



Temporary Shelter Site Update

City of Tacoma | Neighborhood and Community Services

City Council Study Session
May 11, 2021



●●● Overview



- Review of shelter models
- Use of S. 69th and Proctor
- Next steps
 - Implementation at S. 69th and Proctor
 - Continued analysis of mitigation/stabilization sites

Purpose of Today's Presentation

2

Comparison of Shelter Models



Site Type	24/7 Access to Site	Reserved Spaces	Case Management Participation Required	Background Check Required	Clean and Sober Expectation	Allows Pets	Minors Served (under 18)	Storage Space
Stability Site	Yes	Yes	Yes	No (Screen for shelter ban)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Temporary Emergency Micro-Shelters	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Varies	Yes
Hygiene Stations	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Faith Based Org Hosted Temporary Shelters	Varies	Yes	Varies	Varies	Varies	Varies	Varies	Yes
Mitigation Site	Yes	Varies	No	No	No	Yes	No	Yes
Safe Parking	Varies	Varies	No	Varies	Varies	Yes	Varies	Yes

3

Site Design and Management Model Must Be Responsive to Broad Community Input and Need for a Spectrum of Services

Use of S. 69th and Proctor



- Implementation of a 'TEMs-like' Model
 - Background checks
 - Curfew
 - Pets allowed
 - Clean and sober expectation
 - Case management services with required engagement
- Model considers
 - Community feedback
 - Compatibility with nearby affordable housing development
 - Relocation of existing units from E. 60th and McKinley
 - Possible expansion of micro-shelters (20-25 additional units)

4

Proposed site services reflect highest receptivity and likelihood for success

Next Steps



- Implementation of S. 69th and Proctor
 - Mailers to area neighbors
 - Virtual meeting for community discussion
 - Ongoing discussions with possible providers
- Continued analysis of mitigation/stabilization sites
 - Re-evaluation of City-owned properties
 - Continued discussion with Safe Sites for All
- Up-to-date information available ongoing at cityoftacoma.org/authorizedencampments

5



Temporary Shelter Site Update

City of Tacoma | Neighborhood and Community Services

City Council Study Session
May 11, 2021