Housing New Mexico Advisory Committee

Meeting 2

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Today's Agenda

Welcome back and October 6 Recap (10 minutes)

Legislative Update and Priorities (20 minutes)

Housing Needs & Q&A (35 minutes)

Strategy Framework (15 minutes)

Wrap up, next steps

Meeting Logistics

- Meetings will be virtual for now
- Meeting minutes will summarize main themes
- Wear what is comfortable for you and feel free to have snacks/tea/coffee
- Keep your video on unless you need to "leave" the room
- We will take one 10 minute break about halfway through longer meeting
- Prefer use of raise hand v. chat
- Please email <u>sunrau@housingnm.org</u> with any accommodations, concerns, thoughts

October Meeting Recap

Advisory Committee

The Housing New Mexico Advisory Committee is a group of visionaries and deep thinkers, steeped in the complexities of housing policy, and close to the challenges faced by New Mexico residents.

MFA is asking you to:

- Engage in collaborative, complex problem solving
- Coalesce around housing priorities for New Mexico
- Provide policy guidance

MFA's Hopes for this Process

- Spur innovation
- Improve the work of state agencies
- Create a "roadmap" for all partners to address the continuum of housing needs
- Be a common source of communication for housing partners, residents, and state leaders about the state's goals and intentions
- Ultimately, provide stable housing for more New Mexicans

Your Expectations and Hopes for this Process

- Break down silos between agencies, align direction, build partnerships, create efficiencies
- Gain credibility with the legislature
- Develop a preservation strategy
- Get closer to ending homelessness
- Create more funding for housing; address capacity gaps
- Protect locals from getting priced out
- Address housing needs along the continuum with a focus on economic mobility

Best Practices to Explore and Consider

- Permanent supportive housing funding in Denver
- Colorado Housing and Finance Authority prioritizing public housing and LIHTC redevelopment
- Source of Income discrimination
- Manufactured housing
- Housing funding: Washington, Oregon
- Zoning reform: California, Oregon

Do you have others?

Legislative Update

2022 MFA Legislative Agenda

- \$70 million New Mexico Housing Trust Fund (NMHTF) appropriation
- NMHTF Recurring Funding- 3.5% of Severance Tax Bond Capacity
- Expansion of Linkages Program
- \$500,000 for Regional Housing Authority Oversight
- \$250,000 for Affordable Housing Act Oversight

AC Members' Legislative Agenda

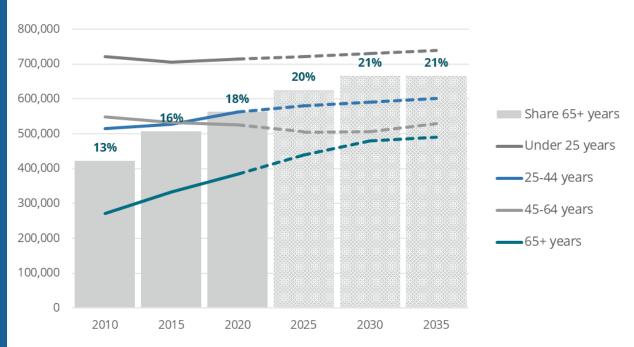
- What legislation are you following or endorsing?
- What are your legislative priorities?
- Is there legislation you are concerned about?

Housing Needs Forecast

Population Changes

- Seniors will grow to 21% of residents by 2030 and then stabilize
- Residents < 25 years will increase slowly but consistently and make up the largest share of residents at 31% by 2035
- Residents of core working ages will plateau

Population Projections by Age, 2035



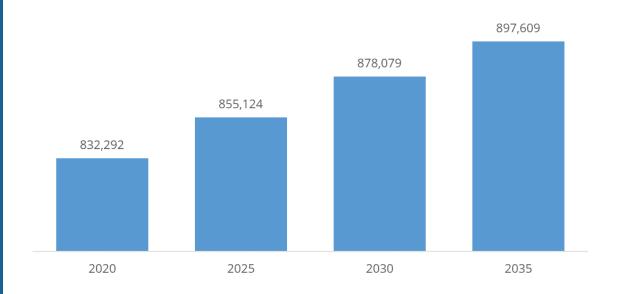
Source: The University of New Mexico Geospatial and Population Studies, and Root Policy Research.

