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Safe Parking LA Program Outcomes Report Delivered to City of Los Angeles, CAO Office

La Cienega Safe Parking Program Program Outcomes for March 1 - 31, 2024

By employing underutilized parking lots, Safe Parking LA fills a gap in homeless services and addresses the unique problems faced by individuals and families whose only source of shelter is their vehicle. Our programs provide safety through secure overnight parking, basic dignity by restoring much-needed access to restrooms and running water, and supportive services to facilitate pathways to health and stable housing. Our full programming consists of client intake, lot operations, case management, financial assistance, and housing stabilization.

Safe Parking LA operates our La Cienega safe parking program with the support of Los Angeles World Airport (LAWA) and funding through the City of Los Angeles, Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) Office. This lot has **50 spaces**.

Total Clients Served: March 1-31, 2024	30
Total Head of Households	22
Total Accompanying Minors	5
Total Adult Passengers	3
Clients exited to Permanent Housing	7
Clients exited to Interim Housing	0
Timeline: Average Length of Stay (<i>if 0, then no exits for the month</i>)	50 days
Total Client Financial Assistance Disbursements	21
Vehicle Repair & Compliance (<i>license, registration, insurance, smog, etc.</i>)	17
Move-in Readiness (<i>rental assistance, deposit, furniture, moving, etc.</i>)	0
Other FA (<i>meal cards, credit repair, employment, motel, storage, etc.</i>)	4
Current Clients Enrolled as of March 31, 2024	20



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Total Service Referrals: March 1-31, 2024	98
Total Employment Referrals	0
Total Social Services Referrals	67
Total Professional Services (<i>legal, credit repair, etc.</i>)	31

Client Spotlight

Elizabeth, a 30-year-old mother, and her three children, Frank boy age 12, Alex girl age 9, and Heather girl age 5, sought refuge at Safe Parking LA to escape an abusive relationship in March 2024. After finding the courage to break free, Elizabeth and her children discovered that Safe Parking LA could provide shelter while they figured out their next steps.

With support from her Safe Parking LA case manager, Elizabeth received regular check-ins to ensure she felt safe and secure. Her case manager provided invaluable emotional support and helped her navigate the resources available to her during this challenging time.

Though Elizabeth's stay with Safe Parking LA was short, it was a very successful outcome with the support of her faith community. Within a few days, she found a place to rent for herself and her children through a friend in her congregation. Thanks to the joint effort of Safe Parking LA and her supportive congregation, Elizabeth and her children are now safe in a stable home.

Elizabeth expressed immense gratitude for Safe Parking LA and was deeply satisfied with the help she received. The support and guidance from her case manager and the community enabled Elizabeth to transition from a precarious situation to a stable and secure living environment.

**client names have been changed to protect individuals*