Tackling the Housing Crisis at All Government Levels

With An Investment In Opportunity, we launched a long-term platform that lays out the federal, state and local policy changes necessary to address America’s growing rental housing crisis and create communities of opportunity across the U.S.

The platform offers a bold new vision for housing policy, with discrete policy recommendations built around four strategies for reform:

- Ensure broad access to high-opportunity neighborhoods.
- Promote comprehensive public and private investments in low-income neighborhoods.
- Recalibrate our priorities in housing policy to target scarce subsidy dollars where they’re needed most.
- Improve the overall financial stability of low-income households.

The entire platform is available online. Visit our blog for a high-level summary.
More than one in four families who rent their homes are “housing insecure,” meaning they pay more than half of their monthly income on housing.

NEWS

- Denver Launches Social Impact Bond Program
- "Our Region, Your Investment" Launches to Help Tackle Washington, D.C., Housing Crisis
- Enterprise Community Impact Note Gives Donor-Advised Funds a New Investment Option
- M.A. Leonard Named Chair of Affordable Housing Advisory Board
- Jacqueline Waggoner Named New Southern California Market Leader
- Six Emerging Community Designers Selected for Enterprise Rose Architectural Fellowship Class of 2016-2018
- Two Enterprise Homes Developments Awarded Low-Income Housing Tax Credits

PERSPECTIVE
• **Listen: J. Ronald Terwilliger, “A Heart For Housing”**

• **Watch: Los Angeles Housing Boom Creates Need for Affordability**

• **Let It Go: Illinois Legislators Must Unfreeze $25 Million for Affordable Housing, by Andy Geer**

• **Analysis: President Obama’s 2017 Fiscal Year Budget Proposal**

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**EVENTS**

| **FEB 25** | **Dollars and Sense: 2015 Enterprise Green Communities Criteria Costs, Specifications and Scopes**
| **FEB 26** | **An Investment In Opportunity: A Bold New Vision for Housing Policy in the U.S.**

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**ENTERPRISE RESOURCE CENTER**

Visit our online library for a wide offering of new and timeless affordable housing tools and resources:

• **Faubourg Lafitte: An Enterprise Impact Case Study**

• **Creating a Healthy Home: A Field Guide for Clean-up of Flooded Homes**
Here are a few notable tweets:

@urbaninstitute
The flu hits harder in poorer neighborhoods, reports @franciediep
http://urbn.is/214DgO2

@sffed
Why community development and health sectors need to work together
http://bit.ly/1WeuJEF  @DEricksonSF #NICRC

@CityLab
More Americans are going hungry in the suburbs http://trib.al/ygYkzq8


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"As you enter positions of trust and power, dream a little before you think."
– Toni Morrison