Household Growth

New households between now and 2025 = 22,832

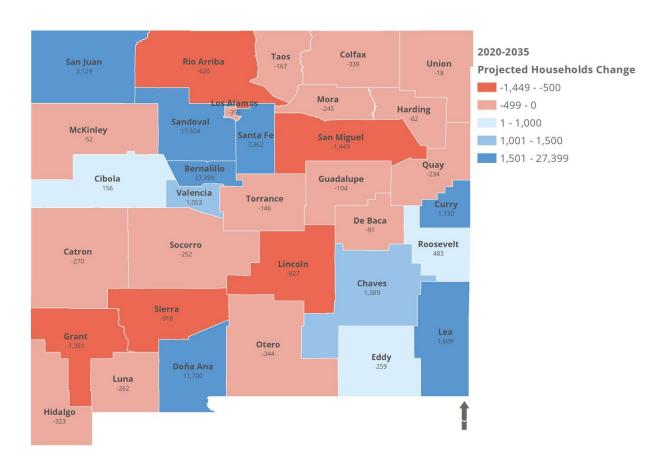
 New households between now and 2035 = 65,317

Household Projections, 2035



Source: The University of New Mexico Geospatial and Population Studies, and Root Policy Research.

Projected Household Change by County, 2020-2035



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What Projected Growth Means for Housing Needs

An average of **5,100 housing units per year** are needed to accommodate growth to 2025

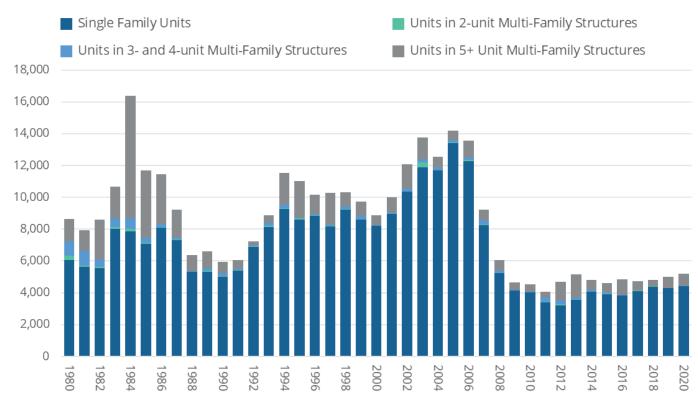
An average of **5,140 housing units per year** are needed to accommodate growth between 2025 and 2030

This compares to past 10 year average annual permits of:

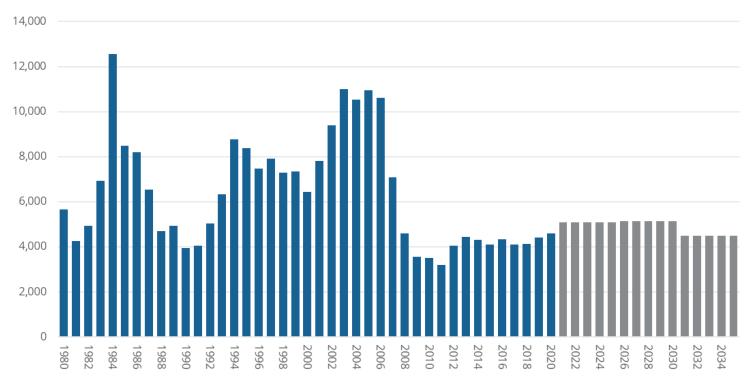
- 3,291 housing units in growth counties
- 4,771 housing units for New Mexico overall

The volume of new housing should slightly accelerate in the next decade to meet demand...

