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Community Profile

Population: 152,209Households: 39,097

• Median age: 32

• Median household income: \$60,598

• Poverty rate: 12.6%

• Homeownership: 52.7%

• Cost burdened homeowners: 35.0%

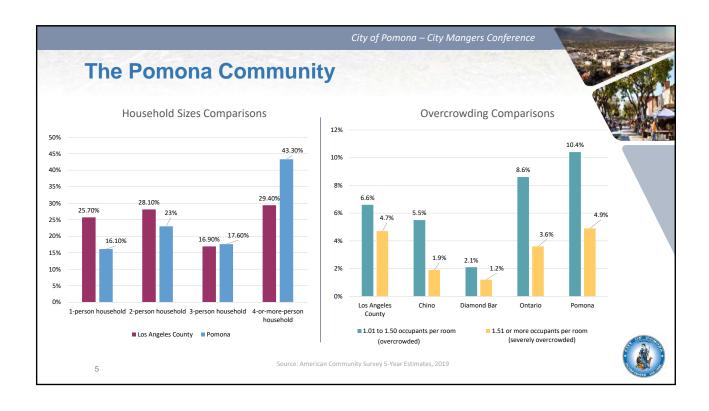
• Cost burdened renters: 62.6%

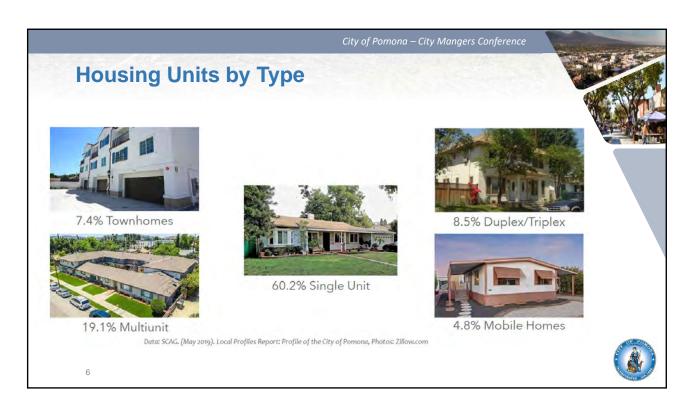
• Overcrowding: 3.77 persons per household

Source: SCAG, ACS 2015-2019 5-year estimates, Calif. Dept. of Finance

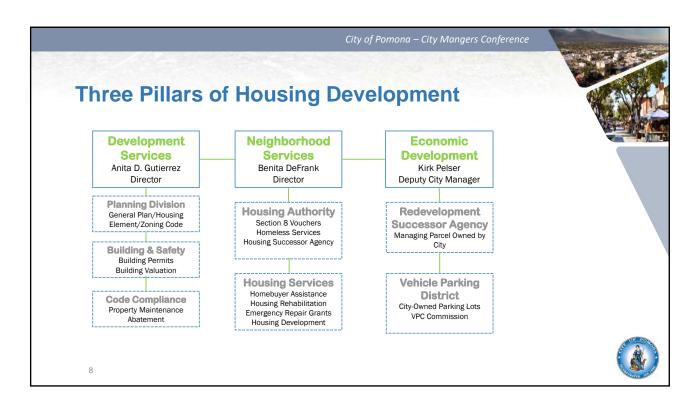


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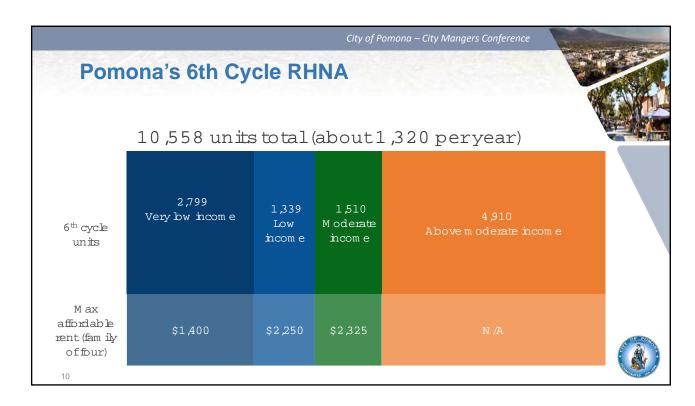




