



Grant helps existing co-op serve homeless veterans

Mutual Housing California has teamed up with Volunteers of America with a grant that helps homeless veterans find housing—and get back on their feet. One in six veterans becomes homeless.

A grant from the US Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to house these veterans recently was renewed for the Sacramento chapter of Volunteers of America (VOA), which is placing veterans and their families in housing owned by Mutual Housing California. One of the first programs from the VA to address the issue, this program provides housing, financial assistance and a case manager to help veterans get back on their feet.

The local VOA and Mutual Housing program was one of 80 chosen out of 800 applications nationwide. The new grant will allow the partners to expand the current services to other central California counties.

Founded in 1988, Mutual Housing California develops and operates well-designed rental housing for people of modest means. The nonprofit communities have nearly 3,000 residents, nearly half of whom are children.