Historical Building Permit Volume by Unit Type, 1980-2020



Total Units and Projected Units Needed in Counties with Projected Growth, 2020-2035

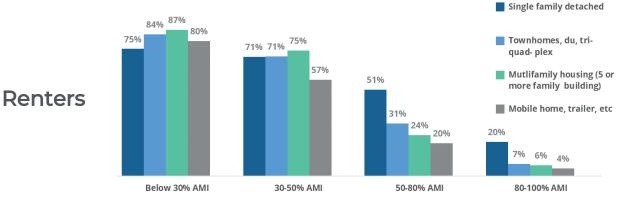


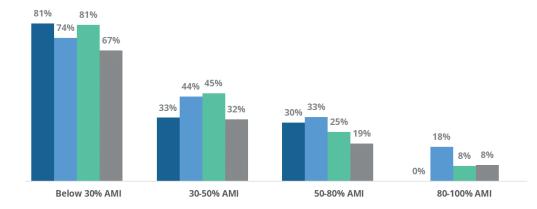
Source: U.S. Census, 2019 Building Permit Survey, and Root Policy Research.

Cost Burden by Unit Type and AMI, 2019

Increased production is needed—but must be paired with programs and policies to ensure a portion of new units meet affordability needs

Owners

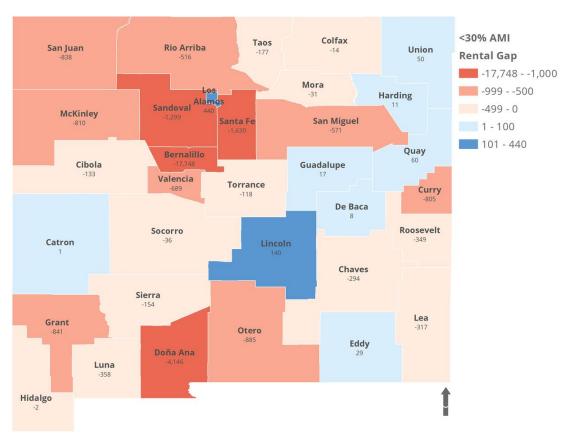




Rental Shortages

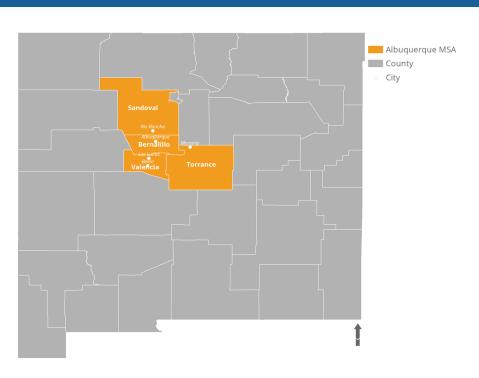
Current 0-30% AMI Rental "Gap" = 32,000 rental units

Difference between Renters and Affordable Units, 30% AMI, 2019



Source: 2019 ACS 5-year, HUD, and Root Policy Research.

Rental Gap- Albuquerque MSA



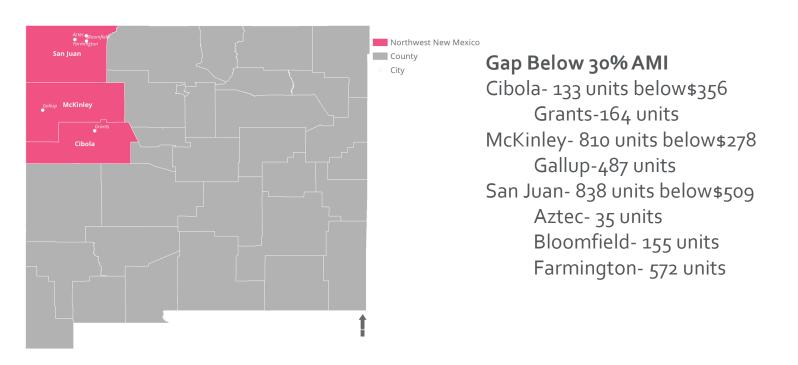
Gap Below 30% AMI

Bernalillo- 17,748 units below\$493
Albuquerque- 16,467 units
Sandoval-1,299 units below\$493
Rio Rancho- 985 units
Torrance County-118 units below\$493
Moriarty-29 units
Valencia County-689 units below\$493

