



Campaign Overview

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Ensure Universal Rental Assistance



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Goal: Make housing assistance available to all eligible households

- Significantly expand & guarantee funding for Housing Choice Vouchers.
- Create a renters' tax credit to cover rental costs exceeding 30% of renters' income.
- Make housing assistance "mandatory" Congressional spending.

Learn more here:

https://nlihc.org/sites/default/files/Solution_Rental_Assistance.pdf



Expand & Preserve the Supply of Affordable Rental Homes



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Goal: Preserve & increase the supply of affordable, available, and accessible homes for the lowest-income renters

- Expand the national Housing Trust Fund to at least \$40 billion annually.
- Provide at least \$70 billion to preserve and rehabilitate public housing.
- Repeal the Faircloth amendment to build more public housing.
- Require inclusive zoning/land reforms to reverse residential segregation.

Learn more here: https://nlihc.org/sites/default/files/Solution_Supply.pdf



Provide Emergency
Rental Assistance to
Households in Crisis



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Goal: Create a National Housing Stabilization Fund to provide emergency assistance to households experiencing an economic shock

- Enact the “Eviction Crisis Act,” which would create a national housing stabilization fund to provide short-term, emergency assistance to help renters avoid eviction and remain stably housed.

Learn more here:

https://nlihc.org/sites/default/files/Solution_Stabilization_Fund.pdf

Strengthen and Enforce Renter Protections



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Goal: Enact legislation to establish vital renter protections

- Prohibit source of income discrimination.
- Establish and fund a national right to counsel.
- Create “just cause” eviction protections.
- Expand the Fair Housing Act to ban discrimination based on sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, and source of income.
- End arbitrary tenant screening and eviction policies, including blanket bans on people with a criminal history and “one-strike” policies.
- Provide resources to all income-eligible households, regardless of immigration status.

Learn more here: https://nlihc.org/sites/default/files/Solution_Renter-Protections.pdf¹⁰

Take Action!

1. Sign onto our national letter [here](#)!
2. Ask your Senators and Representatives to sign onto [this Dear Colleague letter](#)!
3. Urge Congress to support the [campaign's priorities](#) for an infrastructure package!



Q&A



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