

# The Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Program

## STATEWIDE AWARDS PROFILE

Established in 2014, the AHSC program invests in *integrated* affordable homes, transportation, and community greening projects that improve the economic well-being and physical health of lower income Californians while significantly reducing greenhouse gas (GHGs) emissions.

### AHSC INVESTMENTS STATEWIDE

**\$712,393,756**

Source: Round 1, 2, and 3 compilation; SGC

### NEW AFFORDABLE APARTMENTS AND FAMILIES HOUSED

**6,443 / 70,873**

Source: Round 1, 2, and 3 compilation; SGC, Enterprise, and AARP

### REDUCED GHG EMISSIONS

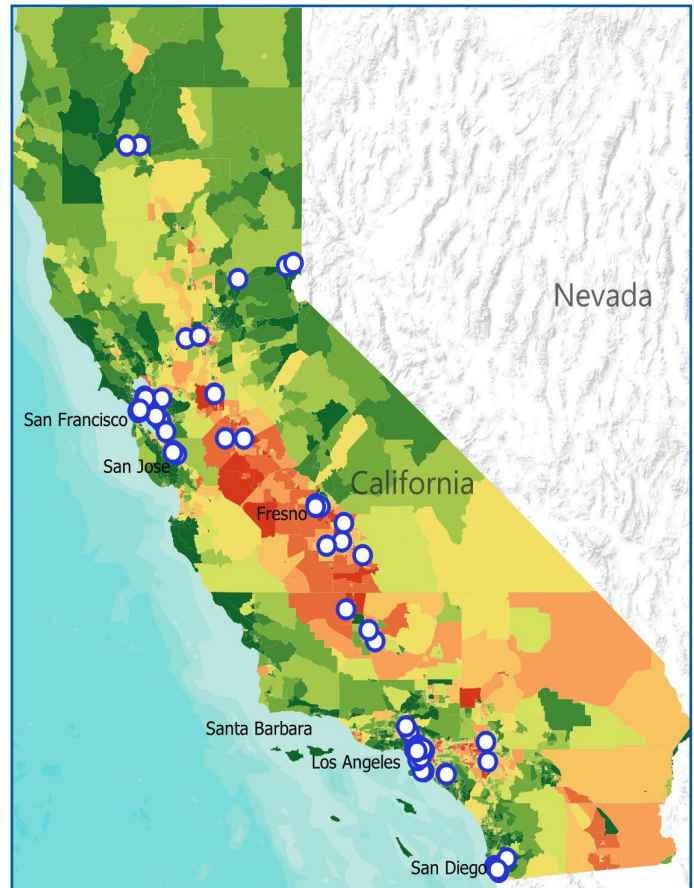
**1,645,425** Metric Tons of CO<sub>2</sub>

Source: Round 1, 2, and 3 compilation; SGC and CHPC

### REDUCED VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED ANNUALLY

**134,000,000**

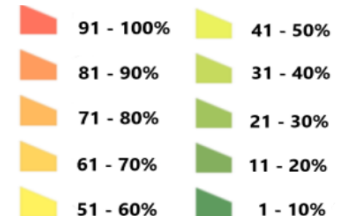
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Source: CalEnviroScreen with Enterprise analysis.

AWARD LOCATIONS

#### CalEnviroScreen 3.0 Results



The AHSC program is a valuable investment in California's environmental and economic wellbeing. On average, a family living in an AHSC-funded development saves \$745 every month through reduced rent and access to transit.

AHSC investments are also central to achieving the statewide greenhouse gas reduction goals established by AB 32 and SB 375. The first three funding rounds will remove approximately 11,745 cars from the road and result in 41,000 additional daily transit riders.

By building affordable homes near quality transit, AHSC also reduces air pollution, improves public health, and increases connectivity and accessibility to jobs and education.

The AHSC program is administered by the Strategic Growth Council (SGC) and funded by the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund, which collects proceeds from cap-and-trade auctions.

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