

L.A.'s homelessness surged 75% in six years. Here's why the crisis has been decades in the making.

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Judge says O.C. cities and the county must prove homeless crackdown is not discriminatory.

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Huge increase in arrests of homeless in L.A. But mostly for minor offenses

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A plan to house L.A.'s homeless residents could transform parking lots across the city

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Cutting red tape to get homeless people housed faster

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Downtown has a high apartment vacancy rate? The rest of L.A. should be so lucky

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Federal judge visits homeless camps as he pushes for Orange County shelter solution

Judging a homeless quandary close up (printed version)

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L.A. lawmakers tentatively back proposals to ease the way for housing homeless people

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Frustrated judge demands O.C. find shelter for homeless being evicted from camps

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Everyone knows we can't arrest our way out of homelessness.

So why is L.A. still trying?

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L.A. County's homeless problem is worsening despite billions from tax measures

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Orange County's riverside homeless begin trading tents for motel vouchers, other aid as camp is cleared

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River camp cleared with humane touch

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Meet the judge at the center of O.C. riverbed homeless case who is known for his unconventional, hands-on approach

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Blame California's cities and counties for housing delays, not state environmental law, new study says

<http://www.latimes.com/politics/essential/la-pol-ca-essential-politics-updates-blame-cities-and-counties-for-housing-1519168035-htmlstory.html>



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L.A. wants more money for homeless encampment sweeps

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L.A. lawmakers pledge 222 units of homeless housing in each of their districts

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As homeless camps explode in L.A. suburbs, residents fear they will become permanent

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After a week without food, skid row activist still hungry to make a statement about housing shortage

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Sky-high rents and home prices are making it hard for Southern California businesses to attract workers

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Protesters call on Garcetti to find shelter for 1,000 homeless women

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'Insolent, impudent and vicious': What The Times has said about homeless people in the past

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As crime and drugs recede, MacArthur Park is going upscale, and many residents feel left behind

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Santa Ana River homeless camp cleared after more than 700 people relocated

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The homeless in L.A. are not who you think they are

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Don't let NIMBYs — or weak-kneed politicians — stand in the way of homeless housing

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\$2 billion to help house California's homeless isn't being spent and no one knows when it will be

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How can a place with 58,000 homeless people continue to function?

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L.A. has a long history of failure on homelessness. It needs leaders who will take responsibility

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The Great American Single-Family Home Problem

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**Building more housing, more densely, could help address a widespread economic challenge.
A fight over one lot in Berkeley, Calif., shows how tough that could be.**



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Villaraigosa and Newsom want to build more houses in California than ever before. Experts see the candidates' goal as an empty promise

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Affordable housing projects are threatened as tax cuts undermine a source of funding

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New coalition urges 'Everyone In' to combat L.A.'s homelessness crisis

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Why I'm leaving The Times for a job at City Hall

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Faced with complaints of filth and blight, L.A. cracks down on overnight RV parking. Now, the homeless are scrambling

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Orange County officials agree to extend motel stays 'on a case-by-case basis' for Santa Ana River homeless

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L.A. City Council members shouldn't have the power to veto homeless housing projects at a whim

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Some O.C. residents:

We want to help the homeless — just don't put them in our neighborhoods

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Southern California home prices

jumped 10% in February

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Garcetti says L.A. can end street homelessness in a decade

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O.C.'s grand homeless plan collapsing as residents balk at having shelters in their neighborhoods

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Boost to affordable housing is part of new \$1.3-trillion federal budget

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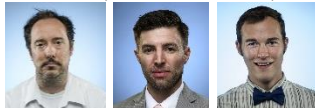
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