IMPERIAL VALLEY
CONTINUUM OF CARE COUNCIL

September 29, 2026

Dear Community Members,

The Imperial Valley Continuum of Care Council (IVCCC) remains dedicated to the mission of eradicating homelessness in Imperial County. As part of this effort, the Point-in-Time (PIT) Committee leads the annual homeless count, which takes place during the last ten days of January. This critical initiative helps us better understand the needs of our homeless community and lays the groundwork for increased resources, strategic investments, and stronger collaboration. The PIT Committee consists of local, state, and federal agencies, non-profit organizations, veterans' groups, faith-based communities, and members of the community- all working together to deliver supportive services to those in need.

To support this effort, personal care kits containing items that provide comfort and dignity will be assembled and distributed during the count. Donations are welcomed to support both members of our unsheltered community and the volunteers participating in this outreach effort. We invite you to contribute by donating bottled water and/or other essential items. Suggested donations include blankets, socks, alcohol-free cleansing wipes, and toiletries such as shampoo, deodorant, razors, and shaving cream. If you prefer to make a monetary contribution, donations can be made via check, payable to Campesinos Unidos, Inc. (Federal Tax ID Number 95-2745629).

If you have any questions on acceptable donation items or would like to arrange a donation pick-up, please contact the PIT Committee at IVCCCinquiries@co.imperial.ca.us or (760) 337-7833.

Additionally, we encourage you to consider volunteering during our upcoming PIT count, scheduled for January 29-30, 2027. Your time and support can make a meaningful difference in the lives of our most vulnerable community members. Whether through a donation, volunteering, or simply spreading the word, your support plays a vital role in strengthening this important effort. We are deeply grateful for your generosity and commitment to building a stronger, more compassionate community.

Sincerely

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