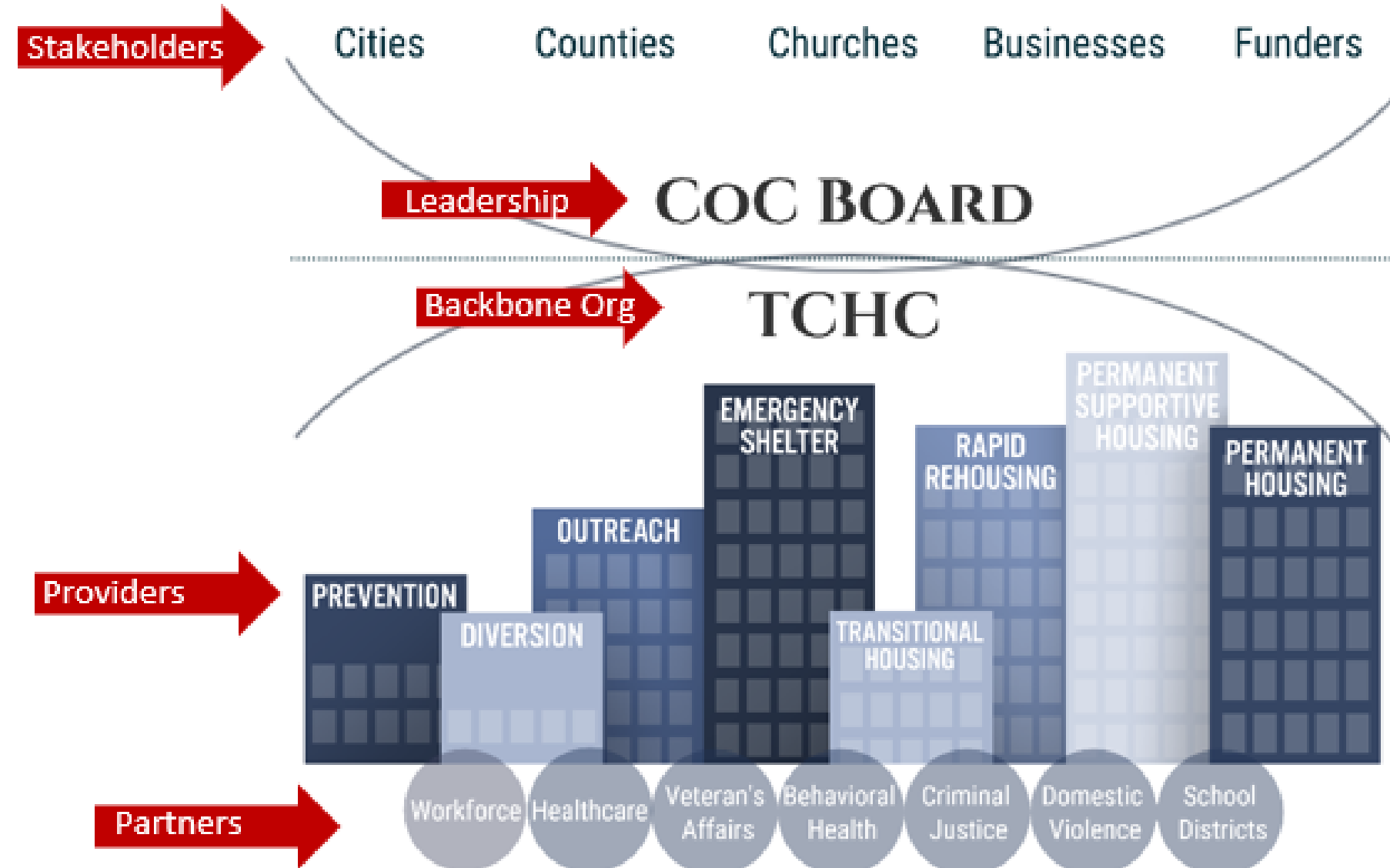




TARRANT COUNTY HOMELESS COALITION  
STATE OF THE HOMELESS ADDRESS

# BUILDING ON MOMENTUM

MARCH 24, 2021