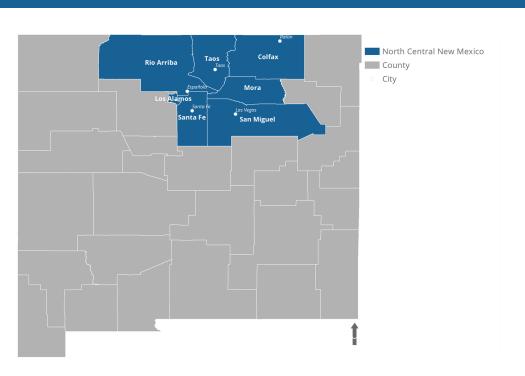
Gap between 30-50% AMI

Rio Rancho-214 units below \$821

Rental Gap- Northwest New Mexico



Rental Gap- North Central New Mexico



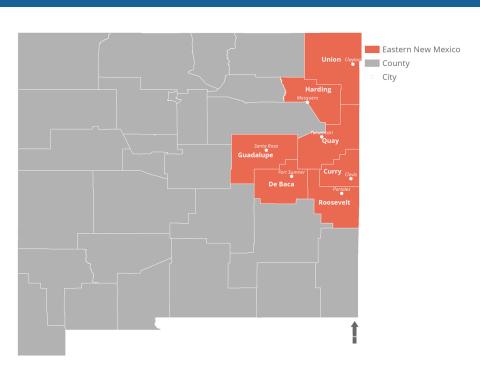
Gap Below 30% AMI

Colfax County-14 units below \$380
Raton-72 units
Mora-31 units below \$290
Rio Arriba- 516 units below \$361
Española-246 units
San Miguel- 571 units below \$341
Las Vegas-399 units
Santa Fe-1,630 units below \$549
Santa Fe City-1,431 units
Taos- 177 units below \$359
Taos Town- 137 units

Gap between 30-50% AMI

San Miguel- 12 units below \$569 Raton-48 units below \$633 Taos Town-97 units below \$598

Rental Gap- Eastern New Mexico



Gap Below 30% AMI

Curry-805 units below \$387 Clovis- 783 units Guadalupe Santa Rosa-5 units below \$322 Roosevelt-349 units below \$406

