} {unhoused individuals}

{discrimination} {cities desire for beautification}

^EX: 2028 OLYMPICS

^2021 ECHO PARK ENCAMPMENT CLEARANCE FOR RENOVATIONS

## Incentivizing Landowners for Social Impact (Economy)

wealthy area vs historical low income area

*MISALLOCATION OF MONEY — *GENTRIFICATION

-WANT TO BOOST ECONOMY SHORT-TERM SOLUTION — -PRIORITIZING PROFIT OVER EQUALITY — -POLITICAL RESISTANCE FROM WEALTHY NEIGHBORHOOD

{landlords} {business} {real estate}

^INCENTIVES TO DRIVE HOMELESS OUT EX: 2028 OLYMPICS — ^LA BECOMES MORE DENSE WANTING TO EXPAND EX.SKID ROW

community / higher education

DEMAND HOUSING AFFORDABILITY

shared pedagogy

DO NOT JUST REBUILD, PROTECT OUR PEOPLE!

activating housing

DON'T SEGREGATE, INVEST IN COMMUNITY


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