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Dear Members:

I am pleased to present you this report on the impacts of the projects and programs funded by the counties and Tribal governments with Local Homeless Prevention Aid. This report is mandated alternating years under Minnesota Statute 477A.30, subdivision 6, by January 15 until the aid expires after the final distribution of aids payable in 2028.

This report provides a list of the projects and programs funded by counties and Tribes with this aid. For each project and program, there is an assessment of how it impacts people who are currently experiencing homelessness, or at risk of experiencing homelessness, and the number of people served.

Visit <u>Local Homeless Prevention Aid</u> on the Minnesota Department of Revenue website for more information about the program, certifications, guidance on use of aid, and annual reporting materials.

Sincerely,

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Introduction

Local Homeless Prevention Aid was created in 2021 to fund homeless prevention and assistance projects and programs for counties. It was amended in 2023 to include Tribal governments. The purpose of the aid is to help local governments and Tribal governments ensure no child is homeless within a local jurisdiction by keeping families from losing housing and helping those experiencing homelessness find housing.

Each year, \$17.6 million is appropriated from the General Fund to the counties, and \$2.4 million is appropriated to Tribal governments. The first distribution took place in 2023. The program will expire after aid is paid in 2028.

This is the first of three reports to be updated every two years. The final report will be published in 2029.

Tribes

The following tables show the programs funded by each Tribe with the Local Homeless Prevention Aid. Each program includes an assessment and the number of people served.

Bois Forte Band of Chippewa

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Homeless Prevention (2024)	Pay past due rent, utilities, mortgages, property taxes and support services to keep households housed.	280
Rapid Rehousing (2024)	Pay damage deposits, first month's rent, utility deposits, basic furnishings, and provide support services to move households from homeless to housed.	27

Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	36
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	5
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	12
Fond du Lac Social Services (2024)	Pay rent for those at risk of eviction, pay for deposit and rent for those who are homeless, pay for utilities for those that were shut off, and provide food and gas for those experiencing homelessness.	70

Grand Portage Band of Lake Superior Chippewa

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	3

Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Homeless Prevention (2023)	Pay past due rent, utilities, mortgages, property taxes, and provide support services to keep households housed.	38
Rapid Rehousing (2023)	Pay damage deposits, first month's rent, utility deposits, basic furnishings, and provide support services to move households from homeless to housed.	35
Homeless Prevention (2023)	Pay past due rent, utilities, mortgages, property taxes, and provide support services to keep households housed.	32
Rapid Rehousing (2023)	Pay damage deposits, first month's rent, utility deposits, basic furnishings, and provide support services to move households from homeless to housed.	34
Homeless Prevention (2024)	Pay past due rent, utilities, mortgages, property taxes, and provide support services to keep households housed.	38
Rapid Rehousing (2024)	Pay damage deposits, first month's rent, utility deposits, basic furnishings, and provide support services to move households from homeless to housed.	35

Lower Sioux Indian Community

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Deposit (2024)	Provide rent and rental deposits to families who are homeless to secure housing.	4
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	20
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	30
Utility Assistance (2024)	Provide utility assistance to families at risk of shut off notices.	82
Administrative (2024)	Provide 35% of full-time salary.	3
Travel (2024)	Provide travel assistance for employee to attend collaborative meetings.	5

Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Utility Assistance (2023)	Pay utility payment for families at risk of eviction from rental.	41

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	33
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	36
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	5
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	12
Utility Assistance (2024)	Pay utility payment for families at risk of eviction of rental unit	63
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payment for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction	1
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental for families at risk of eviction from rental unit	36

Prairie Island Indian Community

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide free temporary housing to individuals who would otherwise be homeless.	6
Minnesota Tribal Homeless Prevention (2024)	Assist Lower Sioux with their homeless prevention program.	982 members
Minnesota Tribal Homeless Prevention (2024)	Assist Boise Forte with their homeless prevention program.	3,500 members
Minnesota Tribal Homeless Prevention (2024)	Assist White Earth with their homeless prevention program.	20,000 members

Red Lake Nation

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	36
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	5

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	61
Utility Assistance (2024)	Paid past utilities owed for families at risk of homelessness.	142
Salary (2024)	Paid for employee to complete intakes.	1

Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Homeless Prevention Aid (2023)	Pay first month's rent, deposit, past due rent, and past due utilities.	54
Rental assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	33
Homeless Prevention Aid (2024)	Pay first month's rent, deposit, past due rent, and past due utilities	44

Upper Sioux Community

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Staffing (2024)	Staff for transitional housing and implementation of grant.	23
Travel (2024)	Staff travel for meeting.	23
Construction (2024)	Repairs for transitional housing units.	23
Equipment (2024)	Equipment needed for homeless prevention.	6
Supplies (2024)	Supplies needed for transitional housing facility.	6
Indirect Costs (2024)	Upper Sioux Community negotiated indirect cost rate (11.18%)	0
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of becoming homeless.	1
Direct Assistance (2024)	Pay unpaid or past due bill to prevent eviction.	6

White Earth Nation

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2023)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	16
Mortgage Assistance (2023)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	1
Family Housing Services (2023)	Connect families with social or homeless services, housing navigation, and outreach.	19
Navigation Services (2023)	Provide support or case management for housing stability, navigation, and family outreach.	19
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental deposit and first and last months' rent to get people housed	72
Past Due Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	215
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	4
Utilities (2024)	Pay utilities for families at risk of eviction from rental unit.	372
Household Items (2024)	Pay household furniture or supplies for those being housed after experiencing long-term homelessness.	26

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Administrative or Salary (2024)	Operation costs.	N/A

Counties

The following tables show the programs funded by counties with the Local Homeless Prevention Aid. Each program includes an assessment and the number of people served.