Gap between 30-50% AMI

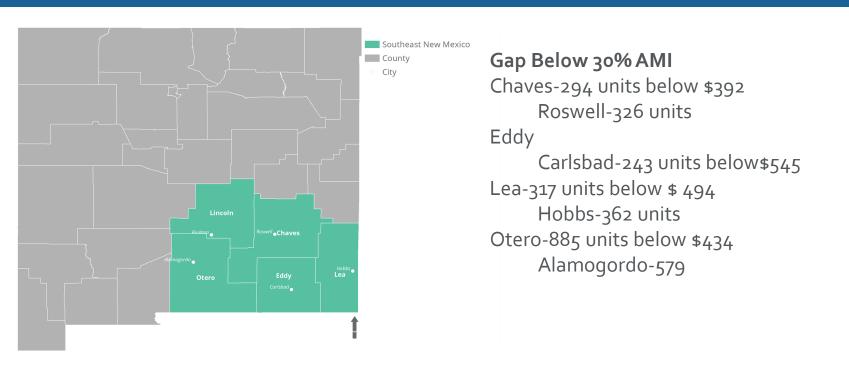
Portales-216 units

Guadalupe- 40 units below \$536 Harding-19 units below \$655

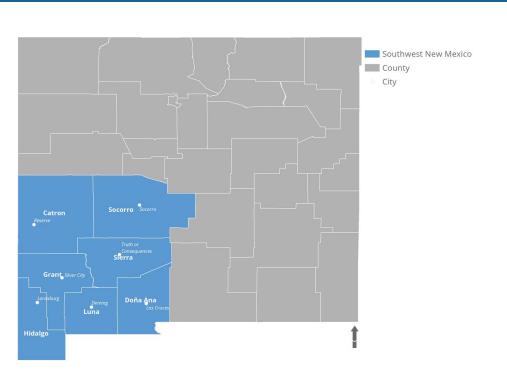
Quay

Tucumcari-41 units below \$563

Rental Gap- Southeast New Mexico



Rental Gap- Southwest New Mexico



Gap Below 30% AMI

Catron

Reserve- 7 units below \$384

Doña Ana- 4,146 units below \$381

Las Cruces- 3,236 units

Grant- 841 units below \$398

Silver City- 474 units

Hidalgo- 2 units below \$329

Lordsburg- 16 units

Luna- 358 units below \$284

Deming- 269 units

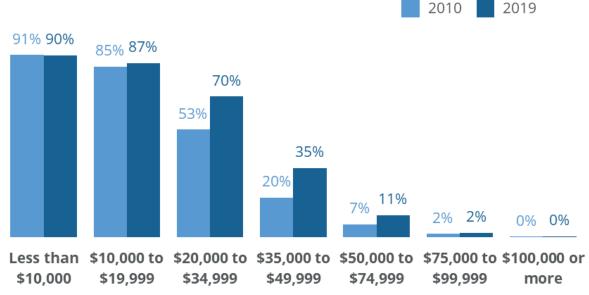
Sierra- 154 units below \$328

Truth or Consequences- 97 units

Socorro- 36 units below\$339

Socorro- 48 units

Cost Burdened Renters by Income, 2010 and 2019

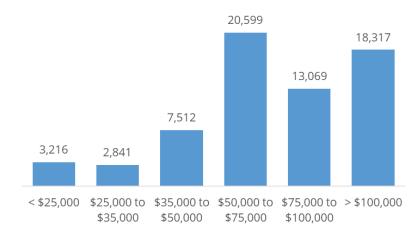


Source: 2019 ACS 5-year IPUMS and Root Policy Research.

While the gap is concentrated at lower income levels, the number of cost burdened renters in the middle of the income distribution has increased since 2010.

Many Renters "Rent Down"

Renters Paying < 20% of Income in Rent, by Income Level, 2019



High Income Rental Gap

Occurs when higher income households are occupying homes affordable to lower income households. 28% of renter households in New Mexico are spending less than 20% of their household income on housing costs. This equates to about 65,554 households.

Renting Down by Renter Income and Units Occupied



Source: 2019 ACS 5-year IPUMS and Root Policy Research.

Seniors' Housing Needs

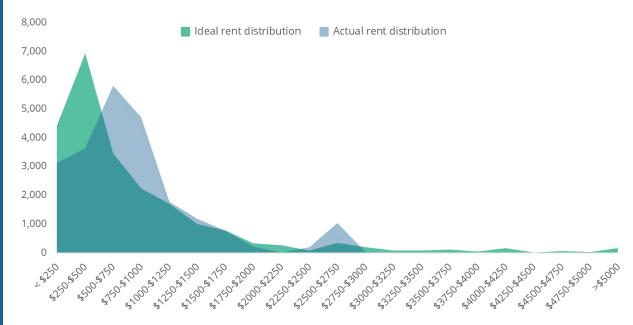
Seniors' Housing Conditions

Seniors in New Mexico are:

- Predominantly owners—83% ownership rate;
- Low income;
- Will require additional services to remain in their homes or affordable rentals—both sparse, especially in rural areas.
- Senior renter households living in multifamily housing are more likely to be cost burdened than those living in single-family housing or mobile homes.

