

Senate Housing and Homelessness Prevention Committee

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MCCD HOUSING MEMBERS

Aeon

African Development Center

Alliance Housing Incorporated

American Indian CDC

Artspace Projects Inc.

Beacon Interfaith Housing Collaborative

Build Wealth Minnesota

Building Blocks

City of Lakes Community Land Trust

Clare Housing

CommonBond Communities

Community Housing Development Corporation

Dayton's Bluff Neighborhood Housing Services

East Side Neighborhood Development Company

Greater Metropolitan Housing Corporation

Hmong American Partnership

Homes Within Reach

Hope Community

Model Cities

Neighborhood Development Alliance

NeighborWorks Home Partners

New American Development Center

Northcountry Cooperative Foundation

Northeast CDC

Northside Residents Redevelopment Council

PRG, Inc.

Project for Pride in Living

Redesign, Inc.

Riverton Community Housing Association

Rondo Community Land Trust

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Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity

Twin Cities Housing Development Corporation

Two Rivers Community Land Trust

Urban Homeworks

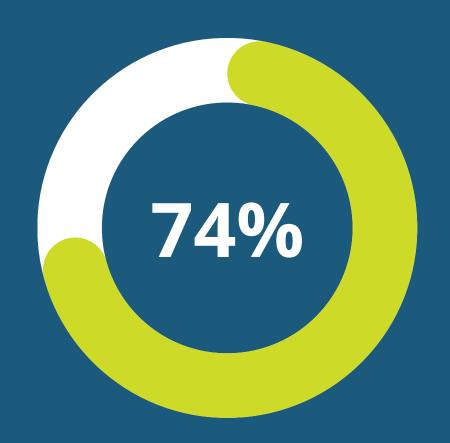
West Bank CDC

MCCD is an association of nonprofit community development organizations and Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) committed to expanding the wealth and resources of neighborhoods through affordable housing opportunities and economic development initiatives.

COLLECTIVE IMPACT

To date, MCCD members...

Have created or preserved more than 30,000 units of affordable housing supporting thousands of MN households (both rental housing and homeownership)



Of the rental or homebuyer households assisted by our members, 74% identify as Black, Indigenous, or People of Color (BIPOC)



EXSISTING & EMERGING CONCERNS

- Rising Insurance Rates
- Closure or Sale of Affordable Units
 - Displacing Residents Currently Stably Housed
- No Operating Funding/Support
 - Increased Need for Supportive Services Funding
- Lack of Available Inventory
- Growing Rental Arrears from Residents



Annual Affordable Housing Needs Unmet in Minnesota



150 of 2,500

needed homes at >30% AMI constructed



400 of 2,000

needed homes at 30-50% AMI constructed





WHAT CAN BE DONE THIS SESSION



Housing Infrastructure Bonds (HIBs)

 Housing Infrastructure Bonds (HIBs) are the largest state source of capital for affordable housing development and preservation — but only 1 in 5 projects that apply for resources from the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency are able to be funded.



Since 2012, HIBs have preserved or created more than **7,000 affordable homes in communities across Minnesota**



Economic Development and Housing Challenge Program

Used in Greater
 Minnesota and the metro
 area, the Challenge Fund
 is one of MHFA's most
 versatile funding sources
 to create housing that
 supports economic
 development and local
 workforces.

Since 2020 alone, funding from the Challenge Program has built or preserved...

1,300 NEW HOMES

800+ UNITS

of affordable rental housing



Task Force on Homeowner's and Commercial Property Insurance

 Rising insurance rates and changes in coverage are deeply impacting our members and the communities they serve. We need a state task force to prevent disruptions or loss to housing development and preservation, and to support the long-term sustainability of Minnesota's housing infrastructure.

Multifamily Operators

 Our multifamily members are spending thousands of dollars working with insurance brokers to find insurance providers for their properties sometimes contacting 65+ providers to get a single quote.

Homeowners

 For homeowners, insurance rates are increasing as much as \$300 a month making their once stable housing costs no longer affordable.

MCCD AND ITS MEMBERS THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO TESTIFY TODAY





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