



**Housing Zoom  
Friday, December 17, 2021  
VIA ZOOM  
10 a.m.**

1. Welcome/Agenda Review
2. Melissa Hatfield - Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program

STATE

3. Community Toolbox Bill LSR 2888 SUPPORT
  - a. Prime: Jeb Bradley. Cosponsors: Lou D'Allesandro, David Watters, Donna Soucy, Karen Umberger, Marjorie Porter, Joe Sweeney, Kevin Avard, Charlotte DiLorenzo, Jay Kahn, Kevin Cavanaugh, Tom Sherman, Joe Alexander, Cindy Rosenwald, Erin Hennessey, Suzanne Prentiss, Rebecca Whitley, Rebecca Perkins Kwoka
4. [Housing Appeals Board](#)
  - a. HB 1216 OPPOSE
  - b. HB 1307 OPPOSE
  - c. HB 1254 OPPOSE
5. ARPA funding for Housing Production
  - a. [\\$100 million requested in NH](#)

STATE	INVESTMENT	USE OF FUNDING
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Maine	\$115.5 million	Governor Mills and the Maine legislature allocated \$50 million to build more affordable workforce housing and \$50 million for home energy efficiency upgrades for renters and low-income seniors. Additionally, Maine allocated \$10 million to support homeless shelters and \$1.5 million to support housing navigators.
Vermont	\$99 million	Governor Scott proposed \$249 million for housing. Vermont's legislature approved \$94 million in Fiscal Recovery Funds to provide housing and increase shelter capacity. Their FY22 budget also provides \$5 million for the Vermont Housing Incentive Program.
Massachusetts	\$600 million	Governor Baker proposed \$1 billion for housing. The Massachusetts legislature has approved: \$150 million for Supportive Housing Production; \$150 million for Public Housing Maintenance; \$100 million for Homeownership Assistance to help first-time homebuyers; \$100 million for Commonwealth Builder Program to build new affordable homeownership opportunities; \$100 million for Affordable Housing Production

6. <https://housingactionnh.org/housing-action-nh-legislative-tracking/> Housing Action NH Bill tracker

#### FEDERAL

7. [Senate Finance Version of Build Back Better](#) - delay likely
  - a. \$150 billion for affordable housing and community development
    - i. LIHTC expansion and improvements
    - ii. Public Housing
    - iii. Vouchers (+ 900 households)
    - iv. [National Housing Trust Fund](#)
8. Next Zoom Friday, January 14, 2021.