



# City of Oakland

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## Legislation Text

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**Subject:** Shelter Crisis Ordinance  
**From:** Human Services Department  
**Recommendation:** Adopt An Emergency Ordinance:

**(1)** Declaring A Shelter Crisis In The City Of Oakland Pursuant To California Government Code Section 8698 And Making Findings That A Significant Number Of Persons Are Without The Ability To Obtain Shelter, And That The Situation Has Resulted In A Threat To The Health And Safety Of Those Persons;

**(2)** For The Duration Of The Shelter Crisis, Authorizing The City Administrator To:

**(A)** Suspend Provisions Of State Or Local Regulatory Statutes, Regulations, And Ordinances Prescribing Standards Or Procedures Relating To Housing, Health, Or Safety For Shelter Facilities;

**(B)** Enter Into Below Market Leases Or Licenses With Homeless Service Providers On Land Owned Or Leased By The City For The Purpose Of Providing Emergency Shelter Or Transitional Housing,

**(C)** Renew Existing Professional Services And/Or Grant Agreements With Homeless Service Providers In Amounts Not To Exceed \$250,000 Above Previous Year, If Providers Meet Performance Outcomes In Previous Year;

**(3)** Accepting And Appropriating Funds For Emergency Shelter Or Transitional Housing From: **(A)** United States Department Of Housing And Urban Development (Hud), Alameda County, And Oakland Housing Authority (OHA ) Up To \$20,000,000 For Fiscal Years 24/25 And 25/26; And **(B)** California Department Of Housing And Community Development (HCD) Homeless Housing, Assistance And Prevention (HHAP) And Encampment Resolution Funding (ERF) Up To \$65,000,000 For Fiscal Years 24/25 And 25/26;

**(4)** And Making California Environmental Quality Act Exemption Findings  
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