# The Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Program **AWARDS PROFILE: SENATOR THOMAS UMBERG, SD-34**

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 IN DISTRICT 34** \$15,953,626

#### **NEW AFFORDABLE APARTMENTS AND FAMILIES HOUSED**

127 / 1,397

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

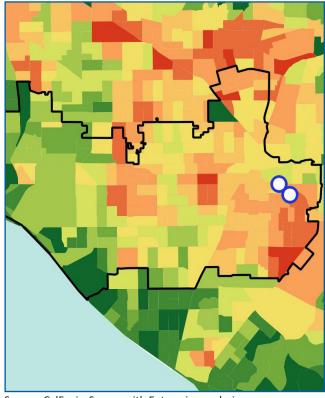
#### **REDUCED GHG EMISSIONS**

39,833 Metric Tons of  $C0_2$  Source: Round 1 and 2; SGC

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 reduce car travel by approximately 134 million miles and result in 41,000 additional daily transit riders.

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

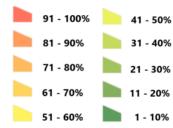


Source: CalEnviroScreen with Enterprise analysis.

### **AWARD LOCATION**

Santa Ana Arts Collective, Santa Ana Depot at Santiago, Santa Ana





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.

