2020 - 2025 STRATEGIC PLAN

Alameda County - Oakland Community Action Partnership (AC-OCAP)



MISSION

To improve our community by creating pathways that lead to economic empowerment and prosperity.

VISION

To end poverty within the City of Oakland and throughout Alameda County.

VALUES

- Community-driven
- Equitable
- Collaborative
- Impactful
- Results-driven



ENTREPRENEURSHIP/JOB TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT

GOAL

Increase workforce development opportunities for Black, Latinx, Indigenous, People of Color (BLIPOC) residents with low-income that lead to employment or entrepreneurship.

STRATEGY

Improve the employment continuum, including entrepreneurial opportunities, and align AC-OCAP's funding with the Workforce Investment Opportunity Act (WIOA) demand-sector industry.



LOW-INCOME HOUSING

GOAL

End homelessness for:

1) BLIPOC families with children; and 2) seniors 55+.

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STRATEGY

Partner with organizations focused on increasing the number of un-housed families with children and/or seniors who obtain housing.



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

GOAL

Increase access to resources and information, and empower BLIPOC residents with low-income to build assets and wealth.

STRATEGY

Host community fairs and use collaborations to offer skill training and other resources; Increase food security and access to the Earned Income Tax Credit, banking, financial coaching, credit repair, debt reduction, and home ownership.



CIVIC ENGAGEMENT & ADVOCACY

GOAL

Empower BLIPOC residents with low-income to advocate for systems-change and harness political power.



CAPACITY BUILDING

GOAL

Raise awareness and transform AC-OCAP's community impact into a MOVEMENT. #EndPovertyNowAC

STRATEGY

Leverage existing networks and fund grassroots trusted community leaders and Community Based Organizations (CBOs) that empower and advocate for communities of color (e.g., voter registration, citizenship).

STRATEGY

Leverage relationships to build an anti-poverty coalition and create a community campaign to end poverty now.