

*League of Women Voters Diablo Valley*

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*Contra Costa County Library*

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## **HOMELESSNESS RESOURCES**

### **H.O.P.E Hearing Other People's Stories:**

(video) <https://spark.adobe.com/video/g8uFATP1cNCal>

**Bay Area Rescue Mission** <https://www.bayarearescue.org/>  
(510) 215-4873

**Berkeley Food & Housing Project** <https://bfhp.org/>  
(510) 260-0873

**Brookside Adult Shelter** <https://cchealth.org/h3/emergency-shelter.php>  
(510) 374-7950

### **California Eviction Resources**

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/16cnNZ3J6k4DPhIbSIIOzzd3iNr9Qc36\\_kxjEHyeDkaM/edit](https://docs.google.com/document/d/16cnNZ3J6k4DPhIbSIIOzzd3iNr9Qc36_kxjEHyeDkaM/edit)

**Calli House Youth Shelter** <https://cchealth.org/h3/calli-house.php>  
(510) 236-9612

**Central County Interim Housing Program – Concord Shelter**  
(925) 608-6700

**Concord Adult Shelter**  
(925) 646-5082

**Contra Costa Continuum of Care Homelessness Awareness Tool Kit 2021**  
<https://cchealth.org/h3/coc/pdf/Homeless-Awarenes-Toolkit.pdf>

**Contra Costa County Library**  
<https://ccclib.org>

**CORE Homeless Outreach:** <https://www.cchealth.org>  
Dial 211

**ECHO Housing** <https://www.echofairhousing.org/>  
(510) 581-9380

**Eden Housing** <https://edenhousing.org/>  
(925) 297-4297

**GRIP Family Housing Program**

[https://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/shelter/ca\\_grip-family-housing-program](https://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/shelter/ca_grip-family-housing-program)  
(510) 233-2141

**Hope Solutions (formerly Contra Costa Interfaith Housing)**

<https://www.hopesolutions.org/>  
(925) 944-2244

**Housing Authority of the County of Contra Costa:** [contracostahousing.org](http://contracostahousing.org)  
(925) 957-7000

**Humanity Way:** [humanityway.org](http://humanityway.org)  
(925) 247-4601

**Interfaith Council of Contra Costa County:** [interfaithccc.org](http://interfaithccc.org)  
(925) 822-3734

**League of Women Voters: Housing and Homelessness**

<https://lwvc.org/issues/housing>

**LWV California Homelessness Resources**

<https://my.lwv.org/california/issues/homelessness>

**LWV Homelessness Action Policy**

<https://lwvc.org/our-work/positions/homelessness-action-policy>

**LWV Action Policy Elements**

<https://my.lwv.org/california/homelessness-action-policy-elements>

**Love-A-Child Missions Homeless Recovery Shelter:**

<https://loveachildmissions.org/>  
(925) 458-5663

**Phillip Dorn Respite Center:** <https://www.cchealth.org>  
(925) 646-5311

**SAFE Place:** [asafeplace.org](http://asafeplace.org)  
(925) 370-1990

**SHELTER, Inc. of Contra Costa** [shelterinc.org](http://shelterinc.org)  
(510) 335-0698

**Shepherd's Gate** <https://shepherdsgate.org/>  
(925) 308-7507

**STAND! for Families Free of Violence** [standffov.org](http://standffov.org)  
(925) 676-2845

**Trinity Center** [trinitycenterwc.org](http://trinitycenterwc.org)  
(925) 949-8712

## Emergency Rental Assistance Program

To get help:

- Visit: <https://housing.ca.gov>
- Call (833-430-2122)
- Reach out to one of the agencies below for free help filling out your application

### **AAPI Coalition:**

[https://cccc.myresourcedirectory.com/index.php?option=com\\_cpx&task=resource.view&id=4001206](https://cccc.myresourcedirectory.com/index.php?option=com_cpx&task=resource.view&id=4001206)

**(510) 630-6852 or (510) 260-0602**

Countywide

Languages: English, Nepali, Hindi

**Able Community Foundation:** <https://www.ablecommunitydf.com/>

**(510) 768-3100**

West Contra Costa

Languages: English, Thai, Laotian, Russian, Vietnamese, Mongolian

**The Latina Center:** <https://thelatinacenter.org/>

**(510) 260-1264 or (510) 233-8595**

West Contra Costa

Languages: English, Spanish

**LISC Partner Network Hotline:** <https://www.lisc.org/>

(833) 687-0967

Countywide

Connects to many organizations

**Monument Impact:** <https://monumentimpact.org/en/home/>

**(925) 954-9488**

In-person appointments available

Central/East County

Languages: English, Spanish

### **Documents and information you'll need to apply:**

- Contact info for your landlord:
  - name, address, phone number, email
- Identity document (1 of the following):
  - Birth certificate, driver's license, employment ID, or marriage/divorce certificate
- Income verification (1 of the following):
  - IRS tax form, W-2, recent pay stub, or current bank account statement
- Proof of residency (1 of the following):
  - Lease/written agreement, utility statement, state-issued ID, license, or library card
- Proof of rent owed (1 of the following):
  - Current lease signed with rent amount.
  - If no lease: bank statement, or formal notice (with your name on it) of attempt to collect rent

## **FREE TENANT LEGAL SERVICES**

**Bay Area Legal Aid** <https://baylegal.org>  
(510) 250-5270

**Centro Legal de la Raza** <https://www.centrolegal.org/>  
(510) 437-1554

**Contra Costa Senior Legal Services**  
*(for individuals aged 60+):* <https://www.ccsls.org/>  
(925) 609-7900

**EBASE Tenant Clinics** (1st and 3rd Tuesdays @ 6pm)  
Call 925-529-4843 or 925-240-3441

**Eviction Defense Center** <https://www.evictiondefensecenteroakland.org/>  
(510) 452-4541

## **ARTICLES ABOUT PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND THE HOMELESS**

<https://www.ala.org/advocacy/diversity/librariesrespond/services-poor-homeless>

<https://www.homelesshub.ca/blog/strengthening-communities-role-public-library-site-connection>

<https://www.ala.org/advocacy/diversity/odlos-blog/social-workers>