

A photograph of two hands, one from the left and one from the right, holding two interlocking puzzle pieces. The hands are positioned as if they are about to fit the pieces together. The background is a solid teal color. The puzzle pieces are light-colored and have a subtle shadow on the surface below them.

THE POWER OF PARTNERSHIP: WHY YOUR ORGANIZATION IS ESSENTIAL TO THE FLORIDA HOUSING COALITION

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Since its inception, the Florida Housing Coalition has championed the mission of ensuring every Floridian has access to safe, affordable housing. This mission, however, is not achievable without the unwavering support and collaboration of dedicated partners like you.

Our work revolves around supporting local governments, nonprofit organizations, and mission-driven businesses to serve diverse communities and uplift those in need. Through expert consultation, training, and technical assistance, we promote affordable housing as a cornerstone of sustainable economic growth and community strength. Your partnership is crucial in making this vision a reality.

DRIVING CHANGE IN HOUSING STRATEGIES

At the Florida Housing Coalition, our partnerships are the backbone of our efforts to advance affordable housing throughout the state. These collaborations with local governments, nonprofits, developers, and financial institutions empower us to make significant strides in transforming housing strategies into reality. Through these strategic alliances, we address critical issues, foster stability, and create a robust housing ecosystem. Below are the key areas where our partners have made a tremendous impact:

- 1. Implementing Housing Strategies:** Partners empower us to transform housing visions into actionable plans. By collaborating with local governments, nonprofits, and developers, we turn innovative ideas into tangible outcomes. For example, our partners helped us impact 63 communities last year, securing millions in federal funds and expanding the local housing supply.
- 2. Increasing Housing Stability:** Stable housing is foundational to health, education, and economic prosperity. Our Home Matters Report, enriched with insights from partners like Shimberg Center, shines a light on housing stability issues and advocates for lasting change. This collaborative effort is crucial in ensuring all Floridians have access to safe, affordable housing.
- 3. Strengthening Housing Ecosystems:** The complexity of Florida's housing landscape requires a coordinated approach. Partners enable us to bring together stakeholders, facilitating resource flow and information exchange. This collaboration strengthens housing ecosystems and ensures a comprehensive approach to meeting the diverse needs of communities across the state.

JOIN US IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Your organization's support is not just an investment—it's a commitment to creating lasting change and building stronger, more resilient communities. By becoming a partner, you align with a cause that makes a tangible difference in the lives of many Floridians.

Ready to make an impact? Contact Ashon Nesbitt, Chief Executive Officer at nesbitt@flhousing.org, or Johnitta Wells, Conference and Sponsor Manager at wells@flhousing.org, to learn more about how you can become an essential part of our work.

Together, let's build a brighter future—one partnership at a time.

BENEFITS OF PARTNERING WITH THE FLORIDA HOUSING COALITION

AMPLIFIED IMPACT THROUGH COLLECTIVE EFFORTS

By partnering with the Florida Housing Coalition, your organization becomes part of pivotal initiatives like the Sadowski Affiliates, our statewide working groups, and Blueprint projects. These collaborations drive positive change and address housing challenges at a scale that individual efforts cannot achieve alone.

VISIBILITY AND RECOGNITION

Your commitment to social responsibility and community engagement is showcased through our platforms, such as the Housing News Network journal. With a wide reach among policymakers, advocates, and community members, your organization's leadership in affordable housing will be prominently recognized.

ACCESS TO COMPREHENSIVE RESOURCES

Partnership grants access to invaluable resources, including localized data and insights from the Home Matters Report. These tools provide the information needed to drive housing initiatives forward, ensuring your efforts are informed and impactful.

NETWORKING AND COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES

Engage with industry leaders and like-minded organizations at our events, including the Annual Conference. With over 1,200 attendees, expert speakers, and thought-provoking sessions, these gatherings offer a premier platform for knowledge exchange, collaboration, and innovation.

TAILORED SUPPORT FOR YOUR GOALS

Our webinars and training events, attended by over 14,000 annually, provide targeted engagement opportunities. Whether increasing awareness, fostering partnerships, or building capacity, our training events help you achieve your specific objectives.

INVESTING IN A BRIGHTER FUTURE

As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, the Florida Housing Coalition relies on the generous contributions of partners to fuel our mission-driven initiatives. Your support is essential in creating affordable, accessible housing solutions for all Floridians. We offer multiple partnership levels to accommodate various budgets and preferences, ensuring everyone can contribute to our shared mission.