Seniors' Housing Conditions

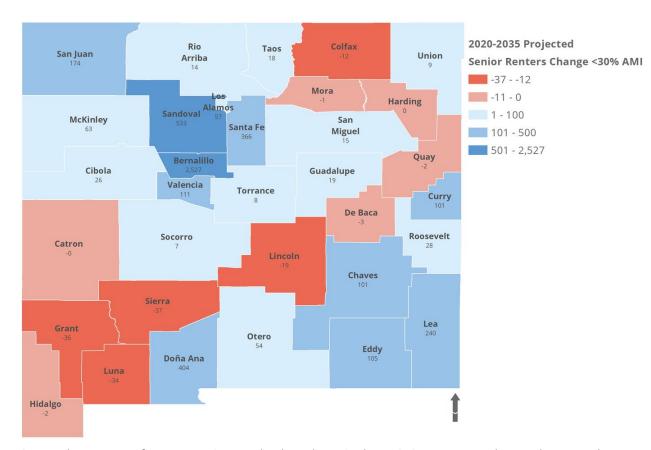
Actual Rents v. Ideal Rents for Seniors Renting Multifamily Units, 2019



Source: 2019 ACS 5-year IPUMS and Root Policy Research.

Projected Change in < 30% AMI Senior Renter Households by County, 2020-2035

Source: The University of New Mexico Geospatial and Population Studies, and Root Policy Research.



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Ownership Needs

Homeowner ship in New Mexico

- 68% homeownership in the state overall
- Highest in rural counties
- 17% of state homeownership attributed to mobile homes which have weak equity gains
- 32% of owners are low income, struggling with costs of ownership

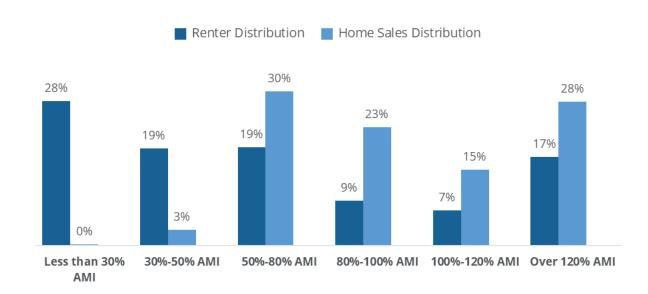
Equity in Ownership, New Mexico v. U.S.

New Mexico does a better job than the U.S. overall in Native and Hispanic ownership—even given relatively lower incomes

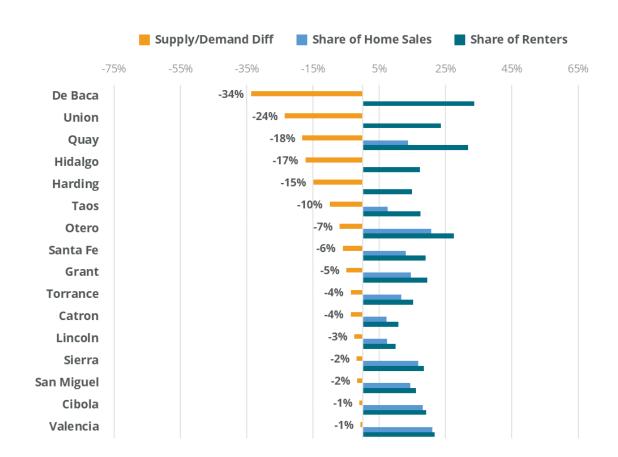
| | | wnership ate | Median Income | | |
|---|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--|
| Race/Ethnicity | New Mexico | United States | New Mexico | United States | |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 62% | 54% | \$35,349 | \$43,825 | |
| Asian | 55% | 60% | \$65,144 | \$88,204 | |
| Black or African American | 40% | 42% | \$40,528 | \$41,935 | |
| Hispanic/Latino | 66% | 47% | \$42,421 | \$51,811 | |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 48% | 41% | \$49,767 | \$63,613 | |
| Non-Hispanic White | 72% | 72% | \$59,815 | \$68,785 | |
| Two or more Races | 58% | 49% | \$50,133 | \$59,184 | |

