

# Affordable Housing in Michigan

*29% of renter households in Michigan can't afford rent*

## OUT OF REACH

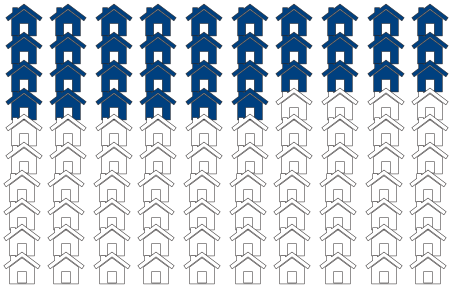


In 2017 the Michigan housing wage for a 1 bedroom apartment was \$16.24 - 1.8 times higher than the state minimum wage



71% of extremely low income renters in Michigan spend more than half of their income on housing

## THE GAP



In Michigan for every 100 extremely low income renters there are only 36 affordable and available units



A full time worker earning minimum wage can afford a one bedroom rental in only 12 counties in the entire country - none of these are in MI

## HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Support SB 110 allowing for municipalities to offer voluntary incentives for affordable housing
- Become a champion for affordable housing and join us for a roundtable discussion about policy solutions for Michigan



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