

Affordable Housing Update



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Affordable Housing Update: Review Of Chatham Housing Goals

Affordable Housing	Toolbox	(2017)
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O1
Increase the
number & diversity
of affordable
rental options

O2
Preserve legallybinding affordable
housing

04

Ensure rental quality

Plan Chatham Goal 9

Provide equitable access to high quality education, housing and community options for all

100 new affordable units a year



05
Support low-income renters

Preserve existing naturally occurring

affordable housing

03

Affordable Housing Update: Review

Chatham County is a part of the Durham-Chapel Hill (MSA)

The area median income for Chatham County is \$84,800

For a family of 4 earning 80% AMI – that's \$67,850

Of households making less than \$50,000 a year – 51% are cost burdened

More than 1/3 of households in Chatham County have an annual income of less than \$50,000. Of these households, 33% are renters.

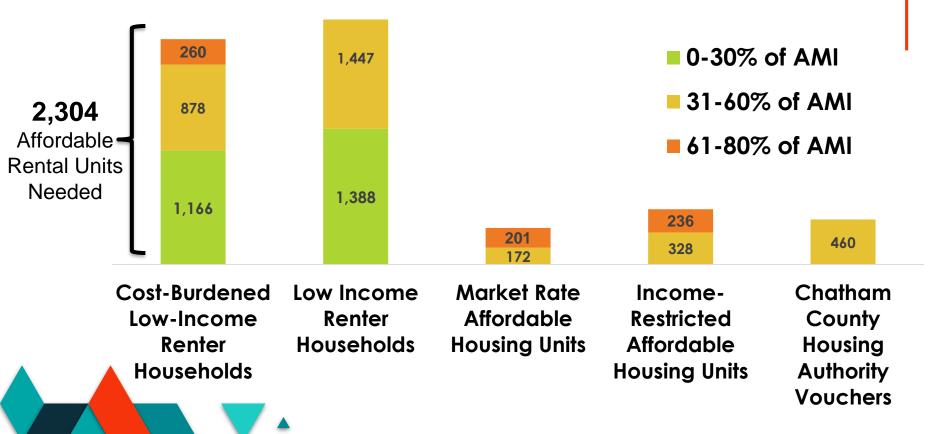


Affordable Housing Update: Review of Key Data

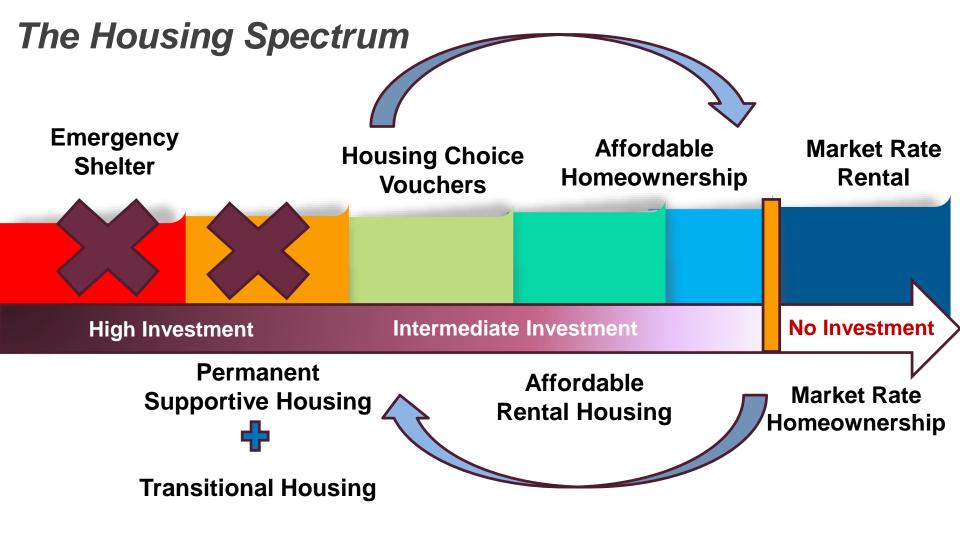
	Median Household Income *past 12 months*	Difference from Chatham County
Chatham County, NC	\$63,531	
Town of Pittsboro	\$45,469	-28%
Town of Siler City	\$33,445	-47%
Town of Goldston	\$67,857	7%

