# 2018 Point In Time Count

**January 31**st **2018** 

1,769 people experienced homelessness in the cities of Detroit, Hamtramck, and Highland Park





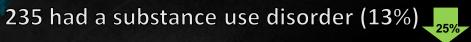
1266 were single adults (71%)

322 were Veterans (18%)



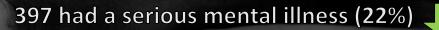


497 were in households with children (28%)





336 were age 17 and under (19%)





222 were chronically homeless (13%)

99 were fleeing domestic violence (6%)



## PIT Counts 2009-2018



Count Date	<b>Emergency Shelter Count</b>	Transitional Housing Count	Safe Haven Count	<b>Unsheltered Count</b>	Total Persons
1/31/2018	1035	536	40	158	1769
1/25/2017	1169	668	21	220	2078
1/27/2016	1182	939	21	193	2335
1/28/2015	1312	1112	22	151	2597
1/29/2014	1332	1120	21	N/A	2473
1/29/2013	1348	1138	21	282	2789
1/25/2012	1631	1110	21	N/A	2762
1/26/2011	1646	1119	20	353	3138
1/29/2010	1640	893	17	N/A	2550
1/28/2009	2058	1374	N/A	262	3694

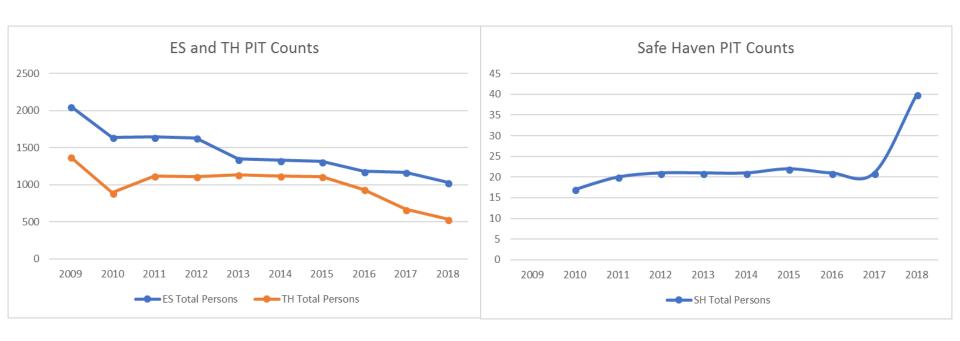


<sup>\*</sup>Safe Haven programming was counted differently in 2009

<sup>\*\*</sup>Unsheltered PIT Counts were not conducted in 2010, 2012,or 2014

## **Sheltered PIT Count Trends**

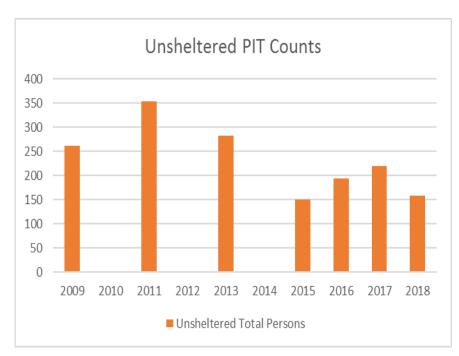


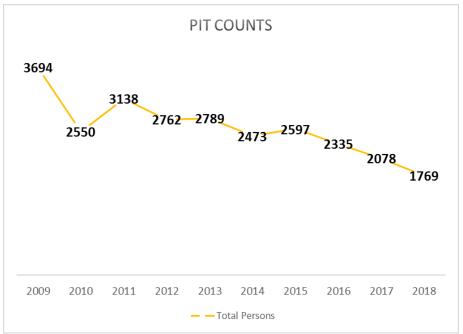




## **PIT Count Trends**









# PIT Count Analysis



- The overall count decreased by 309 people or 15% in 2018
  - Unsheltered persons represented 9%
  - Sheltered persons represented 91%
- Unsheltered count decreased by 62 people
- Sheltered count decreased by 247 people
- Largest decrease on record over the last 10 years



# **Sheltered Count Analysis**



#### Changes in safe haven capacity

• 2 programs closed over the last year with 21 beds

#### Changes in transitional housing capacity

- 3 programs closed over the last year with 37 beds
- 2 additional programs lost 50 beds over the last year

#### Changes in emergency shelter capacity

- 2 programs closed over the last year with 40 beds
- 1 program with 45 beds reported no longer serving as a shelter as of Jan 31



# **Unsheltered Count Analysis**



### Changes in permanent supportive housing capacity

2 new programs came on board over the last year

### Targeted chronic outreach coordination

 Over the course of the year, street outreach was focused on connecting persons identified as chronically homeless in our HMIS to permanent supportive housing

### Proximity of last Wed in Jan to 1st of the month

 Volunteer counters noted concern about persons receiving government assistance choosing to get off of the streets by using their income to secure temporary stays in motels or with friends and family