Aitkin County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Family Homelessness Prevention Project (2023)	Pay mortgage or rent for families at risk of eviction or foreclosure. Families were able to maintain their housing.	19
Family Homelessness Prevention Project (2024)	Pay mortgage or rent for families at risk of eviction or foreclosure. Families were able to maintain their housing.	19
Family Homelessness Prevention Project (2024)	Pay rent or mortgage for families at risk of eviction or foreclosure.	26

Anoka County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Help Desk Services (2023)	Fund five full-time Housing Team staff who operate Housing Help Desk, Emergency Hotel Shelter Program, and Direct Assistance to remedy housing crises.	80
Homeless Street Outreach (2023)	Provide outreach to unsheltered street-homeless individuals and families.	90

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Grant Planning and Management (2023)	Fund one full-time employee to work on child foster care and childcare development.	N/A
Direct Assistance to School Districts (2023)	Allow school districts to provide direct funding to alleviate student housing crises.	8
Economic Assistance (2023)	Pay back-rent and security deposits via county Economic Assistance Department's Emergency Assistance and Emergency General Assistance programs.	Unknown
Anoka County Housing Services and Supports (2024)	Fund five full-time Housing Team staff who operate Housing Help Desk, Emergency Hotel Shelter Program, Direct Assistance to remedy housing crises, and Child Foster Care development.	2,191
Homeless Street Outreach (2024)	Provide outreach to unsheltered street-homeless individuals and families.	2,008
Direct Assistance to School Districts (2024)	Allow school districts to provide direct funding to alleviate student housing crises.	258
Homeless Youth Navigation (2024)	Reconnect homeless youth with schools and provide housing support services.	52
PSOP Services (2024)	Fund one full-time PSOP case manager to support homeless families.	28

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Supportive Services (2024)	Fund two full-time case managers to support youth and families experiencing homelessness or are at-risk of homelessness.	82

Becker County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Becker County - Local Homeless Aid Prevention (2024)	Educate and support families in need of housing services, from emergency services for use for one-time events or long-term housing supports. Provide education to Becker County schools about MAHUBE-OTWA services and housing opportunities for families or individuals.	85

Beltrami County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Creation of a Local Housing Trust Fund (2023)	Funds from the aid will be placed in the Local Housing Trust Fund and will then be used to spur development, provide housing case management, offer rental assistance, and many other housing-related services. These dollars are seen as an opportunity to transform Beltrami County's housing shortage and ongoing housing challenges.	0

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	The process of setting up a housing trust is long and difficult. The trust has been formed, and the entity administering the trust has been chosen. We are still in the contract development stage but expect this to be completed soon.	
Creation of a Local Housing Trust Fund (2024)	Support housing stability through non-profit housing support programs and increase housing stock through development. Housing Aid moved to trust fund in 2024. The process of setting up a housing trust is long and difficult. The Trust has been formed, and the entity administering the trust has been contracted (United Way). A decision-making cabinet was formed, and Request for Proposals (RFP) were released to distribute funds in late 2024.	0
Housing Trust Fund - United Way of the Bemidji Area (2024)	Support housing stability through non-profit housing support programs. First round RFP closed November 30, 2024. Numbers of persons served will be known in 2025. The process of setting up a housing trust is long and difficult. The trust has been formed, and the entity administering the trust has been contracted (United Way). A decision-making cabinet was formed, and RFPs were released to distribute funds in late 2024.	0

Benton County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Keeping Families Together (2023)	Partnership with Lutheran Social Services to provide case management to families experiencing housing barriers.	31

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance or Damage Deposit (2023)	Pay mortgage, rental payments, or damage deposits for families at risk of foreclosure, eviction, or gaining housing.	46
Administrative Cost (2023)	Benton County's administrative cost for grant allocation and coordination.	0
KFT (2024)	Partnership with Lutheran Social Services to provide case management to families experiencing housing barriers	54
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage or rental payments or damage deposits for families at risk of foreclosure, eviction, or gaining housing	86
Benton County Family Outreach Worker (2024)	Direct contact with families experiencing housing barriers to provide services and support.	0
Administrative Cost (2024)	Benton County's administrative cost for grant allocation and coordination.	0
Rental Assistance or Damage Deposit (2024)	Pay mortgage, rental payments, or damage deposits for families at risk of foreclosure, eviction, or gaining housing.	25

Big Stone County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	6
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rental deposits and first month's rent to secure housing for families that are currently homeless.	6
Administrative Costs (2023)	Process payments.	N/A
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental deposits and first month's rent to secure housing for families that are currently homeless.	10
Utility Payments (2024)	Pay utility for households who will be evicted if not paid.	3
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	15
Administrative Costs (2024)	Process payments.	0

Blue Earth County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay past due balances, application fees, and security deposits, and provide ongoing rental assistance for families with children that are homeless or at risk of homelessness. Provide with Navigation and supportive services in partnership with the Mankato School District.	167
Administration (2024)	City of Mankato Economic Development Authority (EDA) is a subgrantee that will accept, identify, and conduct outreach to students and families in the Mankato school district that are facing housing instability or crisis	167

Brown County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Resource Specialist (2023)	Add a position to help individuals or families experiencing housing instability or homelessness in either a short- or long-term capacity; work toward program development to further increase capacity to serve individuals who are homeless or at risk; and partner with local organizations and providers to increase access to housing and services.	40
Housing Resource Specialist (2024)	Add a position to help individuals or families experiencing housing instability or homelessness in either a short- or long-term capacity; work toward program development to further increase capacity to serve individuals who are homeless or at risk; and partner with local organizations and providers to increase access to housing and services.	99

Carlton County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing or Homelessness Case Management (2023)	Provide support and advocacy in obtaining and maintaining stable housing.	12
Emergency Relief Homeless or Housing Fund (2023)	Pay for gas cards, food, hygiene products, and clothing to support employment or education.	3
United Way Relief Fund (2024)	Focus on homeless youth and unhoused families; provide financial assistance for lodging on case-by-case basis and short-term lodging in Host Homes Program, allowing youths or families a place to stay to gain stabilization.	61
Family & Community Liaison (2024)	Provide financial support, gas cards, groceries, transportation, and housing or shelter searches; attend rental showings as requested; provide advocacy to help work through housing barriers such as credit issues or judgements.	35

Carver County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	34
Utilities (2023)	Pay utilities for families at risk of eviction or shutdown.	15

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage assistance (2023)	Pay mortgage for families at risk of foreclosure.	2
Local Homeless Prevention Aid (2024)	Pay rent or utilities for families at risk of eviction from rental.	27
Local Homeless Prevention Aid (2024)	Pay mortgage or utility payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	1

Cass County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing and Utilities Assistance (2023)	Help families secure housing, repair current housing, pay utilities to prevent unlivable conditions, and provide furnishings.	63
Housing and Utilities Assistance (2024)	Assist families with securing housing, repairing current housing, assist with utilities to prevent unlivable conditions, and provide furnishings.	30

Chippewa County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	26
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rental deposits and first month's rent to secure housing for families that are currently homeless.	7
Utility Assistance (2023)	Help with utilities to prevent eviction per lease agreement.	N/A
Administrative Costs (2023)	Processing of payments.	N/A
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	25
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental deposits and first month's rent to secure housing for families that are currently homeless.	21
Utility Assistance (2024)	Help with utilities to prevent eviction per lease agreement	19
Administrative Costs (2024)	Process payments.	0
Rental or Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from housing	45

