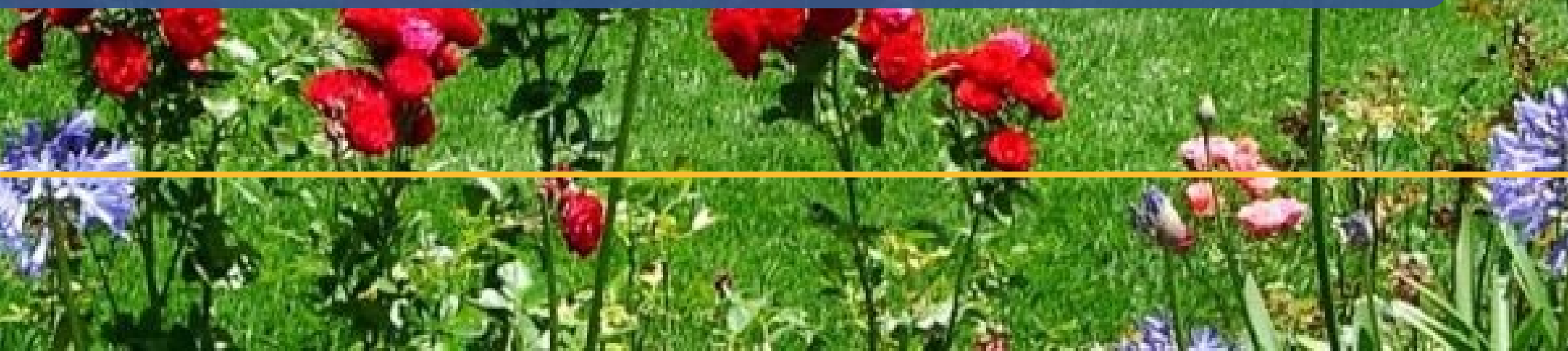


# Prohousing Designation

County of Santa Barbara  
Board of Supervisors  
May 20, 2025





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# Overview

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- **What is the State of California Prohousing Designation Program?**
- **What are the benefits of being awarded the the State of California's Prohousing Designation?**
- **Public Input & Application Process**



# Prohousing Designation Program Background

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- Benefits:
  - Priority processing and additional points in grant applications
  - Increased funding opportunities
- Potential drawbacks:
  - Local policy nuances
  - Ongoing monitoring and evaluation
  - Community concerns about development



