Adding Source of Income to Fair Housing Laws December 4 2019



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Government policies force segregation by race

Buchanan v Warley U.S Supreme Court out of Louisville 1917

Redlining 1937- Harland Bartholomew becomes zoning

Change from rental to ownership nation 1940-1975

- FHA policies- prohibited selling to blacks prohibited mortgages to blacks underwrote massive single family developments for whites
- Shelley v Kramer- recorded deed restrictions, 1947 1972 finally ruled covenants themselves were in violation of Fair Housing act and 14th Amendment

Message that blacks were toxic to a neighborhood and white flight

Tenants- coded language for racial discrimination and evictions

63,500 black households in Louisville with a homeownership rate of 36%

225,000 white households in Louisville with a homeownership rate of 70%

Figure 12: Housing Tenure

United States, Kentucky, Louisville MSA, and Louisville/Jefferson County 2016

	United States	Kentucky	Louisville MSA	Louisville/ Jefferson County
Total Households	117,716,240	1,718,217	497,174	310,355
Owners	63.6%	66.8%	66.7%	61.2%
Renters	36.4%	33.2%	33.3%	38.8%
Households by Race/Ethnicity				
White Households	81,079,480	1,506,718	396,501	224,570
Owners	71.4%	70.7%	73.7%	70.3%
Renters	28.6%	29.3%	26.3%	29.7%
Black/African-American Households	14,343,764	134,831	70,530	63,585
Owners	41.9%	36.5%	36.6%	35.8%
Renters	58.1%	63.5%	63.4%	64.2%
Hispanic/Latinx Households	14,725,771	37,970	15,596	11,259
Owners	45.8%	35.3%	39.0%	37.1%
Renters	54.2%	64.7%	61.0%	62.9%
Households by Family Type				
Family households	77,608,832	1,136,651	318,689	185,805
Married-couple Household	56,270,862	836,940	228,179	126,001
Owners	79.5%	82.5%	84.7%	81.9%
Renters	20.5%	17.5%	15.3%	18.1%
Male Household, No Wife Present	5,681,312	82,911	24,196	15,241
Owners	53.2%	57.7%	59.2%	55.4%
Renters	46.8%	42.3%	40.8%	44.6%
Female Household, No Husband Present	15,146,112	220,274	66,710	44,990
Owners	45.1%	46.9%	46.4%	42.3%
Renters	54.9%	53.1%	53.6%	57.7%

SOURCE: U.S. Census, 2012-2016 5-year American Community Survey

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25 - 49.99%

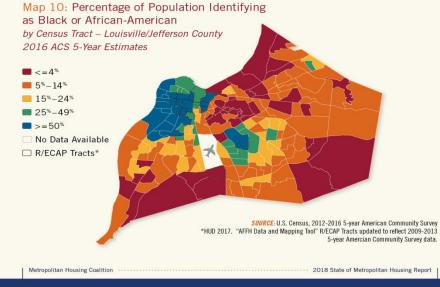
50 - 79.99%

80 - 94.99%

95 - 100%

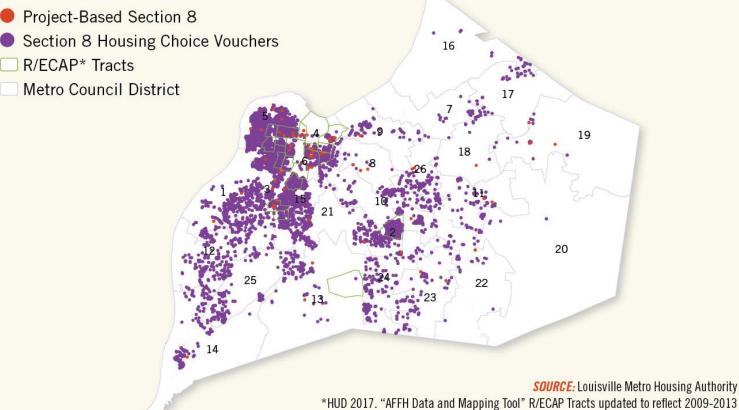
532,000

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Map 7: Subsidized Section 8 Housing by Louisville Metro Council District – 2018

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5-year Amercian Community Survey data.

