

# Developing a Long-Term Response to Homelessness



Last Updated 3.15.2019

March 2019

### Launch

- Community Work Group starts meeting; identifies purpose and objectives.
- Online "Engage Olympia" platform launches.

EngageOlympia.com

April/May

## Learning

 A series of listening sessions and public workshops to learn what is working and what needs to improve. May/June

# Dialogue

 Community Work Group hosts conversations with regional community partners and residents to dig deeper into issues; share what has been heard and learned. July/Aug/Sept

# Identify Strategies, Actions & Measures

- Community Work Group identifies, shares and hosts community conversations to further develop draft strategies and actions.
- Community Work Group identifies how to measure progress, and identifies actions with partners and community.

Oct 2019

# Call to Action

 Community Work Group and City Council convene a call to action event.

Implementation ongoing



### **Online Public Engagement - Ongoing**

- Share your thoughts at EngageOlympia.com
- Stay up to date; sign up for our enews at olympiawa.gov/subscribe
- Meeting summaries available at EngageOlympia.com



### Public Workshops Scheduled as of 03.15.2019

- Workshop\*: Sat., April 20, Olympia High School, 9:30-11:30 am
- Workshop\*: Sat., May 4, Capital High School, 9:30-11:30 am

\* Same format each session - offered twice to allow for more participation



### **City Council Updates**

- March 26, 7:00 pm, City Council Chambers
- Future dates TBD



### Partner Engagement as of 03.15.2019

Listening sessions and focus groups for partners engaged in "on the ground" work (e.g. providing housing, mental health, criminal justice and social services); the Downtown community; homeless individuals; business and property owners.

More to come...