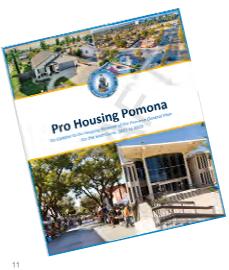








Prohousing + Housing Element



- City is seeking Pro-Housing Designation
- Current Pro-Housing Efforts include:
 - · Adopted Inclusionary Ordinance
 - Applies to developments with 3 or more units
 - Partnering with non-profit developers on 100% affordable housing projects on vacant/surplus land
 - Adopted Emergency Shelter Overlay
 - Hope for Home Shelter
- The Housing Element is the City's opportunity to evaluate pro-housing polices for update or modification

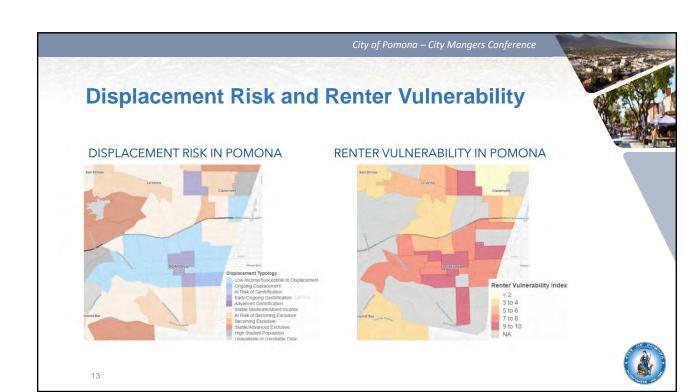


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Prohousing Pomona - 10 actions steps

- 1. Establish financial incentives for housing, including a housing trust fund.
- Improve development standards to reduce barriers to on-site housing production.
- 3. Allow residential land uses by-right.
- 4. Maximize zoning density for residential units.
- 5. Streamline the production of accessory dwelling units and duplexes.
- 6. Improve permit processes to reduce time and cost for housing construction.
- Establish objective design standards and pre-approved site plans for housing permits.
- 8. Establish development standards for affordability, choice, and equity, including inclusionary housing.
- 9. Develop a Housing Element with policies that are pro-housing and anti-racist.
- 10. Engage the public, including advocacy groups and State, County, and local partners, early and often





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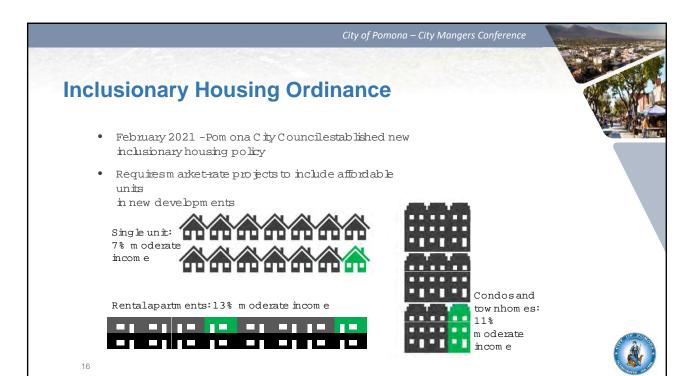
Fair Housing - Key Findings



- Housing Choice vouchers rejected by landlords.
- Residents may face more barriers to securing mortgages than other communities.
- City has 2 census tracts of racial or ethnic concentrations of poverty (R/ECAPs).
- Environmental health and quality is low.
- Residents have a moderate to low level of access to opportunity.







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San Gabriel Valley Regional Housing Trust Fund

- Established in Feb. 2020
- Pomona along with 20 other cities
- Addressing housing and homelessness planning needs for the region
- Access to funding for affordable housing

Pomona Projects Funded:

- 1. The Jamboree project, 57 affordable units (2020)
- 2. The Cesar Chavez project, 125 affordable units (2021)
- 3. The National Core project, 74 affordable units (approved, awaiting funding 2022)





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Other Noteworthy Programs

- Accessory Dwelling Unit Permit Streamlining
- Guaranteed Income Pilot Project
- Comprehensive Zoning Code Update
- SB 330 Overlay
- Complete Streets Ordinance
- Community Land Trust
- Housing Leadership Academy













