

# 2025 Year-In-Review



JANUARY 1, 2025

The Housing Network moved to 2181 Post Road in Warwick

With your support, the Housing Network raised more than \$5,460 during 401Gives



APRIL 1, 2025

APRIL 26, 2025

HNRI/Homes RI co-hosted a housing resource fair with PCF Development, HUD and Pawtucket Promotes



Gov. Dan McKee, Speaker K. Joseph Shekarchi and other elected officials and housing advocates joined us for an event to highlight our 2025 policy priorities

MAY 13, 2025



FEB, 12, 2025

HNRI and Church Community Housing Corp. hosted a legislator tour of West House II in Middletown



APRIL 7, 2025



Community Development Month kicked off with a resource fair featuring HNRI members and a resolution introduced by Rep. June Speakman

MARCH 18, 2025

We hosted a roundtable discussion on housing affordability, featuring R.I.'s congressional delegation and expert panelists



JUNE 9, 2025

HNRI and Women's Development Corp. hosted a legislator tour at the Pine View Apartments in Exeter



JUNE 2, 2025



We gathered with partners and supporters at the Providence G for the Housing Network's sold-out Annual Meeting

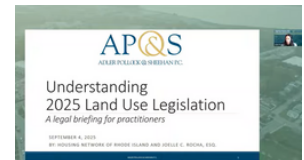
SEPTEMBER 15, 2025

We celebrated our 2025 legislative successes at an End-of-Summer Soirée at Iggy's



SEPTEMBER 4, 2025

HNRI convened a legal briefing on new housing laws with Attorney Joelle Rocha



NOVEMBER 13, 2025

HNRI and Melina Lodge, were recognized with a Hope Award by United Way and the Alliance for Nonprofit Impact



OCTOBER 29, 2025



HNRI and House of Hope CDC hosted a legislative engagement spotlighting ECHO Village

DECEMBER 3, 2025

We hosted a fall networking opportunity with HNRI/Homes RI members and partners at Proclamation Ale



NOVEMBER 21, 2025

HNRI and our partners joined Crossroads RI to raise urgent concerns about the FY 2025 Continuum of Care (CoC) NOFO



## NEW HOUSING NETWORK MEMBERS





# MEMBERSHIP & DEVELOPMENT UPDATES



Jan. 24 | South County Habitat for Humanity hosted a home dedication ceremony at Cardinal Lane in Hopkinton (four new, net-zero, single-family homes)



Feb. 11 | House of Hope CDC opened ECHO Village, a first-of-its-kind temporary shelter project



April 23 | SWAP celebrated a ribbon cutting of three new single-family homes in East Providence



April 24 | South County Habitat for Humanity celebrates its 35th anniversary with a "Hammer & Ales" event



May 6 | NeighborWorks Blackstone River Valley broke ground on its Frontline Childcare and Public Service Worker Residence in Woonsocket



May 30 | One Neighborhood Builders hosted a groundbreaking to celebrate the start of construction of Broad Street Homes, 46 units of housing in Central Falls



May 31 | The Jonnycake Center for Hope officially opened its new youth center



June 2 | Crossroads RI broke ground on Health & Housing Apartments (35 permanent supportive apartments for medically vulnerable adults experiencing homelessness)



June 17 | PCF Development hosted a ribbon cutting at 125 Young Street in Pawtucket



June 23 | SWAP and Looking Upwards cut the ribbon at Hammett Court in Jamestown, providing 12 affordable and accessible apartments



July 17 | West Elmwood Housing Development Corp. celebrates 55 years



July 23 | South County Habitat for Humanity hosts a home dedication ceremony at the Old North Road in Kingston



Sept. 16 | SWAP dedicated a new Asata Tigrai community center in Providence



Oct. 1 | South County Habitat for Humanity hosted a home dedication at Lewis Lane in Wakefield



Oct. 10 | Crossroads RI cut the ribbon on Summer Street, the largest permanent supportive housing development in New England



Nov. 4 | Foster Forward broke ground on Melrose II, a sustainably designed affordable housing project in Pawtucket,



Nov. 4 | The Housing Authority of Newport broke ground on renovations to Florence Gray Community Learning Center



Nov. 13 | Providence Revolving Fund and partners launch R.I.'s new Statewide Home Repair Program



Nov. 19 | SWAP celebrates its 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary



Dec. 5 | Valley Affordable Housing hosts a ribbon cutting at the Lonsdale Memorial Lofts in Lincoln



Dec. 8 | City Center groundbreaking ceremony hosted by One Neighborhood Builders, Foster Forward, Crossroads and Family Service of Rhode Island



## BY THE NUMBERS

90+ partners & supporters



2,058

newsletter subscribers

2,815



combined Facebook followers



1,849

combined Twitter/X followers

1,568



Instagram followers

405 bills tracked



We took a formal position on



156 bills

We provided  
oral or written  
testimony on

120 bills



385 housing-  
related news  
stories tracked



37

news stories  
mentioning HNRI  
and Homes RI



205

news stories  
mentioning HNRI and  
Homes RI partners

11 events hosted by  
HNRI & Homes RI



8

Action Alerts shared with  
our network



## SAVE THE DATES

February 9, 2026

Strategic Plan Launch

June 1, 2026

Annual Meeting

Tickets:

[givebutter.com/LaunchTix](https://givebutter.com/LaunchTix)

2026 Sponsorship  
Opportunities:

[givebutter.com/PlanLaunch](https://givebutter.com/PlanLaunch)