

Policy Recommendations: Presented to the Kentucky Housing Task Force



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Kentucky Habitat for Humanity Challenges to Scale Production:

- Lack of Available Land
- High Development & Construction Costs
- Access to Capital for Land Acquisition & Affordable Housing



Policy Recommendations: Bold, Collaborative, and Comprehensive

• Policy #1:

Increase investment in the Affordable Housing Trust Fund and Rural Housing Trust Fund

• Policy #2:

Create & Implement State Low-Income Housing Tax Credit

• Policy #3:

Create & Implement Single-Family Affordable Housing Tax Credit

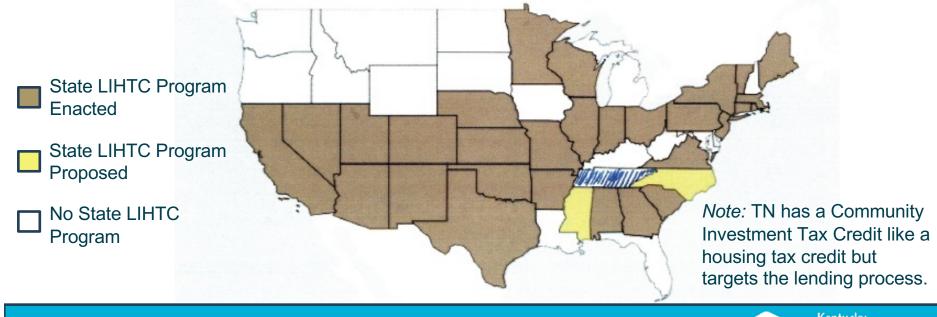


Policy Recommendation #1: Increase investment in the Affordable Housing Trust Fund and Rural Housing Trust Fund

- Proven Programs: Accessible & Flexible
- Increase AMI Ceiling to 80%
- Revise AHTF & RHTF Funding Mechanisms to:
 - Increase Funding Levels
 - Provide Annual Adjustments for Inflation



Policy Recommendation #2: Create & Implement a State Low-Income Housing Tax Credit





Policy Recommendation #3: Create & Implement State Single-Family Affordable Housing Tax Credit

- Production-based Tax Credit Similar to LIHTC
- Issued to Developers of Affordable Housing at 30% to 80% AMI
- Nonprofits Can Sell to Private Sector/Individuals
- Examples:
 - Ohio: Single-Family Housing Tax Credit
 - Federal: Neighborhood Homes Investment Act



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