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NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENT IN VAN NUYS PROMOTES A HEALTHY LIVING ENVIRONMENT FOR FORMERLY HOMELESS AND LOW-INCOME INDIVIDUALS

Onsite Healthcare Clinic and Supportive Services Put Residents on the Path to Personal Stability



Van Nuys, May 31, 2017 – The Community Development Commission of the County of Los Angeles (CDC) joined Los Angeles County Supervisor Sheila Kuehl, Skid Row Housing Trust (Developer), City of Los Angeles officials, and community members to celebrate the grand opening of Crest Apartments, a 64-unit permanent supportive housing development located in Van Nuys.

The CDC provided \$1.7 million in Affordable Housing Trust Funds for construction and permanent financing. Crest Apartments includes 63 units reserved for individuals experiencing homelessness or chronic homelessness, including veterans, and one manager's unit. Residents of Crest Apartments have access to an onsite healthcare clinic, community room, and laundry facilities.





To further promote healthy stable living, Crest Apartments provides supportive services such as legal assistance, attendant care, employment training, money management, and social activities. A community garden allows residents the opportunity to grow healthy produce

right onsite, and a rooftop terrace is accessible to enjoy views of the surrounding area.

Sean Rogan, CDC Executive Director said, “Preserving the resources needed to continue affordable housing production is a key priority for the County. Through our collective commitment to making Crest Apartments possible, 63 people who have struggled with homelessness, are now living in safe and stable housing.”



For more information on the development, please contact Brendan O'Donnell, with Skid Row Housing Trust, at (213) 683-0522, extension 161. All media may contact Elisa Vásquez, Public Information Officer for the CDC at (626) 586-1762.

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