

# Point-in-Time 2020

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#### **Point in Time**

Federally-mandated by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to count and survey the homeless population in the United States.

Data collected during the count reflects a snapshot of Riverside County's homeless population at one particular point-in-time.

Point in Time data play a critical role in the Continuum of Care (CoC) Program
Competition and HUD will continue to emphasize through its scoring the significance of the data reported as well as the process for the data collection.



# 2019 County Overview

2,811
Sheltered and unsheltered homeless adults and children county-wide

#### Breakdown

<u>Veterans:</u> 107 total unsheltered PIT count for 2019 (8% increase from 2018)

Youth (18-24) – 181 total unsheltered PIT count for 2019 (2% increase from 2018)

<u>Elderly (aged 62 and over</u> – interview only) – 129 total unsheltered PIT count for 2019 (16% increase)

<u>Children (17 or under)</u> – 15 Total unsheltered for 2019

<u>Families w/Children</u> (interview only) – 2 total unsheltered for 2019 (50% decrease from 2018)

<u>Youth count total</u> – 196 total unsheltered in count for 2019 (8% increase from 2018)

<u>Chronically Homeless</u> - 727 total unsheltered PIT count for 2019 (88% increase from 2018)

#### **District 5 Overview**

21% Decrease (2019 VS. 2019)

**Total unsheltered homeless count: 211** 

#### Breakdown:

Native American: 5

Black: 32

Native Hawaiian: 6

White: 115

Multiple Races: 22

Unknown Race:

27

#### Methodology

<u>Service-based Count (multi-day)</u> - A survey of people at various social service locations or other public or private locations to identify people who were unsheltered, but not counted because they were missed on the day of the count.

<u>Unsheltered Count</u> - Individuals and families "with a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, including a car, park, abandoned building, bus or train station, airport, or camping ground" on the night designated for the count.







Follow- Up Count and Survey:



Unaccompanied Youth (Age 24-& Under)

## **Homelessness Challenges**

Mental Health Substance Abuse

Deep Poverty

**Public Health** 





### Addressing Homelessness Together

Working collaboratively with each city will create stepping stones toward a comprehensive regional approach to addressing various homeless needs.





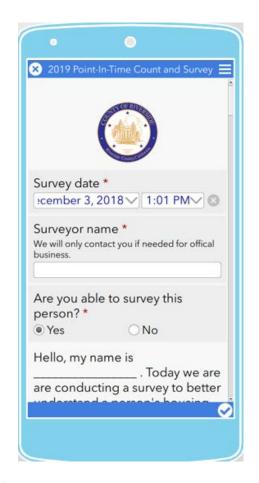
# How to Get Involved

Volunteer Registration Ends
January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Opportunities:

General Point-In-Time Count Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup> 5:30 AM – 9:30 AM

Youth Point-In-Time Count Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup>- 31<sup>st</sup> 2:00 PM- 8:00 PM



All Volunteers must have a smartphone To download Survay123

Consider following the link to get involved:

www.RIVCOEXCHANGE.com

# Thank You

Questions.