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In Control: San Antonio Housing Commission Meeting

DEPARTMENT: Neighborhood and Housing Services

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Veronica Garcia, Director

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: Citywide

SUBJECT:

Briefing and discussion related to reframing housing and aging in place led by San Antonio Area Foundation (SAAF) and disABILITYsa.

SUMMARY:

Briefing and discussion related to reframing housing and aging in place lead by Jane Paccione, Managing Director of Collective Impact of San Antonio Area Foundation (SAAF), and Melanie Cawthon, Co-Founder and CEO of disABILITYsa.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Housing Commission is charged with engaging the public in the development of affordable housing policy as well as overseeing the implementation of the Strategic Housing Implementation Plan (SHIP). One of the SHIP strategies, the Affordable Housing Public Information Campaign (PIC), was approved by Council as a part of the FY 2024 City budget. A part of the PIC includes a narrative change regarding housing affordability in San Antonio.

ISSUE:

To help meet the Housing Commission's charge of engaging the public in the development of affordable housing policy as well as overseeing the implementation and progress made for the Public Information Campaign and the Strategic Housing Implementation Plan (SHIP), the SAAF and disABILITYsa will help guide an educational discussion of reframing housing affordability in relation to aging in place.

The discussion will be led by Jane Paccione, Managing Director of Collective Impact of San Antonio Area Foundation (SAAF), the organization leading the Successfully Aging and Living in San Antonio (SALSA) Initiative, and Melanie Cawthon, Co-Founder and CEO of disABILITYsa, an organization driven to advance the success of individuals with disabilities.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact at this time.

ALTERNATIVES:

This item is for briefing and discussion purposes only.

RECOMMENDATION:

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