Source: ACS 2014-2018 5 Year Estimates

Affordable Housing Update: Review

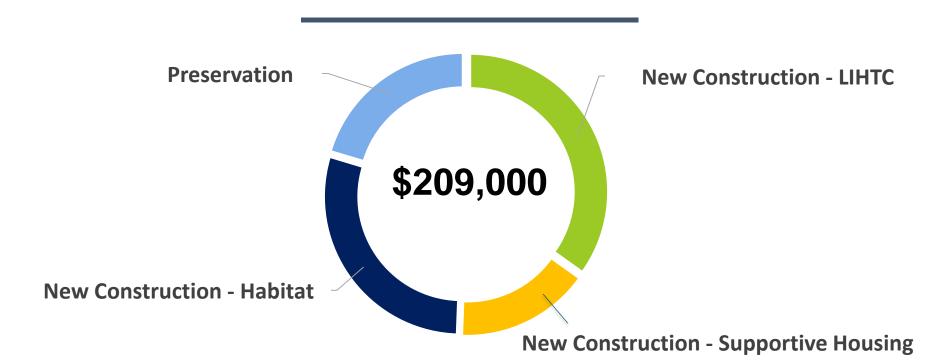


In 2017 the GAP was 1,995 units



Affordable Housing Update: Housing Trust Fund Impact

Total Requested:\$344,000





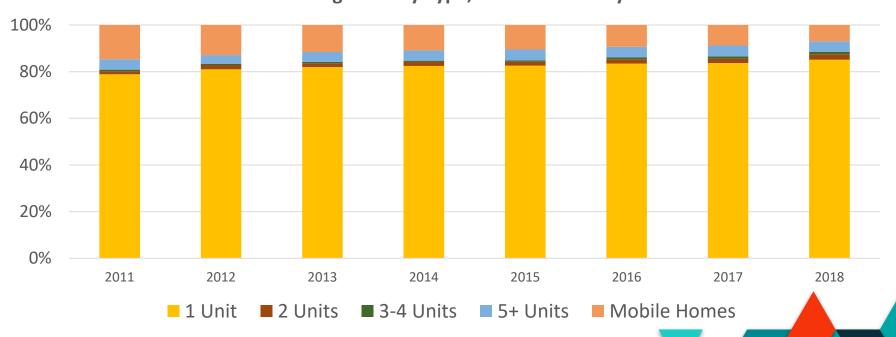
Chatham County Housing Pipeline



Housing Units by Type in Chatham County (2011-2018)

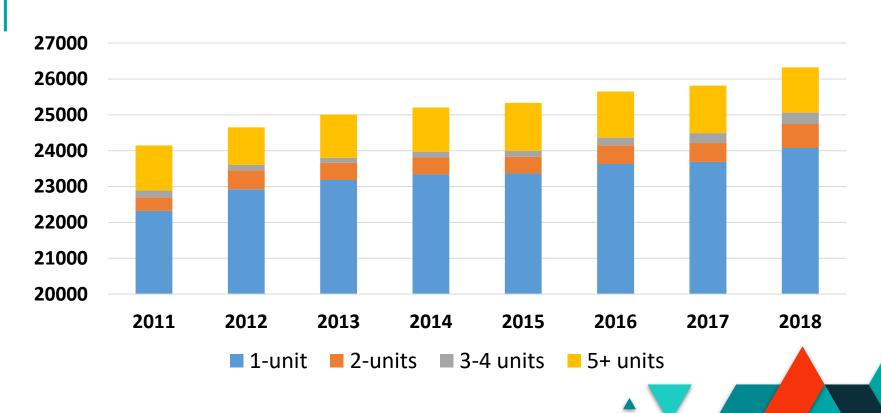
1 unit = Single Family





Source: ACS 2014-2018, DP04

Housing Unit Growth – by Unit Size



Affordable Housing Update: Chatham Affordable Pipeline

2,304

Gap

Housing Choice Vouchers (HCV) - 460

Existing Income Restricted Units - 238

Applying for LIHTC – up to 84 units

The Retreat at Pittsboro opens in late 2021 with 48 units

Henry Siler School opens in late 2020 with 44 units

The Farm at Penny Lane <u>– 15 units in 2021</u>

In 2019 Habitat built 4 homes



built since July 2019



Chatham Affordable Housing Program

Existing Programs & Gaps & Possibilities

Investment & Development

Community Outreach

Effective Policy & Program Infrastructure



Chatham Housing & Community Development Vision

Investment & Development

Existing Capacity

Housing Trust Fund (\$200,000) Emergency Housing Fund (\$50,000) Reimbursement Policy (Project Dependent)

The Gaps/Possibilities: Investment Capacity

Land/Property Acquisition Infrastructure Support Robust program support Varied policy incentives



Chatham Housing & Community Development Vision

Community Outreach

Existing Capacity

Fair Housing materials Website Improvement Increased visibility

The Gaps/Possibilities: Outreach Capacity

Consistent style of messaging and resources

Variety of materials

Legal limitation

Logistical limitation



Chatham Housing & Community Development Vision

Effective Policy & Program Infrastructure

Existing Infrastructure

Housing Trust Fund Guidelines
Emergency Housing Fund Policy
DV GAP House
Reimbursement Fee Policy
Affordable Housing Advisory Committee
TJCOG Contract

The Gaps/Possibilities: Infrastructure Strength

Connection to Investment Capacity
Capacity to consistently support or coordinate
services for homelessness



Affordable Housing Update: Summary

Investment & Development

Community Outreach

Effective Policy & Program Infrastructure

- Our program is only 2 years old!
- The need is not going away, it is **increasing**, and it is affecting people, their families, their health and wellbeing, social and economic mobility, and organizations and businesses across the county
- We are steadily building our affordable housing pipeline
- Although we cannot take on everything on the housing spectrum at the same time, we CAN make an impact on affordable rental and affordable homeownership supply with consistent investment -Example: The potential impact of a dedicated revenue source such as Article 46



