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Welcome & Overview



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What Influencers are Saying...



- “Local media is very important. I would encourage any visibility to get press on the fact that people really probably don't know that the HEROES Act has rental assistance in it.” – **House Speaker Nancy Pelosi**

- “So we have to pass this bill now... And I am asking all of you to join us...But basically we can't afford to wait.” - **Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-NY)**

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CALL TO ACTION



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House Passes the “HEROES Resources and P

Thanks to your powerful and effective advocacy, the House voted today to approve the “Health and Economic Solutions (HEROES) Act,” which includes NLIHC resources to ensure stability during and after the coronavirus pandemic for homelessness and America’s lowest-income and most marginalized people.

The HEROES Act provides \$200 billion in housing and homelessness resources, including:



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Dear DHRC members and partners,

Thank you to everyone who attended today’s national call with Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-NY)! As he said, “\$100 billion in rental assistance is absolutely essential. We cannot afford to wait.” **We thank Senator Minority Leader Schumer for securing \$12 billion in housing resources in the**

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OPINION GUEST OPINIONS

As COVID-19 continues its economic upheaval, affordable housing is becoming scarce

At a time when our collective health depends on p
clearer that housing *is* healthcare.

By Tara Rollins and Diane Yentel, Contributor | May 14, 2020, 2

COVID CRISIS

Why We Need Rent Relief Now

Renters, Landlords Hurt by Pandemic's Fallout Face Financial Cliff

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Opinion Letters to the Editor ZZ-oped

LETTERS: Congress must provide emergency rental assistance to protect Coloradans during Pandemic

By **Cathy Alderman**, Letter to the Editor - June 3, 2020

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EDITOR: From where I stand, the economic fallout of the COVID-19 pandemic threatens to significantly exacerbate housing instability and homelessness throughout our state and nationally. Congress must take bold action by including emergency rental assistance in the next coronavirus-response package.

1 a much-needed eviction and foreclosure moratorium bill, providing an important afely in their homes through the state of emergency. This strong legislation put f [Eviction Lab's COVID-19 Housing Policy Scorecard](#), which measures each state's ies throughout the public health crisis.

housing community do during this pause will be the real measure of long-term ve a short period of time to ensure that renters and homeowners do not face a um ends.

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in just a few short weeks and rent already past due for many, preventing this cliff is personal health of each household and to the financial health and stability of the

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<https://nlihc.org/rentreliefnow-social-media-toolkit>



My Family's Health Can't Wait!

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