Mismatch between Renters and Home Prices

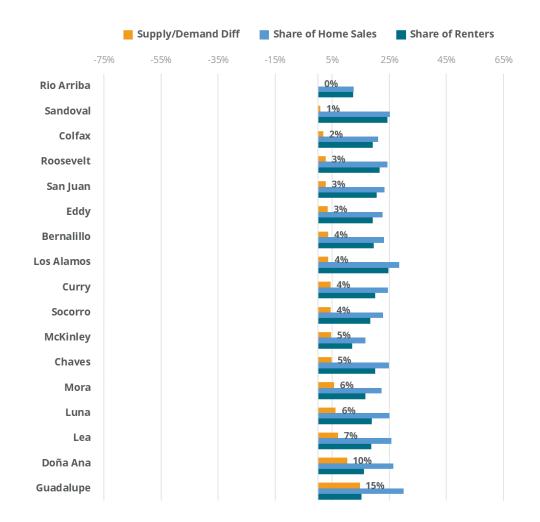
Nearly half of the state's renters have incomes too low for ownership—without deep subsidies or innovative ownership models



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Strategy Framework

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Define Problem Statement

Break down processes and identify:

- Inefficiencies
- Barriers

Develop recommendations for changes to:

- ➤ Policies
- > Programs
- > Resources
- Priorities

Strategy Framework

- Meeting 3. Production & Preservation
- Meeting 4. Affordability, Wealth Building & Economic Mobility
- Meeting 5. Homelessness, Special Needs, Human Service Needs
- Meeting 6. Capacity

Engagement occurring throughout

Research briefs provided 2 weeks in advance

Discussion questions provided 2 weeks in advance

Next up: Production & Preservation

- Policies and programs that can address the current and future housing production needs
 - Shortage of contractors for both new development and home improvements
 - Zoning, land use, and development process barriers
 - Innovative housing types; development incentives
- Policies and programs that can address the current and future housing preservation needs
 - Holding property owners accountable for rentals in poor condition
 - Set-aside funding to repair aging public housing
- > Set unit production targets
- Set preservation targets

Your Role in Between Meetings

Engage with your community, constituents, experts in your field:

- Forward your ideas, thoughts, best practices, articles to Sonja
- Using the discussion guides we provide, invite conversations (formal or informal) about each upcoming strategy area
- Help promote a resident survey to collect data on housing needs not available from other sources

Strategy Framework

- What feedback do you have about the proposed strategy development framework?
- Our "ask" of you?
- Concerns?
- Suggestions?

Next Steps

- Look for a January meeting date
- Look for an email with the draft resident survey—please think about and let us know what information you'd like gathered through the survey
- Be thinking about solutions to the Production and Preservation challenge we will discuss at the next meeting