Chisago County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage Assistance (2023)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction. Families now able to maintain monthly mortgage payments without this aid.	6
Rental Assistance (2023)	Assist with rent payments and required deposits to prevent families from being homeless. Family now able to maintain monthly rent payments without this aid.	3
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental. Families helped with one-time rental assistance and are now able to maintain monthly rent payments without aid.	18
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	16
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	98

Clay County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Help families at risk of eviction or in need of help gaining housing with rent, deposits, application fees for families: supported three rental assistance, six deposits, and six application fees.	15
CAPLP Outreach: Grantee (2023)	Provide outreach services to people who are experiencing homelessness to connect to housing and other resources.	116
Subgrantee: Churches United for the Homeless (2023)	Keep families from losing housing and help those experiencing homelessness find housing.	79
Outreach Services to Families and Youth Experiencing Housing Instability (2024)	 In 2024, 65 households worked with staff on the Clay County Local Homeless Prevention Aid program through CAPLP. Of those served: 26 households received direct assistance funds to remove housing barriers, aid in voucher use, prevent homelessness and secure permanent housing. 20 households received direct assistance funds for a rental deposit. 4 households received pet deposits to keep their family together. 6 households received direct assistance in the form of rental arrears payments that helped remove barriers to housing. 11 households received assistance for their first month's rent in their new apartment or rental assistance to prevent evictions. 20 of all 26 households have been assisted with application fees for rental units. Half of the 26 households that received direct assistance found permanent housing with Clay LHPA funds only. The other half were able to retain housing with prevention funds, housed on other housing programs after utilization of application fees or deposits, or are currently searching for housing. 	167

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Shelter, Case Management, and Outreach Services to Youth and Families (2024)	Families experiencing homelessness had safe shelter, nutritious meals, and other basic necessities met while a client of Churches United.	108
Housing and Resource Connection Services to Youth and Families in Moorhead Schools (2024)	Facilitate identification, enrollment, attendance, and success of students experiencing homelessness and unaccompanied. Provide immediate referrals to basic needs, including permanent housing and communication tools. Assist with prompt follow through of physical and mental health services. Provide equitable services to students experiencing homelessness in such a way that they were not isolated or stigmatized.	363

Clearwater County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	18

Cook County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
None	None	None

Cottonwood County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	1
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	4
Other Housing Assistance (2024)	None	11

Crow Wing County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent, damage deposit, or both to obtain or retain housing.	37

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Case Management, Support, and Family Outreach (2023)	Connect families with necessary services to maintain the family's stability in their homes and provide outreach to prevent eviction and obtain affordable housing.	24
Support Services to Maintain or Obtain Housing (2023)	Pay utility expenses, moving costs, application fees, pest control, and garbage service.	47
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent, damage deposit, or both to obtain or retain housing.	60
Case Management, Support, and Family Outreach (2024)	Connect families with necessary services to maintain the family's stability in their homes and provide outreach to prevent eviction and obtain affordable housing.	70
Support Services to Maintain or Obtain Housing (2024)	Pay utility expenses, moving costs, application fees, pest control, and garbage service.	42

Dakota County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
The Link Unaccompanied Youth (2023)	Provide case management and direct assistance to unaccompanied youth.	N/A

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
360 Communities Housing Navigation (2023)	360 Communities LHPA Housing Navigators provided services and flexible financial assistance to connect Dakota County families with Pre-K to 12th grade students in public schools with social services to maintain stability in their home.	16
360 Communities (2024)	360 Communities LHPA Housing Navigators provided services and flexible financial assistance to connect Dakota County families with Pre-K to 12th grade students in public schools with social services to maintain stability in their home.	294
The Link - Unaccompanied Youth (2024)	Provide case management and direct assistance to unaccompanied youth.	32

Dodge County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Motel Vouchers (2024)	Provide shelter to those experiencing homelessness in Dodge County through a motel voucher for a short period of time at the only motel in the county.	25
Affordable Housing Twin Home Build (2024)	Partner with First Homes to build a total of six two-bedroom units (three sets of twin homes). This will be built on a lot that was owned by the city of Kasson and purchased by the Dodge County Housing Trust Fund and gifted to First Homes. One pair of the twin homes will be for families with school-aged children (which these dollars will focus on), one pair for veterans, and one pair for general affordable housing. All has been recommended by the Housing Trust Fund Advisory Council and voted or approved by the county	Estimated 6-8

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	board. We're finalizing the purchase agreement with the city of Kasson. Families will receive housing case management from Minnesota County Prairie Alliance (MNPrairie). Referrals for the two units will come from the Kasson-Mantorville School District or MNPrairie/Dodge County Human Services.	

Douglas County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2023)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	6
Mortgage Assistance (2023)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	3
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent, deposit, or both for families at risk of eviction from rental.	35
Utility Assistance (2023)	Pay utilities for families at risk of losing services.	3
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	19

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	105
Utility Assistance (2024)	Pay utilities for families at risk of losing services.	74

Faribault County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage or Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay overdue mortgage or rent payments for families at risk of foreclosure or eviction.	6
Utility Assistance (2024)	Pay past due utilities for families at risk of losing housing due to disconnection notices.	14
First Month's Rent or Deposit Assistance (2024)	Pay first month's rent and deposit for families moving into new housing.	3
Application Fee Assistance (2024)	Help with rental application fees for families needing new housing.	1

Fillmore County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Rehab Assistance (2024)	Provide funding for people that cannot pay for basic needs home repairs and could potentially be homeless due to expenses.	7

Freeborn County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
None	None	None

Goodhue County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2023)	Provide housing in hotels to families who would otherwise be homeless.	21
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	27
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide housing in hotels to families who would otherwise be homeless.	1

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	50
Hotel Assistance (2024)	Pay hotel expenses for families waiting to get into permanent housing.	5

Grant County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	1
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	3
Miscellaneous (2024)	Pay electric payments to prevent eviction.	5

Hennepin County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
School to Housing Rental Assistance and Services (2023)	Funds eight school to housing programs with nine public school districts. These programs identify families with school-age children at risk of homelessness and provide rental assistance and services to maintain or achieve housing stability.	101
School to Housing Rental assistance and services (2024)	Funds eight school to housing programs with nine public school districts. These programs identify families with school-age children at risk of homelessness and provide rental assistance and services to maintain or achieve housing stability.	1,801 (471 families)
Rental Assistance to Families (2024)	Provide rental assistance to Hennepin County families with children in Pre-K to 12th grade at risk of homelessness.	686 (196 families)
TeenHope Rental Assistance (2024)	Rental assistance for homeless or at-risk youth enrolled in TeenHope (youth must receive Minnesota Family Investment Program (MFIP) support and be in school).	83 (32 families)
Fostering Youth to Independence (FYI) Voucher Services (2024)	Provide services and direct client assistance for youth eligible for a FYI housing vouchers (youth in or exiting foster care who are at-risk or experiencing homelessness).	66