Figure 5: Percentage of Low-Income Housing Tax Credit Units and Combined Public Housing and Section 8 Units

by Louisville Metro Council District – 2018

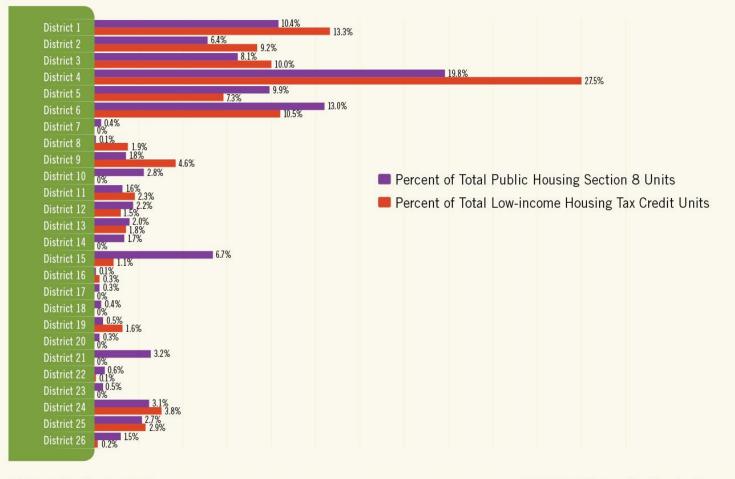


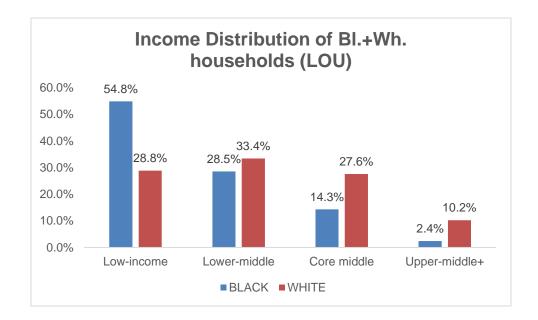
Figure 6: Fair Market Rents by Unit Bedrooms

FY2018 compared to FY2017 and FY2008, Louisville MSA								
FMR Year	Efficiency	One-Bedroom	Two-Bedroom	Three-Bedroom	Four-Bedroom			
FY2018	\$578.00	\$656.00	\$821.00	\$1,119.00	\$1,259.00			
FY2017	\$551.00	\$629.00	\$793.00	\$1,085.00	\$1,230.00			
FY2008	\$483.00	\$559.00	\$663.00	\$926.00	\$984.00			
Adjusted to 2018 of	Adjusted to 2018 dollars using the Consumer Price Index*							
FY2018	\$578.00	\$656.00	\$821.00	\$1,119.00	\$1,259.00			
FY2017	\$562.00	\$642.00	\$809.00	\$1,107.00	\$1,255.00			
FY2008	\$567.00	\$656.00	\$779.00	\$1,087.00	\$1,155.00			
Percent Change from FY2017- FY2018	2.85%	2.18%	1.48%	1.08%	0.32%			
Percent Change from FY2008- FY2018	1.94%	0.00%	5.39%	2.94%	9.00%			

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, 2018 (http://www.huduser.gov/portal/datasets/fmr.html) *Dollars shown in 2018 dollars using the Consumer Price Index Calculator (http://data.bls.gov/cgi-bin/cpicalc.pl)

Figure 7: Housing Wage for Fair Market Rents 2017, Job and Wage Numbers for Louisville MSA 2017

