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Community Invited to Help Name New Regional Homeless Shelter

[SALINAS, CA] The new City of Salinas/Monterey County Regional Homeless Shelter is under construction and should be completed early next year. The final touch for the building will be a name and the community is being invited to help with that.

You can vote on and or suggest names for the shelter through the Name Our Shelter survey. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NameOurShelter>

The survey will be open until August 24, 2020.



Survey QR Code Quick Link

PLEASE VOTE or SUGGEST A NAME FOR THE NEW REGIONAL MONTEREY COUNTY AND CITY OF SALINAS EMERGENCY SHELTER.

The most popular names will be reviewed and a final selection presented to the Monterey County Board of Supervisors and Salinas City Council on September 15th for approval.

The shelter is a partnership with the City of Salinas and County of Monterey and will be located at 855 E. Laurel Drive in Salinas. The facility will serve Salinas and Monterey County residents who face homelessness and provide emergency shelter, wrap around services and housing navigation services under the "housing first" approach.

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