Houston County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Establishing Partnership with Semcac Community Action Agency (2024)	Provide homelessness prevention and rapid rehousing.	64

Hubbard County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Hubbard County Local Homeless Aid Prevention (2023)	MAHUBE-OTWA has begun this project by building a relationship with the new homeless liaison at the Park Rapids, Nevis, and Laporte school districts. They are doing this to ensure they have a clear avenue developed to complete a housing intake assessment with those who have been identified at the school districts as being homeless. MAHUBE-OTWA has also developed monthly newsletters. First one went out December 2023. It includes information about homeless identification, education, and local housing opportunities	2
Hubbard County Local Homeless Aid Prevention (2024)	MAHUBE-OTWA has begun this project by building a relationship with the new homeless liaison at the Park Rapids, Nevis, and Laporte school districts. They are doing this to ensure they have a clear avenue developed to complete a housing intake assessment with those who have been identified at the school districts as being homeless. MAHUBE-OTWA has also developed monthly newsletters. First one went out December 2023. It includes information about homeless identification, education, and local housing opportunities	2 Households (8 individuals)

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Hubbard County Local Homeless Aid Prevention (2024)	Educate and support families in need of housing services, from emergency services for use for one-time events or long-term housing supports. Education to Mahnomen County schools about MAHUBE-OTWA services and housing opportunities for families/individuals.	40 Households (149 individuals)

Isanti County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families that are homeless or at risk of eviction.	17
Utility Assistance (2023)	Help with utilities to maintain or establish housing.	7
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	6
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	62

Itasca County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2023)	Provide housing in homeless shelter to families that would otherwise be homeless.	49
Transitional housing (2024)	Provide housing in homeless shelter to families who would otherwise be homeless.	49
Support or Case Management (2024)	Provide support and case management to improve housing stability.	163
Support or Case Management (2024)	Provide support and navigation for those who reach out to First Call for Help after hours.	222
Rental or Mortgage assistance (2024)	Pay rent & necessities for families at risk of eviction or foreclosure.	289
Utilities Assistance (2024)	Pay utility arrears for families at risk of eviction or foreclosure	104

Jackson County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	4

Minnesota Department of Revenue

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Other (2024)	Other.	2

Kanabec County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Help with rent payments and required deposits to prevent families from being homeless. Family is now able to maintain their monthly rental payment.	13
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental. Families helped with one-time rental assistance are now able to maintain monthly rental payments.	7
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	9
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	60

Kandiyohi County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Kandi - Rental assistance (2023)	Pay rent to retain housing.	2
Kandi - Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent to retain housing.	26
Kandi - Garbage Service (2024)	Pay garbage to retain services.	3
Kandi - Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payment to retain housing.	4
Kandi - Utilities (2024)	Pay utilities to retain services.	7
UCAP Rental Assistance Program (2024)	United Community Action Program provided rental assistance, deposits, utilities and support services for children and their families in Kandiyohi County. Their program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	81

Kittson County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	9

Koochiching County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	3
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	2
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	6

Lac Qui Parle County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	11

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Utility Assistance (2023)	Pay utilities for families at risk of eviction for non-payment of utilities.	8
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rental deposits and first month's rent to secure housing for families that are homeless.	5
Administrative Costs (2023)	Process payments.	0
Rental assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	17
Utility Assistance (2024)	Pay utilities for families at risk of eviction for non-payment of utilities.	25
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental deposits and first month rent to secure housing for families that are currently homeless.	10
Administrative Costs (2024)	Process payments.	N/A

Lake County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Support Guide Magnets (2024)	Contain contact information for several types of support.	1,000 magnets made
Utilities (2024)	Pay utilities to assist with keeping family home.	5
Rental assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	5
Councilor (2024)	Provide support for students with poor mental health, substance misuse, and homelessness.	250
Homeless Prevention Kits (2024)	Kits contain basic clothing, hygiene products, water bottle, snacks, blanket, towel, etc.	100 kits made
Transportation (2024)	Provide bus passes and mileage reimbursement	9

Lake of the Woods County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	5

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Property Tax Assistance (2023)	Provide tax assistance to families at risk of homelessness due to property tax forfeiture.	5
Case Management (2024)	Provide support and case management services to families needing assistance	17
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide transitional housing to families who would otherwise be homeless.	2
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	12
Utility Assistance (2024)	Provide utilities payment assistance to families in transition to new housing.	10

Le Sueur County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Back Rent (2023)	Provide aid for residents with eviction notices for back rent due.	17
Utilities (2023)	Pay back due utilities to maintain housing.	9

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Provide aid for deposit and first month's rent for homeless residents of Le Sueur County.	7
Staff Salary to Implement Program (2023)	Staff salary.	0
Back Rent (2024)	Provide aid for residents with eviction notices for back rent due.	12
Utilities (2024)	Pay back utility bills to maintain housing when risk of eviction or homelessness.	7
Rental assistance (2024)	Provide aid for deposit and 1st month rent for homeless resident of Le Sueur County.	9
Staff Salary (2024)	Staff salary to implement program, approve applications, and file claims for payment.	0

Lincoln County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and	8

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	

Lyon County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	84

Mahnomen County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mahnomen County Local Homeless Aid Prevention (2023)	MAHUBE-OTWA has begun this project by building a relationship with the new homeless liaison at the Mahnomen School district. They are doing this to ensure they have a clear avenue developed to complete housing intake assessments with those who have been identified at the school district as being homeless.	4

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	MAHUBE-OTWA has also developed monthly newsletters. First one went out December 2023. It includes information about homeless identification, education, and local housing opportunities.	
	MAHUBE-OTWA Local Homeless staff attended the Mahnomen Collaborative meeting in December 2023and shared about emergency service housing options along with pathways towards stabilization that we can support.	