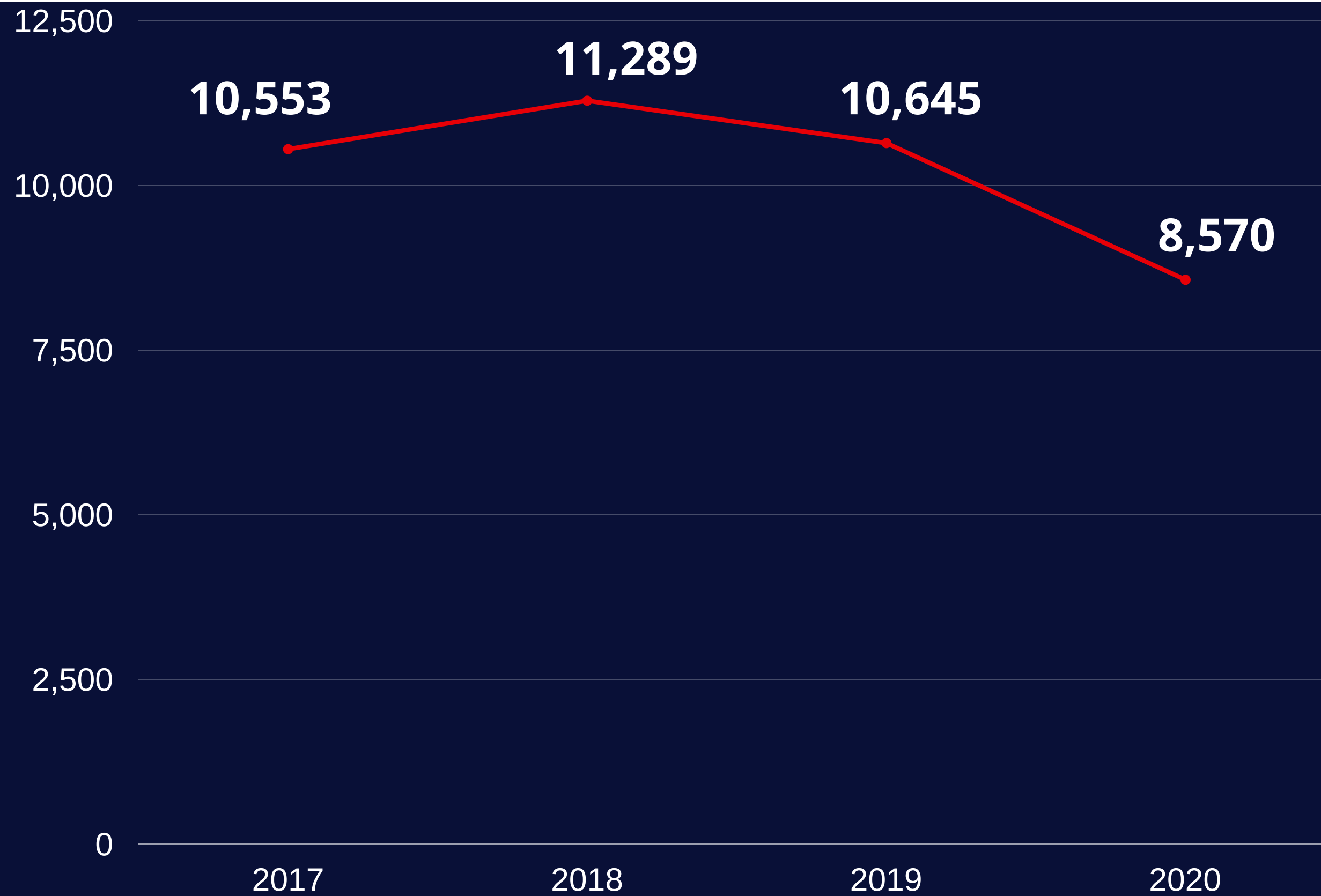


## COMMUNITY VISION

A vibrant community where every individual has a place to call home and the resources to live their best life.

