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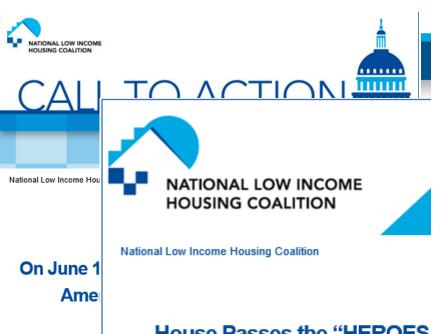
What Influencers are Saying...

- "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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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

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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GUEST OPINIONS OPINION

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

At a time when our collective health depends on p COVID CRISIS clearer that housing is healthcare. Why We Need Rent Relief Now

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

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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 coronavirusresponse 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.

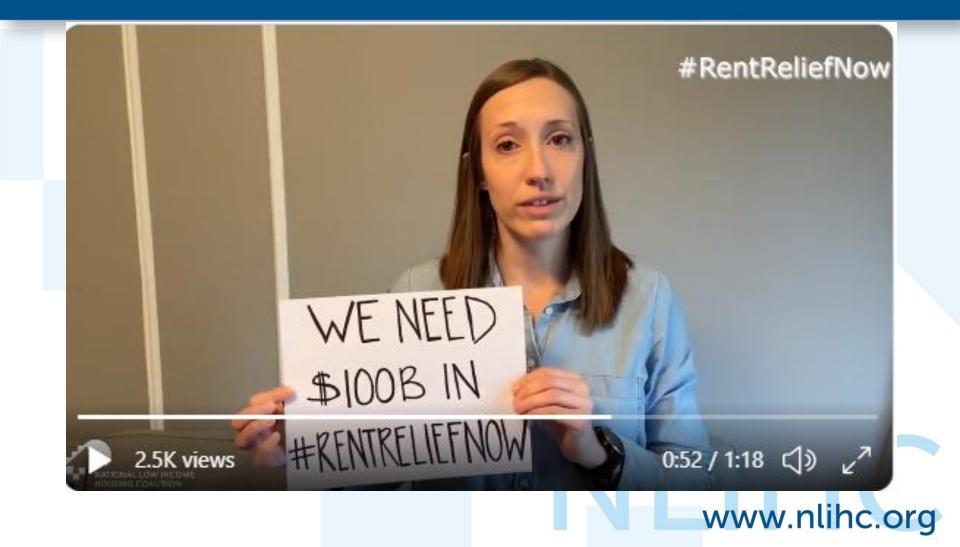
housing community do during this pause will be the real measure of long-term ve a short period of time to ensure that renters and homeowners do not face a um ends.

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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