Housing Wage for One-Bedroom FMR	Housing Wage for Two-Bedroom FMR	Housing Wage for Three-Bedroom FMR	Housing Wage for Four-Bedroom FMR	
\$12.62	\$15.79	\$21.52	\$24.21	
<i># of jobs that pay median hourly wage less than \$12.62</i>	<i># of jobs that pay median hourly wage less than \$15.79</i>	<i># of jobs that pay median hourly wage less than \$21.52</i>	<i># of jobs that pay median hourly wage less than \$24.21</i>	
148,270	254,410	399,970	450,220	
% of total workforce % of total workforce		% of total workforce	% of total workforce	
22.93%	39.34%	61.85%	69.62%	



Select Voucher Non-Discrimination Laws by Enacted Date

History of Lawful Source of Income Laws

1971 - 1993

https://www.cbpp.org/research/ho using/prohibiting-discriminationagainst-renters-using-housingvouchers-improves-results

<u>State</u>	<u>City/County</u>	Year Enacte d	<u>State</u>	<u>City/Coun</u> <u>ty</u>	<u>Year</u> Enact ed
Massachusett s	Statewide	1971, amend ed 1989	Vermont	Statewide	1987
Maine	Statewide	1975	Wisconsin	Dane County	1987
Illinois	Urbana	1975	Connecticut	Statewide	1989
Wisconsin	Madison	1977	Washingto n	Seattle	1989
Michigan	Ann Arbor	1978	Illinois	Chicago	1990
New York	West Seneca	1979	Washingto n	Bellevue	1990
Massachusett	_			Montgom	
S	Boston	1980	Maryland	ery County	1991
Pennsylvania	Philadelphi a	1980	Massachuse tts	e Cambridg e	1992
Washington	Olympia	1980	Massachuse tts	Quincy	1992
Oklahoma	Statewide	1985	Maryland	Howard County	1992
Michigan	Lansing	1986	Utah	Statewide	1993

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<u>State</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Year</u> Enacte d	Slale	<u>City/Count</u> ¥	<u>Year</u> Enacted
New York	Suffolk County	2015	California	Marin County	2017
California	Santa Monica	2015	California	Santa Clara County	2017
lowa	Iowa City	2015	Florida	Broward County	2017
Missouri	St. Louis	2015		Minneapol is	2017
Ohio	South Euclid	2015	Washingt on	Statewide	2018
Pennsylvani a	Pittsburgh	2015	Colorado	Denver City and County	2018
Washington	Vancouver	2015	New York	Erie County	2018
Washington	Renton	2016	California	San Diego	2018
Texas	Dallas	2016	California	Woodland	2018
New York	Syracuse	2016	Michigan	Jackson	2018
Washington	Spokane	2017	Wisconsi n	Milwaukee	2018

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City Voucher LSOI Laws 1971 -2018

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City-Level Voucher Non-Discrimination Laws

<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>
San Francisco	California	Naperville	Illinois	University Heights	Ohio
East Palo Alto	California	Annapolis	Maryland	Warrensvil le Heights	Ohio
Santa Monica	California	Ann Arbor	Michigan	South Euclid	Ohio
Berkeley	California	Lansing	Michigan	Philadelph ia	Pennsylva nia
San Diego	California	Grand Rapids	Michigan	Borough of State College	Pennsylva nia
Woodland	California	East Lansing	Michigan	Pittsburgh	Pennsylva nia
Wilmingto n	Delaware	Jackson	Michigan	Memphis	Tennessee
Marion	lowa	Minneapol is	Minnesota	Austin	Texas
lowa City	lowa	St. Louis	Missouri	Dallas	Texas
Urbana Chicago	Illinois Illinois	Syracuse Wickliffe	New York Ohio	Milwaukee	Wisconsin

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What Can A Landlord Still Do?



Landlords can continue to:

- Establish and uniformly apply rules and policies for all tenants
- Charge an application fee
- Conduct additional in-depth tenant screening
- Confirm ability to pay rent
- Reject applicants with poor rental, credit or criminal history using their criteria
- Advertise using terms that describe services, units, grounds, apartments and amenities
- Evict tenants who do not pay rent or comply with lease and rules
- Protect tenants from harassment by other tenants