# Benefits of Prohousing Designation

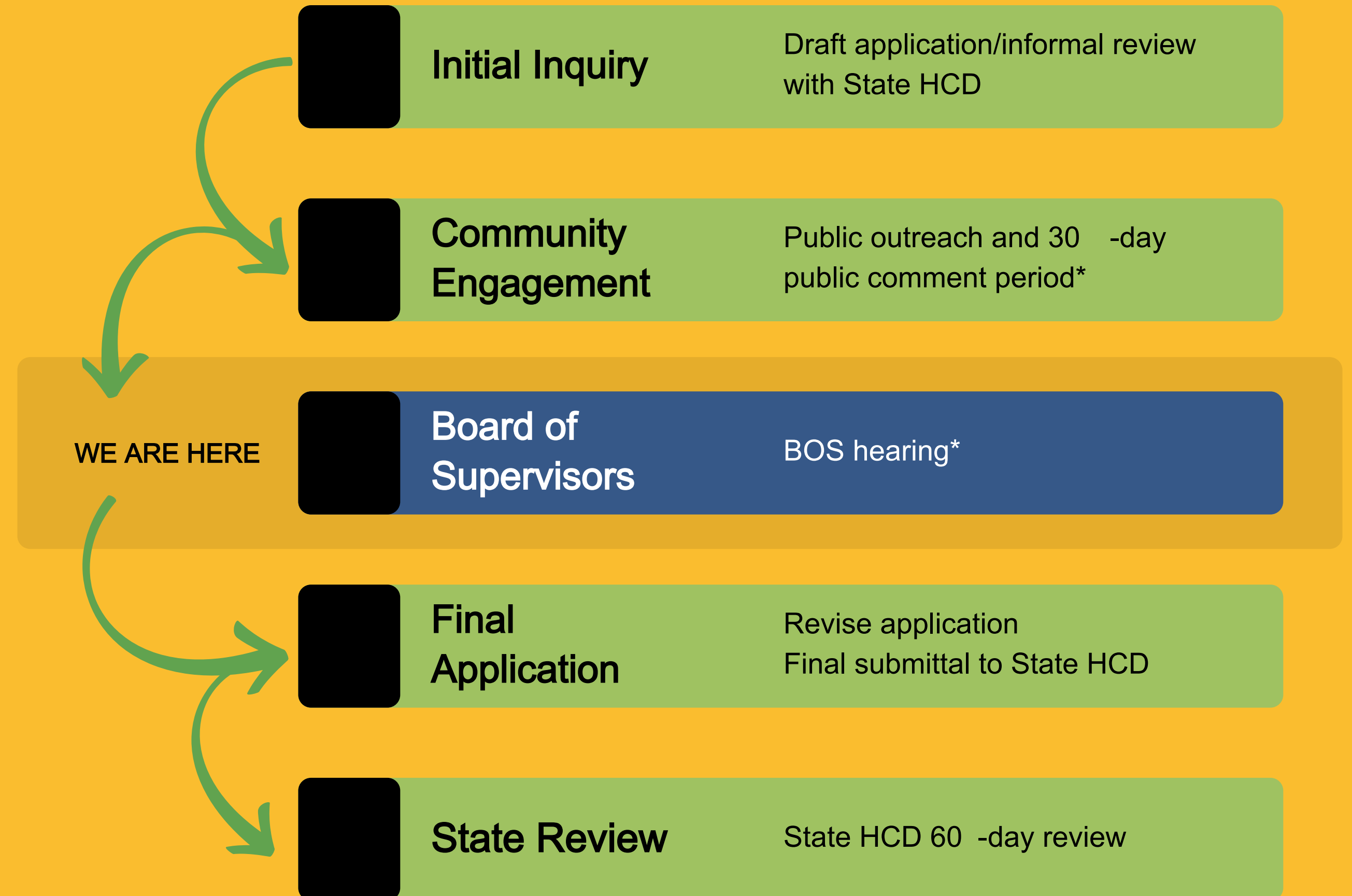
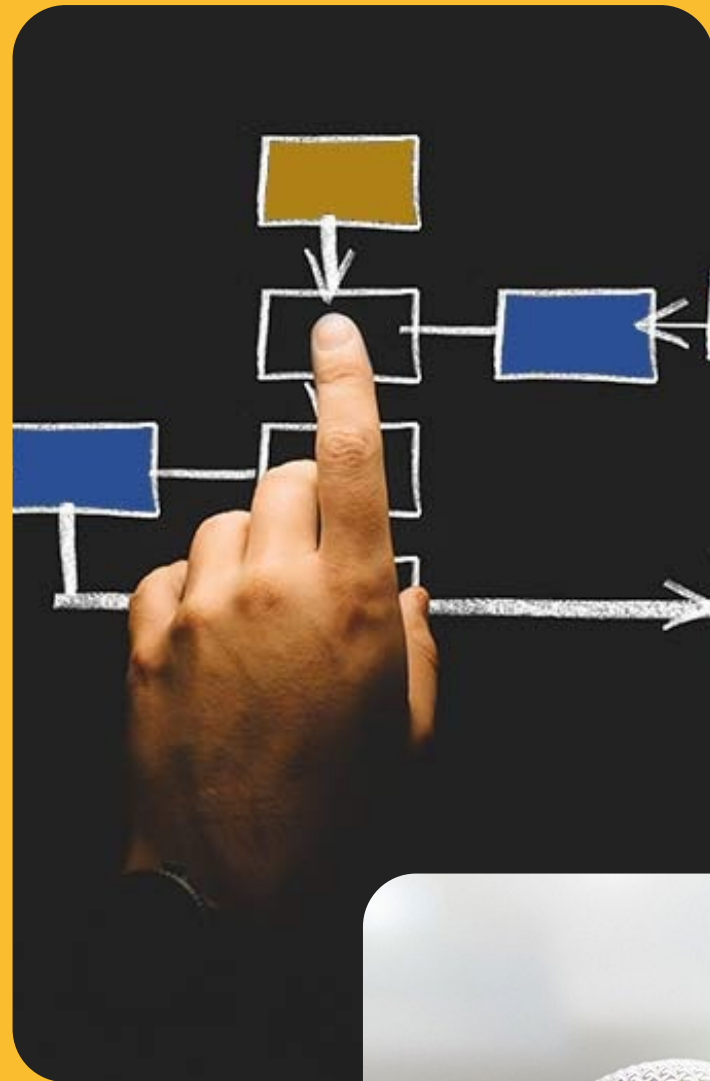


**Priority processing or funding points** when applying for several funding programs, including:

- Affordable Housing & Sustainable Communities (AHSC)
- Infill Infrastructure Grant (IIG)
- Transformative Climate Communities (TCC)
- Solutions for Congested Corridors
- Local Partnership Program
- Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program (TIRCP)



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