Marshall County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
MAHUBE-OTWA Community Action Partnership (2024)	Educate and support families in need of housing services, from emergency services for use for one-time events or long-term housing supports. Provide education to Mahnomen County schools about MAHUBE-OTWA services and housing opportunities for families and individuals.	18 Households
MAHUBE-OTWA Community Action Partnership (2024)	Educate and support families in need of housing services, from emergency services for use for one-time events or long-term housing supports. Provide education to Mahnomen County schools about MAHUBE-OTWA services and housing opportunities for families and individuals.	19 Households (63 individuals)

Marshall County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Homelessness Prevention - Funds Issued to Tri-Valley Opportunity Council (2024)	Tri-Valley Opportunity Council works with schools to identify and prevent homelessness in homes with children. Funds were used for mortgage payments, rent deposits, and delinquent property taxes	15

Martin County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide temporary shelter in a local motel for homeless families.	4
Mortgage or Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay overdue mortgage or rent payments for families at risk of foreclosure or eviction.	96
Utility Assistance (2024)	Pay past-due utilities for families at risk of losing housing due to disconnection notices.	52
First Month's Rent and Deposit Assistance (2024)	Pay first month's rent and deposit for families moving into new housing.	22
Application Fee Assistance (2024)	Help with rental application fees for families needing new housing.	3

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Case Manager Training and Expenses (2024)	Homeless conference costs.	0
Administration (2024)	Staffing cost.	N/A

McLeod County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
McLeod LHPA Program (2023)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	14
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	87

Meeker County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Meeker LHPA Program (2023)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	8
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	19

Mille Lacs County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transportation (2023)	Provide vehicle repairs or insurance to help clients with transportation needs.	5
Shelter or Rent Assistance (2023)	Provide shelter, deposit, or rental assistance.	8
Utilities (2023)	Help pay utilities to keep housing.	4

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Food (2023)	Help clients with emergency food after housing transition.	2
Staffing (2023)	Provide staffing needs to help homeless population.	12
Shelter (2024)	Provide rent or deposits, mortgage assistance, or temporary shelter.	110
Utilities (2024)	Pay utilities for at-risk families.	44
Transportation (2024)	Assist with transportation for at-risk families.	23
Food or Basic needs (2024)	Provide food or other basic needs to at risk families.	37
Staff Time (2024)	Staff time working with at-risk families.	156

Morrison County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
MCHHS Local Homeless Prevention Aid (2024)	Support children, youths, and families in the child welfare, PSOP, child protection systems by reducing barriers for stable housing, willing to develop a budget, has a utilities shut off or is shut off creating risk for family, assist with stable housing for reunification of families.	5 families
Landlord Mitigation Funding and Oasis Central MN (2024)	Develop program to help those with barriers enter into rental agreements, rapid rehousing, and case management services.	26

Mower County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	33
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	3

Murray County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	23

Nicollet County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Services (2023)	Provide housing services such as rent, security deposits, and fees to prevent homelessness.	127
Case Management (2023)	Staff time to coordinate services to prevent homelessness.	N/A
Housing Services (2024)	Provide housing services such as rent, security deposits, and fees to prevent homelessness.	207
Case Management (2024)	Staff time to coordinate services to prevent homelessness.	N/A

Nobles County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2023)	Provide free housing in HRA buildings to families who would otherwise be homeless.	3
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	2
Contract UCAP (2023)	Administrative or support services.	0
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	154
Homeless Prevention (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	14
Nobles County Homeless Prevention (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	18

Norman County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
None	None	None

Olmsted County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Shelter (2023)	Pay for hotels through HRA.	129
Rental Assistance and Emergency Assistance (2023)	Pay past due rent, security deposits, rental applications, and moving costs.	18
Hope (2023)	Social workers who work with schools.	141
Shelter (2023)	Pay for hotels through the county.	11
Transportation (2023)	Help individuals with transportation.	50
Hope (2023)	Colored pencils – "Olmsted County HOPE."	500

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Hope (2023)	Stylus pens.	500
Hope (2023)	Laundromat costs.	6
Hope (2023)	ID for client for housing renewal.	1
Transitional housing (2024)	Pay for hotels thru HRA.	129
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay past due rent, security deposits, rental applications, and moving costs.	122
Hope (2024)	Social workers who work with schools	141
Transitional housing (2024)	Pay for hotels through the county.	128
Transportation (2024)	Assist individuals with transportation.	50
Hope (2024)	Colored pencils – "Olmsted County HOPE."	500
Hope (2024)	Stylus pens.	500
Hope (2024)	Laundromat costs	6
Hope (2024)	ID for client for housing renewal.	1

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Contracted Services (2024)	Family Promise operations for family shelter serving families experiencing homelessness.	36
Contracted Services (2024)	Goodwill Easter Seals career navigator to work with families to increase household income.	17
Hope (2024)	Social workers who work with schools.	239
Olmsted Outreach (2024)	Acts for Kids qualified families that were helped through the Home to Stay Program.	21
Hope (2024)	Payments on behalf of clients for birth certificate, bus ticket, moving expenses, application fees, and utilities.	22

Otter Tail County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Otter Tail County - Local Homeless Aid Prevention - MAHUBE-OTWA Community Action Partnership (2024)	Educate and support families in need of housing services, from emergency services for use for one-time events or long-term housing supports. Education to Otter Tail County schools about MAHUBE-OTWA services and housing opportunities for families/individuals.	54 Households (186 individuals)

Pennington County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Help family in transition of finding more permanent housing.	3

Pine County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Motel Housing and Assistance with Housing Search and Case Management (2023)	One household found permanent housing with assistance of aid and housing case management services.	9
Mortgage Assistance (2023)	Helped one household with one-time mortgage assistance, and household was able to pay mortgage without additional assistance.	7
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	53
Rental Assistance (One-Time Support and Ongoing) (2024)	Pay rent and back rent for families at risk of eviction from rental; a handful of families received ongoing monthly support for a limited time until their circumstances improved, and they could return to work full-time (high risk pregnant mother).	3

Pipestone County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
None	None	None

Polk County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	10
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental support for families at risk of eviction from rental.	10
Grantee: Tri-Valley Housing Support or Homeless Prevention (2024)	Provide outreach and support to homeless families seeking housing and prevention services to families who are at risk of homelessness. Pay rent, utilities, deposits, and other housing related costs to prevent homelessness.	41
Housing Assistance (2024)	Provide outreach and support to homeless families seeking housing and prevention services to families who are at risk of homelessness. Pay rent, utilities, deposits, and other housing related costs to prevent homelessness.	35

Pope County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	3
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	4
Miscellaneous (2024)	Pay electric bills to prevent eviction.	1

