## Hudson County, New Jersey

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## **Immediate Release**

The Hudson County Board of Commissioners approved the County of Hudson to award \$2,692,600 from the Hudson County Homelessness Trust Fund to seven organizations for them to provide various programs and services to the homeless in Hudson County.

**Jersey City-**The Hudson County Board of Commissioners approved the County of Hudson to award \$2,692,600 from the Hudson County Homelessness Trust Fund to North Hudson Community Action Corporation, \$485,936, CCAN, \$653,900, County Welfare (Office of Social Services) \$293,884, Garden State Episcopal Community Development Corporation, \$267,964, Hoboken Shelter, \$260,616, PERC, \$350,000, Hudson County Division of Housing and Community Development, \$380,300, in order for them to provide various programs and services to homeless in Hudson County.

In 2016, over a thousand people were counted as homeless. The County of Hudson developed a 10-year plan to end homelessness.

The purpose of the program is to provide services that include medical care, essential support services, emergency shelter, case management, prevention/outreach, code blue activities and social services programs for the homeless in Hudson County.

The County of Hudson established the Hudson County Homelessness Trust Fund to be utilized to address the needs of homeless people. A surcharge of \$3.00 will be assessed for each document filed or recorded in the County Register's and County Clerk's Office, which will be used exclusively for the Trust Fund.

A Hudson County Homelessness Trust Fund Advisory Board has been appointed by the County Executive and approved by the Board of Commissioners whose purposes include funding recommendations.

The Term of this Grant is January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024.

Chairman Anthony Romano, the Board of Commissioners and the County of Hudson are committed to providing the necessary support and social services to assist the homeless of Hudson County.

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