



Welcome Home Registry

In July 2009, Long Beach Homeless Connections performed extensive surveys with 350 people living on the streets of central Long Beach, determining their needs and understanding their experience.

From this information, the group is working to access permanent housing for people on the streets, coordinating street outreach efforts, mobilizing the community, and working with community groups who are encountering homelessness. Much progress has been done, and people who have been surveyed are now moving into housing.

We need your assistance with acquiring the following items for individuals moving into housing:

Living Room

- Table lamps (1 lamp for the bedroom, 1 lamp for the living room, 4 light bulbs)
- Couch (1 small couch)
- Coffee table (1 small coffee table)
- Television (1)

Bedroom

- Bed/mattress (1 bed, single or full)
- Pillows/bedding/blankets (1 set of sheets, 2 blankets, 2 pillows, 2 pillow cases)
- Dresser (1)
- Night stand (1)

Kitchen/Dining

- Microwave Oven
- Dining Room Table (small) and four chairs (simple)
- Dishware/eating utensils (4 sets of utensils, 4 plates/cups/bowls, drinking glasses, large bowl, large spoon, knife, can opener, pitcher, pot/pan)

Misc

- Towel set
- Hygiene kits (toothpaste, shampoo, soap)
- Toilet paper/Napkins/Paper towels
- Gift certificates for start up food and other household items (about \$100)
- Welcome Home card (just a simple note card with a personal message welcoming a person to their new home.)

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