Ramsey County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Family Overflow Shelter and Warming Centers Emerald Inn - Vouchers (2023)	Navigation and prevention.	106
Youth Shelter LSS Staff and Operations (2023)	Navigation and prevention.	36
St. Paul Public School Social Work Program Staff (2023)	Pay staff for case management for homeless families seeking income and housing stability.	12
Youth Advisory Board (YAB) (2023)	Pay stipends and food for Youth Advisory Board Meetings and Community Conversations.	70

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Families Succeed (2024)	Case management and direct assistance for homeless families, in collaboration with the St. Paul Public Schools.	46
Family Overflow Shelter and Warming Centers Emerald Inn - Vouchers (2024)	Provide emergency shelter for homeless families.	469
Family Service Center (2024)	Provide emergency shelter for homeless families.	1,398
Housing Court (2024)	Provide legal services and support for homeless families in Ramsey County Housing Court.	861
Housing Court (2024)	Provide legal services and support for homeless families in Ramsey County Housing Court.	533
NorthStar Youth Outreach Center (2024)	Drop-in and services for homeless youth.	377
Pathways to Home (2024)	Case management and direct assistance for homeless youth, in collaboration with Face to Face.	60
Safe House Emergency Shelter (2024)	Transition house for homeless youth.	89
SafeZone (2024)	Drop-in and services for homeless youth.	397

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Survey Translations (2024)	Prevention.	N/A
Youth Advisory Board (YAB) (2024)	Pay stipends and food for Youth Advisory Board Meetings and Community Conversations.	N/A
Youth Warming Center (2024)	Warming center site for homeless youth during the winter months.	25
Youth Warming Center (2024)	Warming center site, staff, and services for homeless youth during the winter months.	4,597

Red Lake County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Obtain or retain appropriate housing for the household experiencing or at risk of experiencing homelessness.	14
Support and Case Management Services (2024)	Provide supportive services to help households obtain or retain appropriate housing.	34

Redwood County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
LHPA Rental Assistance Program (2024)	The LHPA program prevents or reduces the length of homelessness for children and their families by providing rental or other financial assistance and supportive services. The program measures families' progress over time in a variety of areas including housing stability, employment, etc.	56

Renville County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage and Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	N/A
Other Direct Assistance (2023)	Provide other direct assistance to families at risk of homelessness.	N/A
Case Management Support (2023)	Provide supportive services to improve housing stability and connecting families with mainstream benefits.	N/A
Mortgage and Rental assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	N/A
Case Management Support and Administrative (2024)	Provide supportive services to improve housing stability and connecting families with mainstream benefits	N/A

Rice County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Payment Assistance (2023)	Provided housing payment assistance and support to families with children meeting eligibility requirements who are currently homeless or at risk of experiencing homelessness.	29
Housing Payment Assistance (2024)	Provided housing payment assistance and support to families with children meeting eligibility requirements who are currently homeless or at risk of experiencing homelessness.	197

Rock County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance, Mortgage Assistance, Transitional Housing, and Property Tax Assistance (2024)	Rock County turned over their Local Housing Prevention Aid to the Southwest Minnesota Opportunity Council to distribute the funds.	N/A

Roseau County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	16

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Household Assistance (2024)	Help with basic household items to families at risk of eviction or homelessness.	8

St. Louis County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
HDC (2023)	Provide supportive services and outreach to young people ages 18-24 who are unhoused to obtain and then maintain housing.	5
Life House (2023)	Provide supportive services and outreach to young people ages 18-24 who are unhoused to obtain and then maintain housing.	7
Divine Konnections (2023)	Provide supportive services and housing to young BIPOC families, including rental assistance and tenancy sustaining or eviction prevention services.	3
Lutheran Social Services (2023)	Provide supportive services to young people in shelter and transitional housing to obtain housing stability.	9
HDC (2024)	Provide supportive services and outreach to young people ages 18 - 24 who are unhoused to obtain and then maintain housing.	65
Life House (2024)	Provide supportive services and outreach to young people ages 18 - 24 who are unhoused to obtain and then maintain housing.	37

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Divine Konnections (2024)	Provide supportive services and housing to young BIPOC families including rental assistance and tenancy sustaining or eviction prevention services.	42
Lutheran Social Services (2024)	Provide supportive services to young people in shelter and transitional housing to obtain housing stability.	34

Scott County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
HHS Direct Assistance - CP/CW/PSOP (2023)	Provide homelessness prevention assistance to households working with Child Protection Services, Child Welfare Services, and the Parent Support Outreach Program.	30
SVA Direct Assistance (2023)	Contracted service provider, Southern Valley Alliance, provides direct homelessness prevention assistance to families working with their agency that have been impacted by domestic violence.	16
HHS Direct Assistance - CP/CW/PSOP (2024)	Provide homelessness prevention assistance to households working with Child Protection Services, Child Welfare Services, and the Parent Support Outreach Program	63
The Link Support (Passageways) (2024)	Assistance to support The Link in purchasing their Passageways site	N/A

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
SVA Direct Assistance (2024)	Contracted service provider, Southern Valley Alliance (SVA), provides direct homelessness prevention assistance to families working with their agency that have been impacted by domestic violence.	35
Shelter Coordination Services (2024)	Contracted service provider provides shelter assistance and services to families who would otherwise be homeless.	14

Sherburne County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Application Fees (2023)	Pay housing application fees for families in need of stable housing.	2
Damage Deposit (2023)	Pay damage deposit for families to secure housing.	21
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	11
Household Essentials (2023)	Pay for household items that are essential for families housing stability (includes utility costs and moving expenses).	3
Shelter Stays (2023)	Pay for hotel stays needed for emergency shelter options.	1

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Keeping Families Together (2023)	Contracted services for families being served in the child protection or child welfare system who are currently homeless or in need of homeless prevention services.	10
Housing Supervision (2023)	Funding allocated to support housing supervisor position to monitor LHPA funding.	10
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	49
Security Deposit (2024)	Pay security deposits for families at risk of homelessness. Help families obtain housing.	13
Application Fees for Rental Housing Units (2024)	Help cover application fees for families to obtain housing.	5
Household Essentials (2024)	Pay for household items that are essentials for families housing stability (includes utility costs and moving expenses).	6
Expungement Related Costs, Including Filing Fees and Attorney Fees (2024)	Assist with legal fees for evictions.	2
Keeping Families Together (2024)	Contracted services for families being served in the child protection/child welfare system who are currently homeless or in need of homeless prevention services.	34

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Social Worker Position (2024)	Staff time for housing social worker working with families being served by LHPA.	N/A
Housing Supervision (2024)	Support housing supervisor position to monitor LHPA funding.	N/A
Utility Setup Costs (2024)	Offset utility costs for housing.	2