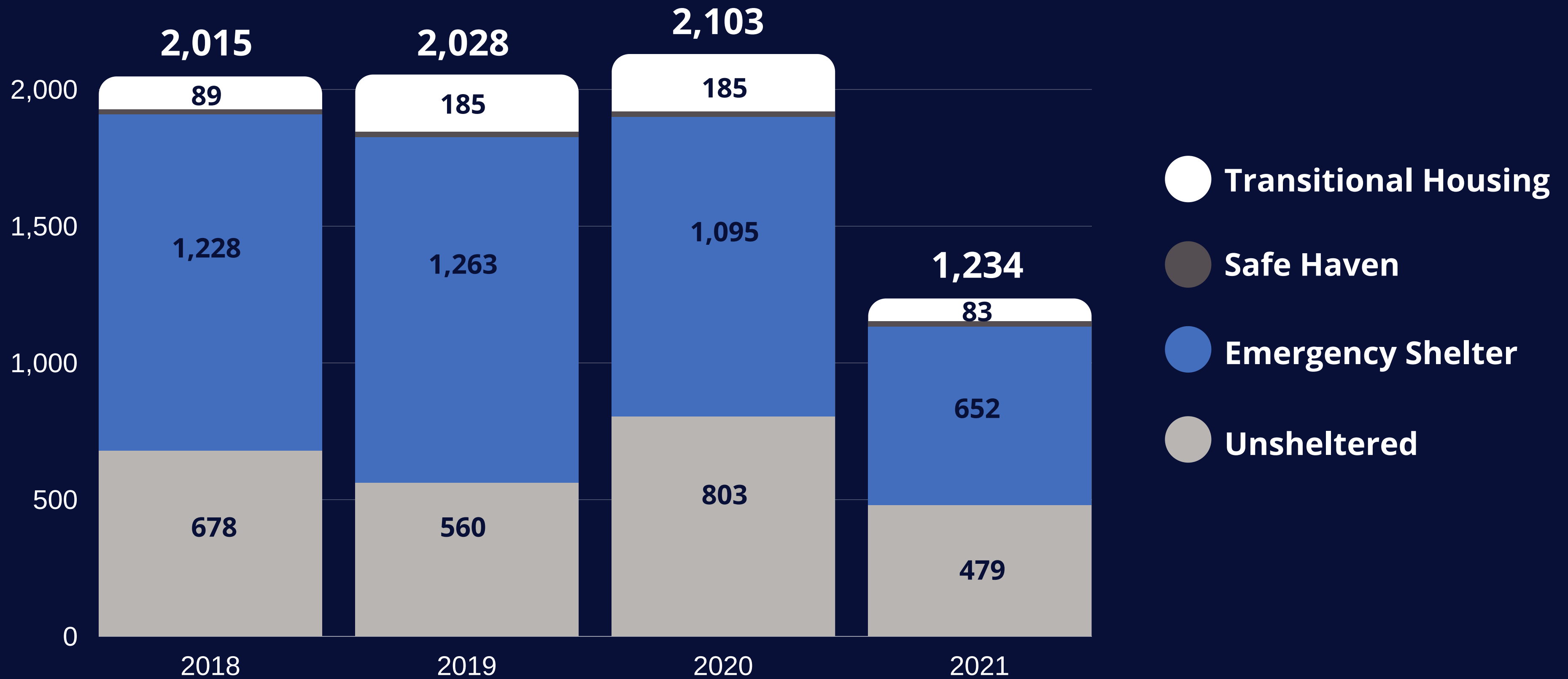
# People Served

## YEAR TO YEAR



# Point in Time Count

YEAR TO YEAR



**42%**

Decrease in  
homelessness



**40%**

Decrease in  
unsheltered homelessness



**23%**

Decrease in  
veteran homelessness



**43%**

Decrease in  
family homelessness



**32%**

Decrease in  
chronic homelessness

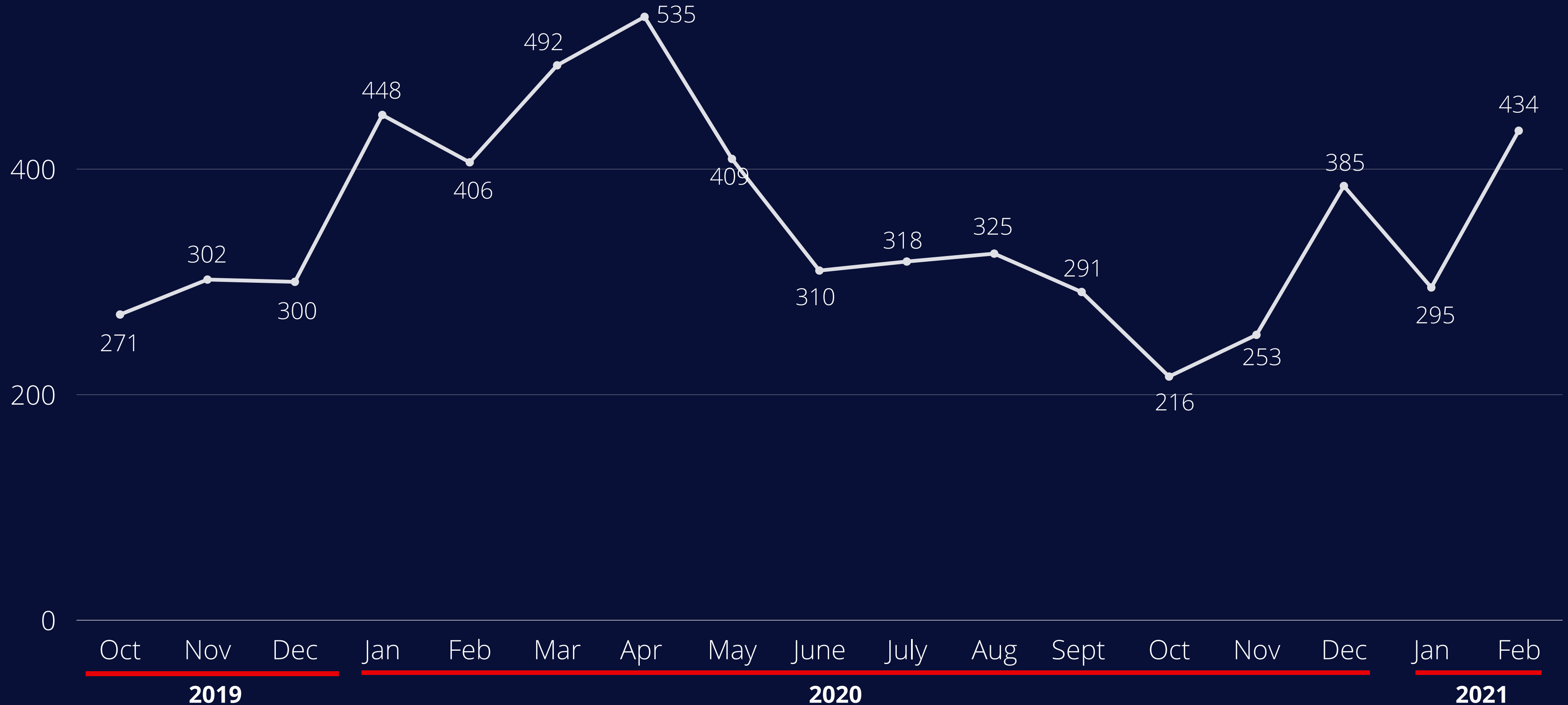


# Notable Trends



# People NEW to homelessness

MONTH TO MONTH: PRE-PANDEMIC TO PRESENT



**FEDERAL EVICTION  
MORATORIUMS**

**NEW HOUSING  
DEVELOPMENTS**

**FEAR AROUND  
CONGREGATE SETTINGS**

**COORDINATION BETWEEN  
GOVERNMENT AND  
NONPROFITS**

**INCREASED FUNDING  
FOR HOMELESSNESS**

**INCREASE IN EVICTION  
PREVENTION FUNDS**



**THE WHY**



# Accomplishments

## **LANDLORD ENGAGEMENT**

Promote access to housing through positive relationships with landlords

## **LEADERSHIP ACADEMY**

Commitment to a high standard of service throughout our CoC. Agencies continue to invest in best practices and professional development for staff.

## **HOUSING DEVELOPMENT**

Fort Worth invested \$10M in housing for people exiting homelessness, reducing chronic homelessness. Took incredible collaboration to ensure success of project.

## **STRESS TEST: PASSED**

COVID has been a stress test for our system and we passed with flying colors. Collaboration and cooperation has never been better with agencies truly looking out for one another. The system wants what is best for our community and it is reflected in accomplishments.

# What's Next?

## SHARED HOUSING

Two or more people in one apartment or home

## ALTERNATIVE HOUSING

Campers, trailers, RVs, tiny homes and other housing

## SHALLOW SUBSIDIES

Small amount of rental assistance to help make ends meet

## ASSET BUILDING

Savings match to prevent returns to homelessness

## BRINGING BACK PARTNERS

Reestablishing partnerships and using all housing resources available



# Get Involved

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## MEMBERSHIP

Show your support for  
the issue of homeless and  
be part of the solution

## SHARE THE STORY

Know the facts  
Engage others  
Tune in

## SERVE PARTNERS

Volunteer your time  
Give needed items  
Contribute financially

# Key Takeaways

## COORDINATED SYSTEM

There is a large system of providers working to end homelessness

## THE NUMBERS

Homelessness is down in our community- for now

## THE WHY

Many different reasons contributing to why the numbers are down

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Lots of innovations and great things happening in our community

## GET INVOLVED

Be part of the solution!