



# 88 Cities Summit

*Human-Centered Cities*

May 23, 2023

Hotel Indigo

8:30 AM - 2:30 PM

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## Today's Agenda

### **Opening Remarks & Conversation with SCAG**

**Executive Director, Kome Ajise**

9:00 AM

### **Ending the Digital Divide**

10:05 AM

### **City Talks**

11:00 AM

### **The Economic Benefits of Ending Homelessness**

12:05 PM (Lunch provided during this session)

### **The Economic Case for Cleantech Infrastructure**

12:55 PM

### **City Talks**

1:45 PM

### **Closing Remarks**

2:15 PM

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## Welcome Remarks



**Stephen Cheung**

President & CEO, LAEDC



**Holly J. Mitchell**

LA County, Board of Supervisors, District 2



**Mayor Karen Bass**

City of Los Angeles



**Kome Ajise**

Executive Director,

Southern California Association of Governments



**Steve Olson**

Partner, O'Melveny

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## Ending the Digital Divide



**Landry Doyle Wiese (Moderator)**

Director, HR&A



**Maria Isabel Ellis**

Deputy Director of Broadband,  
California Public Utilities Commission



**Shayna Englin**

Director, Digital Equity Initiative,  
California Community Foundation



**Cristal Mojica**

Senior Program Manager Digital Equity,  
Michelson Foundation



**Linda Nguyen**

Community Engagement Lead,  
Microsoft Philanthropies Digital Inclusion



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## City Talks



**Mayor R. Rex Parris**

City of Lancaster



**Leah Goold-Haws**

President & CEO,  
Long Beach Economic  
Partnership



**Fire Chief Fernando Pelaez**

City of Montebello



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The Economic Benefits of Ending Homelessness



**Onnié Williams III (Moderator)**

Homeless Initiative And Affordable Housing,  
LA County Chief Executive Office



**Meredith Berkson**

Director of Systems and Planning,  
Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority



**Richard Corral**

CEO & Principal Consultant, Corral Consulting



**Phong Huynh**

Principal, Public Sector, Deloitte



**Anne Miskey**

President & CEO, Union Station Homeless  
Services

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The Economic Case for Cleantech Infrastructure



**Tim Hou (Moderator)**

Manager, Economic Development Policy,  
Amazon



**Joe Avila**

Vice President, Government &  
Community Affairs, Connected Signals



**Erica Bowman**

Managing Director for Regulatory Policy,  
Southern California Edison



**Matt Horton**

Director, State Policy & Initiatives,  
Accelerator for America

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## City Talks



**Jesse Mays**

Assistant City Manager,  
City of Culver City



**Judy Kruger**

President,  
Santa Monica Chamber  
of Commerce



**Thomas Wong**

Mayor Pro Tem,  
City of Monterey Park



Los Angeles County Supervisor

**HILDA L. SOLIS**  
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