Sibley County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Mortgage Assistance (2023)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	16
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent and past due utility bills for families at risk of eviction from rental.	19
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	14
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent and past due utility bills for families at risk of eviction from rental.	27

Stearns County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Staff Outreach (2023)	Stearns County formed a relationship with St. Cloud School District 742 to help families experiencing homelessness and families at risk of homelessness. The Stearns County outreach social workers meet weekly with the Homeless Liaisons at ISD 742 to review referrals and coordinate services for families. Stearns County has also started forming relationships with the rural school districts and has a goal of growing those relationships in the coming year.	332
Housing Support (Rent, Security Deposits) (2023)	Stearns County outreach social workers have specific days dedicated to work in-person at our local emergency shelter, Place of Hope. Our outreach social workers are available to work with any of our families that request our assistance. Our outreach social workers have helped many families move out of emergency shelters and into safe and affordable independent housing. Stearns County started a Housing Court in September 2023. Stearns County outreach social workers receive referrals from Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid and have been able to prevent several families from losing their homes and having evictions on their record that would prevent them from getting future housing.	146
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Housing Support (Rent, Security Deposits) (2024)	Stearns County outreach social workers have specific days dedicated to working in-person at our local Emergency Shelter, Place of Hope. Our outreach social workers are available to work with any of our families that	283

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	request our assistance. Our outreach social workers have assisted many families to move out of Emergency Shelters and into safe and affordable independent housing.	
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Steele County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Hotel Shelter Vouchers (2023)	Provide shelter for those who are experiencing homelessness in our county.	11
Hotel Shelter Vouchers (2024)	Provide shelter for those who are experiencing homelessness in our county.	11
Hotel Shelter Vouchers (2024)	Provide shelter for those who are experiencing homelessness in our county.	49
Rachel's Light (2024)	Shelter and programming for women and children facing homelessness to find and sustain permanent housing. Program support started December 2024.	11

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Eviction Prevention Program (Steele County Transitional Housing) (2024)	Provides one-time financial assistance to households facing an eviction due to a temporary inability to pay rent, helping prevent eviction and homelessness. Program support started in 2024.	145
Deposit Assistance Program (Steele County Transitional Housing) (2024)	Provides one-time financial assistance to cover damage deposits, removing a barrier to housing stability for households transitioning out of homelessness. Program support started December 2024	39

Stevens County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for a family at risk of being homeless.	5
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for a family at risk of being homeless.	4

Swift County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	10
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	15

Todd County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Family Assistance (2023)	Pay rent, mortgage, and utilities for eligible families at risk of losing their housing or in need of new housing.	85
Family Assistance (2024)	Paying rent, mortgage, and utilities for eligible families at risk of losing their housing or in need of new housing.	410

Traverse County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Individual Family (2024)	Grandmother raising a physically disabled granddaughter. No heat in the home would have eventually resulted in a CP issue with the child and unable to inhabit.	2
Individual Family (2024)	Disabled father and minor daughter, the rent increase was unsustainable until we were able to get HRA to help going forward.	2
Individual Family (2024)	Married couple with 3 children, family has a newborn so is out of work and husband recently had a medical issue that unexpectantly put him out of work for over a month. Housing is barely within their means when everyone is healthy, this allowed them to not get behind on payments of utilities and mortgage.	5
Individual Family (2024)	Unaccompanied minor who was previously in foster care and needed to secure housing.	1
Individual Family (2024)	Household of 3, mom on maternity leave but hasn't been at job long enough to get paid medical or qualify for FMLA. Fell short with the costs of a newborn	3
Individual Family (2024)	Single father of 4, 3 are biological children and 1 is his ex-wife's child. Recently attained custody of all 4 children due to struggles the mother is facing. Had to secure a larger place to live and adjust his expenses and spending to accommodate the expenses of having 4 children in the home.	5

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Individual Family (2024)	Recently purchased a home and wife is not currently employed. Hot water heater went out and they did not have the extra cash to replace it. 2 children in the household.	4

Wabasha County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Homeless Prevention or Payment Assistance (2023)	Assist families at risk of eviction or homelessness who pay more than 50% of their income for rent.	20
Homeless Prevention Case Management (2023)	Pay Three Rivers for LHPA program coordination and execution.	20
Rental Assistance (2024)	Provide deposit or first month's rent and subsidy to family to move out of homelessness.	4
Rental Assistance (2024)	Prevent overcrowded housing situation and provide stable housing.	4
Rental Assistance (2024)	Assist client who is paying more than 50% of their income for rent	2

Wadena County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent, rental deposits, and utility deposits for families at risk of eviction from rental, or who are homeless and establishing new rental. Paying these expenses allows the family to use personal income to cover other expenditures, relieving some of the financial burden, and reducing risk of homelessness.	12
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent, rental deposits, rental application fees, utilities, and utility deposits for families at risk of eviction from rental, or who are homeless and establishing new rental. Paying these expenses allows the family to use personal income to cover other expenditures, relieving some of the financial burden, reducing risk of homelessness.	66

Waseca County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Temporary Housing Assistance (2024)	Provide hotel vouchers.	25
Bethlehem Inn After Care Program (2024)	Women and their children.	50

Washington County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
FHPAP Coordinator (2023)	Manage the county's Family Homeless Prevention and Assistance Program, which serves 53% family households that are homeless or at risk of homelessness. This project impacts eligible families by providing direct assistance funds to prevent eviction as well as rapid rehousing subsidies to help families coming out of homelessness become stably housed.	160 families (672 people based on an average family size of 4.2)
Community Service Navigators - Four Half-Time Employees (2023)	Community Services Navigators provide point of access services (phone, email, or walk-in) to the public to help them with a specific need or help them get connected to programs and benefits they may not be aware of but are eligible for, or reporting needs that those programs could address.	5,636
Supervision for Community Service Navigators (2023)	Supervise and direct Community Service Navigator staff. This position impacts the target population by ensuring they get their concerns and needs addressed within the Community Services Department.	5,636 (indirectly from supervising)
Emergency Assistance Screening for FHPAP (2023)	Washington County used the Greater Twin Cities United Way as a service to field requests for housing assistance. This allowed families a simplified access point for all the eviction prevention providers in the county.	211 families (890 individuals based on average family size of 4.2)
Aid to School Districts (2023)	Prevent McKinney Vento families from eviction, secured short-term shelter, provide auto repairs to maintain employment, and pay housing application fees.	62
Direct Assistance to Families (2023)	Helped families experiencing housing instability with children enrolled in Washington County schools by providing essential furnishings, auto repairs,	47 families (197 individuals based on 4.2

