**Home Safe Blog Social Media Tool Box**

**Hashtags:**

1. **#APSHomeSafe**
2. **#CABudget**

**Home Safe Blog Post (*not live yet*):** <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

**CWDA Home Safe Page:** <https://www.cwda.org/budget-priority/establish-home-safe-homelessness-prevention-vulnerable-seniors>

**CWDA Fact Sheet:** <https://www.cwda.org/sites/main/files/file-attachments/aps_home_safe_fact_sheet_final.pdf>

**2/27 Blog Post**

**TWEETS:**

Must read: Victims of Elder Abuse Are Being Forced into Homelessness at an Alarming Rate #APSHomeSafe <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

Thank you Assemblymember @Ash\_Kalra for championing Home Safe to keep elder abuse victims from becoming homeless. #APSHomeSafe #CABudget <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

“These seniors have lived their lives raising families, bettering their communities & paying taxes; they do not deserve the indignity of society leaving them behind to live on the streets.” #APSHomeSafe Read more: <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

A relatively small upfront #CABudget investment in #APSHomeSafe to ensure abuse & neglect victims don’t lose housing when they’re in crisis would ultimately save taxpayer $$. Via @CWDA\_CA <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

Read why @CWDA\_CA, CA Commission on Aging, CA Elder Justice Coalition and @Ash\_Kalra are all supporting #APSHomeSafe, a @CWDA\_CA #CABudget priority <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

**FACEBOOK POSTS**

“Unfortunately, when it was created two decades ago, APS wasn’t designed –  and has never been funded – to deal with complicated housing and homeless issues that have skyrocketed in recent years… APS receives about 150,000 reports of elder abuse and neglect every year; of those cases, counties estimate an average of 10 percent or more are at risk of losing their homes.”

The Home Safe program would allow APS to step in at the point of crisis and ensure abused and neglected seniors or dependent adults aren’t forced into homelessness. Read More: <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

County Welfare Directors Association, CA Commission of Aging and the California Elder Justice Coalition are cosponsoring the Home Safe Budget proposal to ensure that victims of elder abuse and/or neglect are not forced into homelessness. “A timely intervention, if it were available, would mean more than just fewer homeless adults – it would literally save lives.” Read about Home Safe: <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>

Home Safe program will save the lives of vulnerable seniors and dependent adults exposed to abuse by ensuring they don’t become homeless. It will also save taxpayer dollars in the long run. That’s why @AshKalra and other legislators are signing on in support. Read more: <https://www.cwda.org/blog-post/victims-elder-abuse-are-being-forced-homelessness-alarming-rate>