Homelessness is a prevalent and growing issue in the United States. There are more than 1.2 million homeless children across the country and 23,000 in San Diego County alone. Research reveals that homelessness contributes to physical and psychological challenges including safety fears and academic struggles that last for years.

**About The Project:**
This year, the AEI Advisory Board is requesting support from association executives in providing The Monarch School of San Diego with needed hygiene kits for elementary, middle and high school boys and girls. The Monarch School, a public-private 501-c-3 partnership, has been a leader for more than 30 years in the education and support of homeless youth. We will be assembling 300 kits on site in San Diego at the Hilton Bayfront Hotel.

**To Participate:**
Chose from the Amazon Wish Lists located on the AEI Charity Project home page to purchase items for students. Follow the directions and ship items directly to NAR in Chicago. They will need to arrive no later than February 28.

Then show up on site at AEI on Sunday, March 15th from 12:45 – 1:45 pm to help assemble hygiene kits (Promenade Plaza, Level 1).

**Questions?**
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Learn more at: [www.nar.realtor/events/ae-institute/2020-charity-project-the-monarch-school](http://www.nar.realtor/events/ae-institute/2020-charity-project-the-monarch-school)