

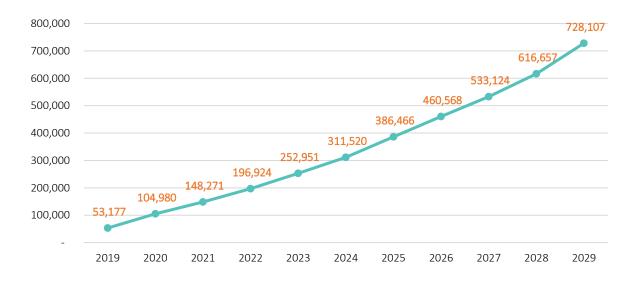
A Picture of Preservation Need

HUD and USDA programs play an important role in providing affordable homes to extremely low-income (ELI) families across the country. Many of these publicly supported homes, however, face expiring rent restrictions and are at risk of being lost from the affordable housing stock without renewed investment.

There are currently 4,920,193 publicly supported rental homes in the US. These homes are supported by the following programs:



252,951 publicly supported homes face the expiration of all affordability restrictions in the next five years and an additional 147,972 public housing units are in need of immediate investment. By 2029, over 728,107 units will lose all affordability restrictions if they are not renewed.



Among the publicly supported homes expiring in the next five years, 81% demonstrate one of the following factors that increase the risk of owners opting out of future rental contracts or of significant capital need.







A Picture of Preservation

Federal subsidy programs play an important role in preserving long term affordability for existing homes reaching the end of their affordability restrictions and for previously unsubsidized homes in need of repair and subsidies to keep them affordable.

The following programs were integral to preserving affordable housing over the past few years:

Preservation Tool

Units Preserved*



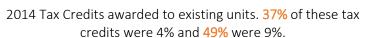
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Section 8 Contracts (Mark to Market)

Previously Subsidized 22,889 in 2014 3,327 in 2016 570 in 2017 Previously Unsubsidized 10,455 in 2014 2,538 in 2016

Among the new subsidies awarded, many are awarded to existing units to make or keep them affordable.







2016 HOME grants awarded to existing units

Additionally, properties can receive operating subsidies to sustain serving low-income families. 95% of Section 8 contracts were renewed in 2018, 71% of which were renewed for 10 years or more.

More resources are needed to ensure that we can create new affordable housing and preserve the existing affordable housing stock.

To learn more about affordable housing preservation efforts, visit the National Housing Preservation Database at www.preservationdatabase.org

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Source: National Housing Preservation Database 2019

*Units were considered preserved if the subsidy was used for acquisition or rehabilitation or if the subsidy was awarded to a property that received another subsidy at least five years earlier. Units preserved by subsidy program was determined using the latest data available.