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	food, gas, and clothing to support them in maintaining or obtaining stable housing.	average family size)
Direct Assistance to Families (Accounting Functions) (2023)	Provide accounting staff time to issue checks for LHPA requests promptly due to the time sensitive nature of some requests.	47
Aid to School Districts (2024)	Prevent McKinney Vento families from eviction, secure short-term shelter, provide auto repairs to maintain employment, and pay housing application fees.	151
Case Aide 0.5 FTE Emergency Family Program Navigation (2024)	Help households apply for emergency assistance programs. This position worked closely with Economic Supports to determine eligibility. 50% of these households were families.	1,180 (average household size of 3.7)
Community Service Navigators - 2 FTEs (2024)	Community Services Navigators provide phone, email, or walk -in services to connect the public with county programs, including public benefits, and resources for those facing housing instability.	11,356
Coordinated Entry Assessments for Families (2024)	Provide to local non-profit to complete coordinated entry assessments for families who meet the HUD definition of homelessness.	30 (6 households)
Direct Assistance to Families (2024)	Provide families with children enrolled in Washington County schools experiencing housing instability with essential furnishings, auto repairs, food, gas, and clothing to maintain or obtain stable housing.	640 (average household size of 3.7)

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Direct Assistance to Families (Accounting Functions) (2024)	Provide accounting staff time to support issuing checks for LHPA requests promptly due to the time sensitive nature of the requests.	640 (average household size of 3.7)
Emergency Assistance Screening for FHPAP (2024)	Washington County used the Greater Twin Cities United Way as a service to field requests for housing assistance. This impacted families by allowing them a simplified access point for all the eviction prevention providers in the County.	1,703
Family Shelter Overflow (2024)	Provide overflow emergency shelter for families working with a local family shelter provider.	13 (4 households)
FHPAP Coordinator (2024)	Oversee the Family Homeless Prevention and Assistance Program (FHPAP), which serves 53% of family households that are homeless or at risk of homelessness. Programs include prevention assistance funds and rapid rehousing subsidies.	764 (based on average household size of 4.2)
Planning Grant Match for Regional Homeless Planning (2024)	Support the Suburban Metro Area Continuum of Care (SMAC) for the planning and coordination of HUD homeless programs and Coordinated Entry. Number indicates number of permanent supportive housing beds available to families experiencing homelessness in Washington County.	258 (9 family WC housing projects)

Watonwan County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
LHPA Program Administration (2023)	Provide intake, resource information, and other information.	8
Rental Assistance (2023)	Help with deposit, first month's rent, and utilities.	1
Rental Assistance (2023)	Help with first and last months' rent.	6
LHPA Administration (2024)	Provide intake, information, and resources.	41
Utilities (2024)	Pay utilities to maintain housing.	9
LPHA (2024)	Pay rental deposits or first and last months' rent for stabilization and access.	41
LHPA (2024)	Pay utilities for stable housing.	2

Wilkin County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Housing Stability (2023)	Connect families with the social services necessary to maintain the families' stability in their homes, such as housing navigation, legal representation, and family outreach. Provide support and case management services to improve housing stability, such as housing navigation and family outreach. Target unaccompanied youth in need of an alternative residential setting.	2
Target families with children who are eligible for a Pre-Kindergarten through grade 12 academic program and are one of the following: • Living in overcrowded conditions in their current housing • Paying more than 50% of their income for rent • Lacking a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence (2023)	Help fund Lakes & Prairies Community Action Partnership (CAPLP) Homework Starts with Home housing program, which helps families with kids in school connect with housing and other resources. This helped one family that was experiencing homelessness and sleeping in their vehicle. The child in the household was couch-hopping and staying with friends as much as they could. We connected them with housing services, and they found a local landlord willing to rent to them. They were approved and are now housed. CAPLP helped them find furniture for their new home including couches, tables, chairs, bedding, etc. We were even able to get them a donated Christmas tree to help them feel welcomed in their new home. They are now enrolled with Homework Starts with Home and will receive ongoing rental assistance and supportive services to support them and maintain their housing. Funding for this family was used to provide a deposit, utility deposit, and first month's rent through Wilkin County Local Homeless Prevention aid. Two families were at risk of becoming homeless and were facing eviction. We used the funding received for rent and utility assistance to help them get back on track with their housing payments. One family will be exiting CAPLP services as they are not in need of ongoing assistance. We helped the other family apply for Section 8 aid as they needed additional financial assistance to pay for their housing. This funding allowed the household to maintain their housing while we walked them through the Section 8 process. Moving forward, they will receive Section 8 aid for their housing and will likely be	12

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
	connected with additional housing services through Housing Stabilization Services program. For all households, we provided resources and referrals such as food vouchers, connection to utility assistance, landlord or tenant mediation, etc.	
Rental or Mortgage Assistance (2023)	HHS may provide rental assistance to prevent eviction or obtain housing when other funding sources have been exhausted.	16
Utility (2023)	Maintain housing.	4
Housing Deposit (2023)	Obtain housing.	3
Utilities (2024)	To stay in housing.	6
Housing Application and Deposit (2024)	Become housed.	3
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	9
Mortgage Assistance or Rental Assistance (2024)	HHS may provide rental assistance to prevent eviction or obtain housing when other funding sources have been exhausted.	6
Deposits (2024)	To obtain housing.	6

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Exterminator (2024)	Treat for bed bugs to prevent eviction.	6

Winona County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Transitional Housing (2023)	Provide temporary free motel room to families who would otherwise be homeless.	8
Rental Assistance (2023)	Provide rental assistance to families at risk of eviction from rental home.	62
Transitional Housing (2024)	Provide temporary free motel rooms to families who would otherwise be homeless.	23
Rental Assistance (2024)	Provide rental assistance to families at risk of eviction from rental home.	151
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Provide mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	8

Wright County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	34
Mortgage Assistance (2024)	Pay mortgage payments for families at risk of foreclosure and eviction.	18
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	47

Yellow Medicine County

Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Rental Assistance (2023)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	4
Administrative Fees (2023)	Processing payments.	N/A
Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rent for families at risk of eviction from rental.	4
Utility Assistance (2024)	Pay utilities for families at risk of eviction for nonpayment of utilities.	8

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Program (Year)	Assessment	Number of People Served
Deposit or Rental Assistance (2024)	Pay rental deposits and first month rent to secure housing for families that are currently homeless.	13
Administrative Costs (2024)	Process payments.	N/A