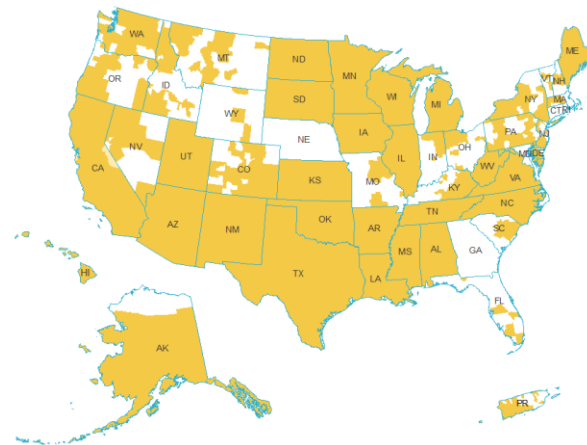


RURAL LISC

Mission

With residents and partners, Rural LISC supports resilient and inclusive rural communities as great places to live, work, and innovate. Rural LISC strives to identify priorities and opportunities and deliver the most appropriate support to meet local needs. We achieve this through integrated strategies and programs focused on five pillars of rural community development: Creative Capital, Broadband & Infrastructure, Workforce Development, Housing, and Disaster Solutions.



Where We Work

Rural LISC's total service area is shown in gold shading (2,400 counties).

Program

Established in April 1995, Rural LISC currently serves 146 partner organizations working to transform rural communities in 49 states and Puerto Rico.



Rural LISC launches Rural Connect with \$80k Grant from Wells Fargo | Twin Falls, ID



Southwest Minnesota Housing Partnership | Slayton, MN

Resources at Work

- ◆ As of December 31, 2023, Rural LISC has mobilized \$606.5 million in grants and loans for partner organizations, with an additional \$2.24 billion in affiliate financing.
- ◆ Close to \$5.4 billion has been leveraged in financing for over 2,712 Rural LISC supported developments, bringing total new investments to nearly \$8.24 billion dollars.
- ◆ \$2.84 billion has been committed in and through partner organizations, including \$114.9 million in capacity building and small business grants, \$11.1 million in project and venture related grants and recoverable grants, \$281 million in low-cost loans and loan guarantees, plus \$2.44 billion invested by LISC affiliates.
- ◆ Rural LISC partner organizations leverage LISC support to enable new capacity building resources, resulting to date in nearly \$213.4 million in matching funds raised by CDCs through more than 2,589 separate sponsorships.
- ◆ A groundbreaking public/private childcare partnership was established involving seven partner organizations developing nine childcare facilities.

Sources: Individual donors and some 135 private and public Supporters plus LISC, including LISC affiliated National Equity Fund and New Markets Support Company.

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CDC Production Results

(As of 12/31/23)

Affordable Homes:

- ◆ 1995 – To Date: 55,226 homes

Commercial & Community Facilities and Athletic Fields:

- ◆ 1995 – To Date: 8.89 million square feet

Small Businesses Assisted/Jobs Created or Retained:

- ◆ 1995 – To Date: 2,867 businesses/23,701 jobs

Child Care Facilities:

- ◆ 1995 – To Date: 20 centers/nearly 2,922 children

FOC and Rural Works Highlights:

- ◆ 2020-To Date: 3,806 individuals placed in Jobs



Florida Rural Neighborhoods begins construction on a new project. | Florida Keys, FL

Technical Assistance & Training

The most important aspect of the Rural LISC program is the technical assistance and training we provide for our Partner CDCs. We have convened 30 national training seminars for Partner CDCs, while also offering six Asset Management trainings for Partner and other rural CDCs. In addition, 24 regional workshops have been held that have assisted nearly 1,850 participants from rural CDCs, private funders, lenders, and government. We have also arranged 28 regional Home Loan Partnership trainings on affordable home ownership for rural CDCs and USDA officials, with an average attendance of 100 participants at each training.



Stakeholders in the Delta region meet to discuss economic strategies. | Pine Bluff, AR

Newsletter & Web

- ◆ The monthly **Rural eNews** covers funding and financing opportunities, training, other resources and policy issues. It is emailed to more than 3,500 subscribers from rural community development organizations across the country.

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