

Presentation to the Metro Council Community Affairs Committee

Affordable Housing in Louisville Metro Wednesday, February 13, 2019 1:30 p.m.

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The LAHTF has
Received
\$22,070,000
In funding
Since 2017

Breakdown of Funding

2017 - \$2.5 million allocation

- > \$2.35 million allocated for development.
- > 324 units
- > \$36.4 million leveraged.
- > \$25,000 in supportive housing grants provided to 4 agencies.

2018 - \$9.57 million allocation

- > \$9.27 million allocated for development
- > 1,305 units
- > \$164 million leveraged.
- > \$50,000 in supportive housing grants provided to 6 agencies.

Status of 2019 Funding

- \$10 million allocated. 34 pre-applications received since October 2018.
- BOD has approved 7 projects with allocations of \$4.2 million. Will result in 450 units and a leverage amount of \$56 million.
- Metro lost 3 applications due to the non-approval of low income housing tax credits (LIHTCs) from KHC.
- Additional applications are under review by staff,
 Program Committee and the BOD.

Since 2017, Metro has garnered additional investments of More than \$200 million in construction and professional funding. ROI = nearly 16:1!

State of Louisville Metro Housing

Source: 2018 HNA

- > 310,355 occupied housing units (all types)
- > 16,617 units of subsidized housing in 339 developments
- 2,181 single family homes with visible exterior issues
- Need and affordability gap is significant between races.
- > Approx. 72,000 households cost-burdened
- > 31,412 units for households at 0-30% AMI needed to address the issue.

Louisville Metro Housing Facts

<u>Area Median Income</u> - Median income is the amount that divides the income distribution into two equal groups, half having income above that amount, and half having income below that amount. All numbers discussed reference data for the Louisville Metropolitan Statistical Area. HUD's 2018 limits are as follows:

FY 2018 Median Income = \$71,500 (Household Size)

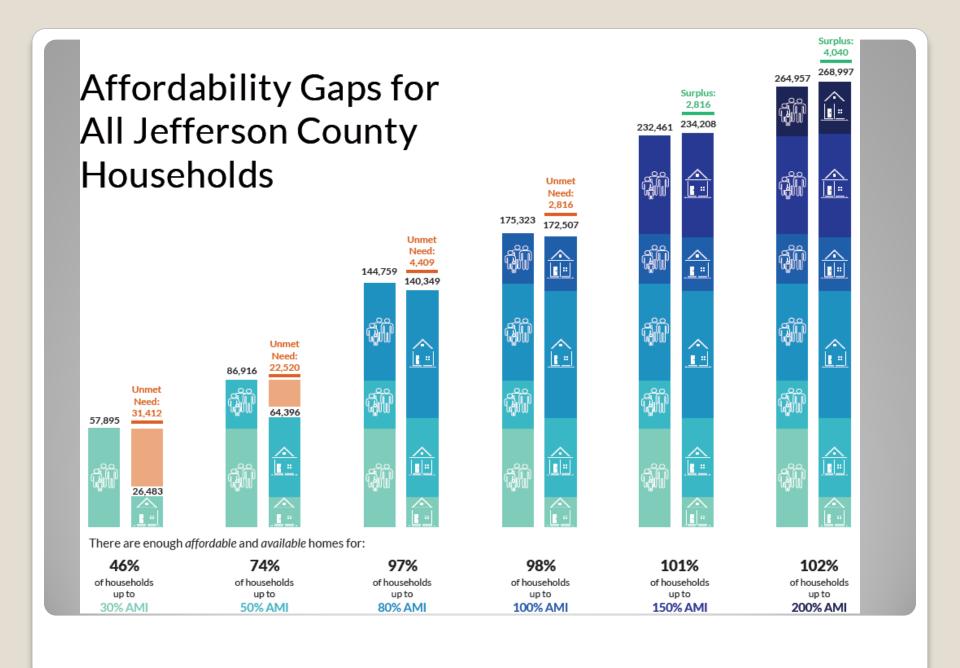
Income Category	1 person	2 person	3 person	4 person	5 person	6 person	7 person	8 person
Very Low Income (50%)	\$25,050	\$28,600	\$32,200	\$35,750	\$38,650	\$41,500	\$44,350	\$47,200
Extremely Low Income (30%)	\$15,050	\$17,200	\$20,780	\$25,100	\$29,420	\$33,740	\$38,060	\$42,380
Low Income (80%)	\$40,050	\$45,800	\$51,500	\$57,200	\$61,800	\$66,400	\$70,950	\$75,550

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Report also lists recommended strategic uses of Metro resources for addressing the housing issue.

The first of these recommendations is to dedicate a funding source for affordable housing initiatives!



What can Council Do?

1. Dedicate 1% of the insurance premium tax for affordable housing.

2. Explore and review additional recommendations as outlined in the 2018 Housing Needs Assessment.









Tuesday, February 26

6:00 pm-7:00 pm Memorial Auditorium 970 South 4th Street

PUBLIC MEETINGS



Wednesday, February 27

9:30 am-10:30 am Bon Air Library 2816 Del Rio Place Louisville's Office of Housing & Community
Development and the Louisville Affordable Housing
Trust Fund have completed the Housing Needs
Assessment. Presentations will be made at these
meetings to highlight major findings and a series of
recommendations.



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