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Gov. Healey allocates \$140M for housing in Massachusetts

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PITTSFIELD, Mass. (WWLP) – Governor Maura Healey announced more than \$140 million in housing awards during a visit to Pittsfield on

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The \$140 million in funding is being distributed through two primary state programs: the new Commercial Conversion Tax Credit initiative and the Affordable Housing Development Grant. These programs are designed to facilitate the conversion of existing structures and support new construction to create 1,300 homes across Massachusetts.

The project is part of a broader state mission to increase the supply of affordable housing for low-income residents and those transitioning out of homelessness.

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A significant portion of the new housing will be reserved for residents in extremely low-income situations. The Healey administration specified that the awards focus on supporting individuals and families transitioning out of homelessness into stable living conditions.

Governor Healey has served as the governor of Massachusetts since 2023 and has identified housing production as a priority for her administration. During her visit to Pittsfield, she addressed the need for a coordinated response that reaches every region of the state.

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