## **COMMUNITY 23 IMPACT REPORT**



Serving the counties of Monterey, Santa Cruz, San Benito, Santa Clara, San Mateo, Marin and the City and County of San Francisco

Total LIHEAP Payment Assistance Benefits Disbursed in 2023

\$12,121,395.52

16,800 Households received LIHEAP benefits

\* 11,918

persons 60 years of age or older

**\*\*** 2,967

children 5 years of age & under

**£4,673** 

persons living with a disability

Households received assistance with a disconnection notice

2.4

Average household size \$20,027

Average yearly household income \$139

Average monthly energy cost

\$722

Average LIHEAP benefit amount

Income-eligible households were DENIED due to insufficient funding



households received Low-**Income Home Water Assistance Program** benefits totaling

\$4.46 million WATER





547 Homes Weatherized

\$2.34 m

**Weatherization Services** 

Every **\$1** spent on Home Weatherization returns \$1.72 in energy benefits and

#### 2023 HIGHLIGHTS

40,854

people benefited from our programs



LIHEAP Service Providers in California use ServTrag@ - a software developed & administered by CCES

**Direct Investment in** 

\$2.78 in health and safety benefits

562 MONTEREY

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backup batteries were provided to households with a medical need for electricity for use during **PSPS** events





local community organization team members partnered with us to help serve our communities



units were tested for compliance with **CA Building Energy Efficiency Standards** by 831Conserve - a service of CCES





# Pajaro Flood Emergency Evacuation Relief Overview March 2023

Severe Weather Energy Assistance and Transportation Services Funding

DIRECT INVESTMENT IN EMERGENCY FLOOD PROVISIONS

\$31,441.43

26,206

## **EMERGENCY PROVISION ITEMS**

CCES donated emergency provisions to organizations administering aid to flood-impacted households & evacuation centers including the Santa Cruz County Fairgrounds & La Manzana Community Resources.

6,783	Water Bottles	1,305	Toothbrushes	100	Pillows
1,120	Snacks	327	Toothpaste	100	Pillow Cases
10,308	Diapers	380	Deodorant	420	Sweaters & Sweatpants
950	Baby Wipes (900-ct pack)	30	Lice Kits	1,262	Pairs of Socks
1,424	Feminine Hygiene Items	200	Bath Towels	600	Underwear
552	Rolls of Toilet Paper	312	Blankets	33	Shoes/Slippers

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#### **HOTEL VOUCHERS**

CCES provided hotel vouchers to flood-impacted households living in vehicles. Referrals were received from the Watsonville Salvation Army and La Manzana Community Resources.

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#### **VOLUNTEER HOURS**

CCES partnered with the Second Harvest Food Bank Santa Cruz County to provide support with food sorting and bagging for food bags going to the community in Pajaro. A record-breaking 5,320 food bags were assembled by our team members!

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### DISASTER RECOVERY CLEANING KITS

CCES team & board members made personal donations of disaster cleaning kits. Kits were provided to flood-impacted households as part of La Manzana Community Resources' ongoing flood relief efforts.











