



DSHA Highlights

Delaware Affordable Housing News and Events
June 20, 2017

Housing Development Fund Applications Open

The annual funding round for the Delaware Housing Development Fund is now open. Applications for a variety of housing programs are due 4 p.m. August 30.

The Housing Development Fund programs include Homeownership Production Grants, Housing Support Grants, Energy and Accessibility Grants, and HDF Non-Low Income Housing Tax Credit Loans.

DSHA is offering technical assistance meetings this year, which can be scheduled through July 28. This replaces the former proposal application. Only new applicants are required to schedule a technical assistance meeting, but DSHA encourages it for all applicants.

For questions about the program or application process, contact Penny Pierson at penny@destatehousing.com or 302-739-0246.

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How Federal Housing Funds Have Helped Delaware



U.S. Senator Chris Coons met with DSHA officials and housing advocates recently to discuss how two federal housing programs have helped Delaware residents. Delaware receives a total of \$10.5 million from the HOME and CDBG programs.

The HOME program has built or preserved more than 2,300 homes in Delaware since 1992 - including 66 affordable apartments at the Village at McKee Branch in Dover, where the meeting was held.

The Community Development Block Grant Program helped rehab more than 100 homes in Kent and Sussex counties alone last year.

[Video Report \[link to YouTube\]](#)

Thursday: Veteran Homelessness Event



On Thursday, June 22, Governor John Carney, DSHA Director Anas Ben Addi, New Castle County Executive Matthew Meyer, and other agencies and partners will gather to announce and celebrate a new milestone in Delaware's fight against veteran homelessness.

The event will be 10 a.m. at Middleboro Crest Apartments, 37 E. Champlain Avenue, Wilmington.

Last fall, Delaware became one of three states to [effectively end veteran homelessness](#).

To RSVP, email danielle@destatehousing.com.

More information: [State Working Group report, April 2017](#)

Delaware Housing Jobs



Job Openings:

[Sussex County Habitat for Humanity-Construction Director](#)

[Sussex County Habitat for Humanity-Site Supervisor](#)

[YWCA Delaware- Financial Empowerment Counselor](#)

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