

August 9, 2016

Subject: Health in All Policies Task Force

Reporting Period: April 12, 2016 – August 9, 2016

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Recommended Action:

For information only – no action required.

Background:

The California Health in All Policies (HiAP) Task Force was created by Executive Order S-04-10 in 2010 to foster interagency collaboration to promote healthy, equitable, and environmentally sustainable communities. This work is based in the recognition that the health of Californians is impacted by the policies and practices of many sectors, and that environmental stewardship and health equity are closely intertwined. The HiAP Task Force is staffed through a collaborative relationship between the SGC, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH), and the Public Health Institute (PHI).

Update:

The HiAP Task Force is submitting three items to the Council (see attachments). The purpose of these items is to maintain transparency and accountability to the Council and the public. They will also be posted to the HiAP Task Force page on the SGC website:

1. HiAP Task Force Update to the Strategic Growth Council, April 2016 – August 2016
2. HiAP Task Force 2011-2016 Action Report: Housing Siting and Air Quality
 - This Action Report describes progress made by the Task Force's Housing Siting and Air Quality Work Group since 2011.
3. HiAP Task Force staff report: *Integrating Health and Equity Considerations into Grant Programs*
 - This report describes work to include health and health equity criteria in a small sample of non-health grant programs, and discusses lessons learned and areas for further exploration.