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November/December 2022 Newsletter

Greetings from our Executive Director:

Dear Community,

I want to take this time to connect with you and thank you for your continued support of HSCC's advocacy for affordable housing here in Santa Cruz County. As the Executive director of HSCC, it is my mission and goal to continue to partner with our community and state and local leaders. Seeing how much work has been done is encouraging, and I'm excited about what we can do moving forward. As I heard Congressman Panetta say recently, this is an all-hands-on-deck issue.

I have been talking with community members and leaders about what the needs are as we begin to wrap up this year and head into the new. As I shared at a meeting today, housing is not just about a building or a roof over one's head. It's making sure that people have stable housing. That means figuring out how the community can work even more closely, together, to make that happen.

I look forward to coming together and deepening our relationship to foster change. I am invested in this community and want to create opportunities where no one is left behind and everyone is invited to the table. More conversations need to be had, and I want to bring in the voices of the people who are impacted to be part of creating housing solutions. HSCC is committed and dedicated to our mission: "Our County thrives when all of our community members have access to safe, stable, affordable homes." I stand by these words.

My hope for the housing future in Santa Cruz County is bright. The other day I sent out an email inviting you to support HSCC financially. Thank you to everyone who has donated. Can I count on others to donate today? I also invite you to get in touch with me. Let's work together to build more affordable housing here in Santa Cruz County. Housing for all! I am looking forward to meeting and partnering with you.

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