



NATIONAL LOW INCOME
HOUSING COALITION

Coronavirus and Housing/Homelessness

Hosted by NLHHC and the
Disaster Housing Recovery Coalition

July 27, 2020

Agenda



Guest Speaker

- Senator Patty Murray (D-WA)

HUD Updates

- Janet Golrick, HUD
- Jessie Handforth Kome, HUD

Field Updates

- Eric Burmeister, Polk County Housing Trust Fund
- Howard Belodoff, Idaho Legal Aid Services

Congressional Action on Next Emergency Spending Bill

- Sarah Saadian, NLIHC
- Joey Lindstrom, NLIHC
- Lisa Marlow, NLIHC

Next Steps

Welcome & Overview



Paul Kealey

Chief Operating Officer

National Low Income Housing
Coalition

pkealey@nlihc.org

www.nlihc.org

Guest Speaker



Senator Patty Murray

Washington

United States Senate

NLIHC
www.nlihc.org

HUD Updates



Janet Golrick

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for
Grant Programs*

Jessie Handforth Kome

*Director of the Office of Block Grant
Assistance*

Department of Housing and Urban
Development

www.nlihc.org

Field Updates



Eric Burmeister

Executive Director

Polk County Housing Trust Fund

eburmeister@pchtf.org

NLIHC
www.nlihc.org

Field Updates



Prevention Funding	Provider	Amount	Income Eligibility	Funds In Use	Des Moines Only	WDM Only	All Polk County
Iowa							
Iowa Rental/Mortgage - IFA	MUST APPLY ONLINE	\$20 Million - IA	<80% of AMI	Yes			X
Polk County							
CDBG - WDM	WDM Human Services	\$157,905	<80% of AMI	Yes		X	
CDBG - BoS	???	TBD	?	No			
ESG - DM	Home, Inc.	\$330,487.85	<50% of AMI	3-Aug	X		
ESG -BoS	Home, Inc.	\$293,653.74	<50% of AMI	3-Aug			X
CSBG - Impact	IMPACT	est. \$1 million	200% of Poverty	Fully Expended			X
Link to Iowa Program - https://www.iowafinance.com/covid-19-iowa-eviction-and-foreclosure-prevention-program/							

Field Updates



Howard Belodoff

Associate Director

Idaho Legal Aid Services

howardbelodoff@idaholegalaid.org

NLIHC
www.nlihc.org

Congressional Action on the Next Emergency Spending Bill: Update from Capitol Hill



Sarah Saadian

Vice President of Policy

National Low Income Housing
Coalition

ssaadian@nlihc.org

www.nlihc.org

Congressional Action on the Next Emergency Spending Bill: Needed Advocacy, Digital Lobby Day (July 21)



Joey Lindstrom

Director for Field Organizing

National Low Income Housing
Coalition

jlindstrom@nlihc.org

www.nlihc.org

Congressional Action on the Next Emergency Spending Bill: Communications Updates, Tools and Tactics



Lisa Marlow

*Manager of Media Relations and
Communications*

National Low Income Housing
Coalition

lmарlow@nlihc.org

www.nlihc.org



NATIONAL LOW INCOME
HOUSING COALITION

Next Steps

Resources

[Responding to Coronavirus
\(https://nlihc.org/responding-
coronavirus\)](https://nlihc.org/responding-coronavirus): Recommendations for
Congress

[Coronavirus and Housing/
Homelessness
\(https://nlihc.org/coronavirus-and-
housing-homelessness\)](https://nlihc.org/coronavirus-and-housing-homelessness): National and
Local Updates