Projected Housing Units Needed by County, 2020-2035

Projected Total Units Needed by 2035, by County, and AMI

| | | Percent of AMI | | | | | | |
|-------------|--------|----------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|--------|--|
| County | Total | 0-30% | 30-50% | 50-80% | 80-100% | 100-120% | 120%+ | |
| Total Units | 73,774 | 12,078 | 9,861 | 12,661 | 7,132 | 6,156 | 25,886 | |
| Bernalillo | 27,399 | 4,890 | 3,854 | 4,663 | 2,529 | 2,297 | 9,165 | |
| Sandoval | 17,504 | 2,245 | 1,799 | 3,093 | 1,803 | 1,699 | 6,866 | |
| Doña Ana | 11,700 | 2,092 | 1,825 | 1,858 | 1,034 | 774 | 4,116 | |
| Santa Fe | 7,362 | 1,156 | 1,031 | 1,315 | 781 | 547 | 2,533 | |
| San Juan | 3,129 | 611 | 473 | 562 | 310 | 273 | 901 | |
| Curry | 1,730 | 253 | 215 | 330 | 173 | 135 | 624 | |
| Lea | 1,609 | 266 | 173 | 262 | 179 | 161 | 568 | |
| Chaves | 1,389 | 222 | 214 | 232 | 137 | 104 | 480 | |
| Valencia | 1,053 | 197 | 167 | 199 | 105 | 94 | 290 | |
| Roosevelt | 483 | 75 | 54 | 80 | 42 | 38 | 194 | |
| Eddy | 259 | 41 | 36 | 41 | 25 | 22 | 93 | |
| Cibola | 156 | 30 | 19 | 26 | 13 | 11 | 57 | |

Source: The University of New Mexico Geospatial and Population Studies, and Root Policy Research.

Projected Housing Units Needed by County, 2020-2035

Projected Owner Units Needed by 2035, by County, and AMI

| | | Percent of AMI | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------|----------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|--------|
| County | Total | 0-30% | 30-50% | 50-80% | 80-100% | 100-120% | 120%+ |
| Total Owner Units | 48,137 | 5,548 | 4,313 | 8,172 | 3,383 | 2,747 | 23,974 |
| Bernalillo | 15,707 | 1,841 | 1,288 | 2,590 | 869 | 760 | 8,358 |
| Sandoval | 14,121 | 1,367 | 1,033 | 2,429 | 1,363 | 1,283 | 6,646 |
| Doña Ana | 6,710 | 858 | 690 | 1,073 | 269 | 93 | 3,727 |
| Santa Fe | 5,156 | 592 | 557 | 958 | 436 | 253 | 2,360 |
| San Juan | 2,023 | 360 | 234 | 361 | 130 | 125 | 814 |
| Curry | 1,037 | 91 | 99 | 215 | 60 | 30 | 542 |
| Lea | 1,061 | 115 | 100 | 161 | 101 | 78 | 506 |
| Chaves | 946 | 126 | 135 | 149 | 60 | 41 | 436 |
| Valencia | 827 | 136 | 130 | 157 | 69 | 61 | 273 |
| Roosevelt | 275 | 22 | 19 | 39 | 10 | 8 | 176 |
| Eddy | 178 | 23 | 20 | 26 | 13 | 11 | 85 |
| Cibola | 97 | 17 | 8 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 51 |

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|--------------------|--------|----------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|-------|
| County | Total | 0-30% | 30-50% | 50-80% | 80-100% | 100-120% | 120%+ |
| Total Rental Units | 25,637 | 6,530 | 5,548 | 4,489 | 3,749 | 3,409 | 1,912 |
| Bernalillo | 11,692 | 3,048 | 2,566 | 2,073 | 1,660 | 1,537 | 807 |
| Sandoval | 3,384 | 878 | 765 | 663 | 440 | 416 | 220 |
| Doña Ana | 4,991 | 1,234 | 1,135 | 786 | 766 | 681 | 389 |
| Santa Fe | 2,206 | 564 | 474 | 357 | 345 | 294 | 173 |
| San Juan | 1,105 | 251 | 239 | 202 | 179 | 148 | 87 |
| Curry | 693 | 162 | 116 | 115 | 113 | 106 | 81 |
| Lea | 549 | 151 | 74 | 101 | 79 | 83 | 62 |
| Chaves | 443 | 96 | 80 | 83 | 77 | 63 | 44 |
| Valencia | 227 | 61 | 38 | 42 | 36 | 33 | 16 |
| Roosevelt | 209 | 54 | 35 | 41 | 31 | 30 | 18 |
| Eddy | 81 | 18 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 8 |
| Cibola | 59 | 13 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 7 |

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