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SHAPE STOCKTON HOUSING WORKSHOP *A Community Forum to Contribute to Planning for Housing in Stockton*

STOCKTON, Calif. – The City of Stockton Community Development Department will host a workshop for community members to learn more about the City’s plan to provide for housing needs of the future through the Housing Element Update and the Housing Action Plan. Please plan to join us on Wednesday, October 19, 2022, from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the Van Buskirk Community Center, 734 Houston Ave.

The Housing Element identifies Stockton’s housing needs and opportunities and establishes clear goals to inform future housing decisions. At the workshop, City representatives will share basic information about the Housing Element, its purpose and components, what a Housing Element is, and why it’s required by the State of California. The Housing Element is supported by a Housing Action Plan which will be developed as a process and resource-oriented document to increase housing production by serving as a toolkit for housing developers and nonprofit organizations interested in establishing all housing types in the City of Stockton.

To plan effectively and ensure that all activities are coordinated, the Community Development Department has been hosting community meetings and gathering information through a planning process collectively identified as Shape Stockton. These planning efforts

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will create specific Neighborhood Action Plans for the South Airport Way Corridor, Little Manila/Gleason Park, and Cabral/East Cabral based on analysis of needs and constraints and establish design and development standards. The action plans will focus on eliminating barriers to housing construction and recommend actions and strategies for each neighborhood.

More information is available at www.stocktonca.gov/ShapeStockton or by contacting us at shapestockton@stocktonca.gov or (209) 937-7220.

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