

MAYOR PETE BUTTIGIEG (D-IN) HOUSING PLAN



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OUR HOMES, OUR VOTES: 2020 is a non-partisan campaign designed to raise the profile of affordable housing with 2020 presidential candidates and with voters.

MAYOR PETE BUTTIGIEG (D-IN), a 2020 presidential candidate, has released key proposals and goals to address the affordable housing crisis.

MAYOR PETE BUTTIGIEG'S AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROPOSAL INCLUDES:

- Invest \$150 billion over ten years in the national Housing Trust Fund to support the construction, maintenance, and operation of 1.4 million affordable homes for people with the greatest need--plus invest in an additional state or local match.
- Includes a directive to the department of Treasury and HUD to collaborate with state housing financing agencies to ensure strong HTF investments in "rural and native housing, housing for domestic violence survivors, and housing for individuals with disabilities."
- Increase investment in Low Income Housing Tax Credit by 50% over 5 years to construct over half a million new, affordable housing units.
- Invest up to \$50 billion to modernize and repair public housing and ensure that local public housing authorities monitor and eliminate lead hazards.
- Address homelessness for families with children through a series of initiatives such as emergency rental assistance, rapid-rehousing, tenant education, cooperative housing development, and code enforcement.
- Increase the supply of affordable housing by building and restoring over 2 million more units for low-income Americans.
- Expanding federal protections for tenants against eviction.
- Providing a new "Homeownership Fund" pilot to cities to support residents with less than the area median income or residents of any historically redlined or racially-segregated area.

**The National Low Income Housing Coalition's (NLIHC's) Our Homes, Our Votes 2020 project is a nonpartisan voter and candidate engagement effort. NLIHC does not endorse any candidate for public office or their plans and proposals.*

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