



## CLARK COUNTY WASHINGTON

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### CLARK COUNTY COUNCIL

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Dear Clark County Legislative Delegation,

The **Clark County** Council is writing to you today to ask that you support continued state funding for local homelessness programs and to continue working to support policies that encourage the production of more affordable housing. Clark County, as part of the Ending Community Homelessness Organization (ECHO), is concerned about the continued availability of homelessness services and the rising costs of housing for our residents. In support of ECHO's priorities, the **Clark County** Council requests that you do everything in your power to:

- Maintain state homelessness service funding, including continued backfill of document recording fees
- Continue working to promote solutions that increase the supply of affordable housing and reduce the number of those becoming homeless due to inability to afford housing
- Provide oversight to ensure internal coordination and communication between various state departments that provide homelessness related service and funding to better support local governments in their efforts to eliminate homelessness

Regards,  
[signatures]