HOMES FOR ALL  
2019-2020 LEGISLATIVE AGENDA

Minnesota can address the FULL CONTINUUM of housing needs and ensure homes for all.

$39 MILLION for MN Housing Finance Agency to produce more homes for workers, match local community resources, assist families in attaining homeownership, and prevent homelessness

$38 MILLION for the Dept of Human Services to provide emergency shelter, supportive services, and programs for homeless families; and housing supports for Minnesotans with severe mental illness

$500 MILLION in bonding for HIB and GO Bonds to support the production of affordable homes in communities statewide, boosting local economies with jobs and economic development

$50 MILLION annually in Tax Credits to create a dollar for dollar tax credit for contributions to a fund that provides resources for locally directed affordable housing project

WHERE WE LIVE IMPACTS EVERY ASPECT OF OUR LIVES, the jobs we can access, the education our children receive and the wellbeing of our growing senior population.

As Minnesotans, we share the belief that no full-time employee should have to choose between paying rent or filling prescriptions. No working parent should have to cut back on food for their children to make the mortgage. But that’s a daily reality for more than 580,000 Minnesota households who pay more than 30% of their income on housing and don’t have enough left over to make ends meet to cover basic necessities, like transportation and groceries.

Homes for All is a coalition of more than 250 organizations across the state advancing shared policy initiatives that lead to housing stability for all.
INVESTING IN MINNESOTA'S PROSPERITY

Investing in housing provides a return for all residents. In Greater Minnesota and our urban areas, our economic development and community vitality rely on adequate homes that are affordable to all our hardworking families. But there isn’t one kind of housing that fits the needs of every Minnesotan. From a homeless veteran to a first-time homebuyer, we must address needs along the full continuum of housing. These investments help communities throughout the state address housing needs and build financial assets.

Homes for All advocates for state investments that leverage local, federal and private resources to:

- Prevent homelessness, provide emergency shelter and improve stability for homeless and highly mobile students
- Build and preserve affordable rental homes for working families and provide rental assistance to kids and families
- Prepare first-time homebuyers and provide down-payment assistance to families with low to moderate income

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Learn more about Homes for All, a coalition of more than 250 organizations statewide, at www.homesforallmn.org. Follow us on Twitter @Homes4AllMN and #Homes4AllMN.