



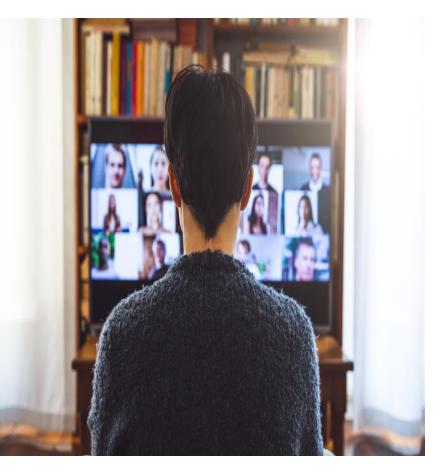
Equitable Investments – Public Health and Community Development, United.

Our Time Together Today

Discussion About What Equitable Recovery Means To Each of Us,

- Using an upstream public health lens





COVID-19 Equitable Response & Recovery

Over the first 3 months of the pandemic, over 1000 people came to community meetings to design equity response.

We created 3 guides on equitable response and recovery investment to support local governments in planning for a COVID-19 rolling recovery process that safeguards the health and economic wellbeing of everyone who calls the Bay Area home.

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BARHII's COVID-19 Equity Investment Guide

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What's Inside

- Investment Principles
- Federal and State Funding Landscape
- Ten Investment Priorities
- Local Examples

Incoming Federal Funds

- On March 12, 2021, President Biden signed the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). The \$1.9 trillion federal aid package brings \$150 billion in federal aid to California.
 - Direct, Flexible Fiscal Aid to State and Local Governments (\$87m to Solano for 2021-24)
 - Recovery Rebates (\$1,400, Federal Child Tax Credit, etc.)
 - Housing, Childcare, Health, Education
- On November 15, 2021, President Biden signed the \$1 trillion infrastructure package. It brings \$550 billion in new funds into transportation, broadband and utilities, and resilience over five years.

Integrating Funds To Support Equity Efforts

County: General Fund, ARPA, MHSA, Outreach Funding

Federal: CARES Act, ARPA, CDC, SAMHSA, DOJ, etc.

State: State General Fund, ARPA, CalAIM, Legislation

Other: Grants, Philanthropy, Partnerships

The Key: Urgency and Long-Term Thinking

Principles for Investment



1) Direct Funds to Families Facing Injustice especially Black, Latinx, and Pacific Islander Communities—and the CBOs that Serve Them.

2) Help Equity Communities Chart their Own Course.

3) Choose a Focused Set of Catalytic Investments for Transformative Change

4) Invest in What We Need, Divest from Harmful Systems

COVID-19 Eviction Moratorium

Supporting the passage of successful passage of countywide eviction moratorium for all 9 counties

- Not Just The Scary Data, The Solution
- Health Rationale
- Real time data sets from *local* sources
- Information sharing from other localities

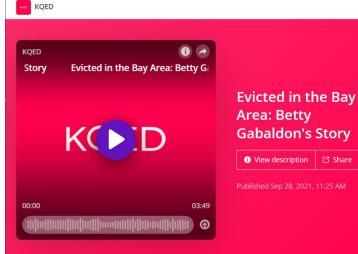
When the moratorium ended, the health risk returned....

New immediate action campaign: 8 Essential Actions for Housing

Improvements To Rental Assistance and Evictions

California Eviction Moratorium to Expire; Advocates Urge Renters, **Cities to Act**







Residents urged to apply for rent, utility relief ahead of eviction moratorium's end

by Eli Walsh, Bay City News Foundation September 27, 2021

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Chelsea Palacio (left) discusses the resources offered by Eviction Help Center during National Night Out at St. James Park in San Jose, Calif., on Aug. 3, 2021. (Harika Maddala/ Bay City News)

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California's eviction moratorium just ended. The Bay Area isn't ready

Tomiquia Moss Oct. 1, 2021 | Updated: Oct. 1, 2021 5:06 p.m.

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California's eviction moratorium ends today. What's next?

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Vandor Hill, 39, a San Francisco native and renter in the Mission District, fears he will be evicted as California's eviction moratorium is set to expire on Sept. 30 Stephen Lam/The Chronicle

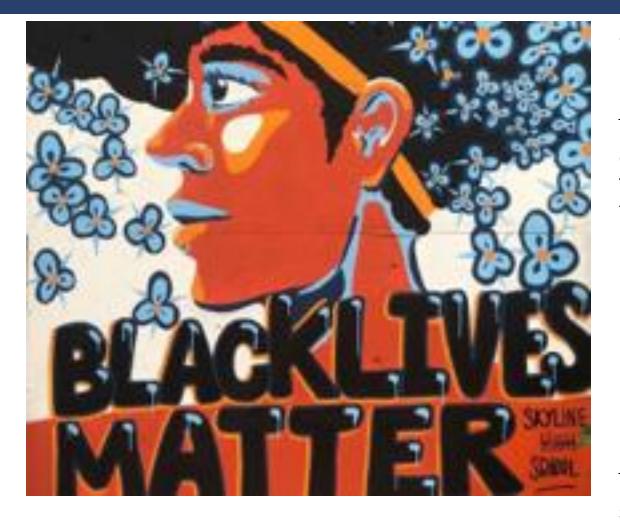
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What you need to know as California eviction moratorium ends





Towards A Long Term Solution For Those Most Impacted: Regional Strategy for Black Bay Area



We're advancing a two-part strategy:

<u>Part one:</u> Establish a regional Black housing funding pool, funded principally by the state, with contributions from each county. We envision this as a \$500m pool for:

To achieve a virtuous development cycle, the fund will invest in three inter-related categories:

- Project development to increase housing access for Black families and support Black-led developers to bring "brick and mortar" projects to fruition.
- Organizational capacity building to strengthen the ability of Black-led organizations to deliver projects and services.
- Community planning to envision future projects, especially in parts of the region that are experiencing a growing Black population.

<u>Part two:</u> Foster government investment in a set of great local projects that are being driven forward by Black leaders to help serve the housing needs of Black communities.

Social Media Day of Action



displacement of **Bay Area Black** communities.

Support the **Bay Area Regional Black Housing**



San Francisco, Oakland, and **Berkeley have** each lost between 40 and 50 percent of their Black residents between 1990 and 2018.

Support the **Bay Area Regional Black Housing Fund to** end displacement and invest in Black communities!

#BlackHousingFund

Join us in our support for thriving, healthy, and resilient Black communities!



Press and Media Hits

Hosted a virtual press conference at the end of June

Bay Area Coalition Asks Governor for Housing Fund for Black Residents



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June 27, 2022

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By Thomas Hughes

BCN Foundation

A coalition of Bay Area elected officials, racial justice activists and housing advocates are calling on Gov. Gavin Newsom to prioritize housing for Black residents in the Bay Area by investing in a targeted fund.

Expert panel explores how housing policies could be more fair to Sonoma County's **Black community**



SLIDE 1 OF 3

D'mitra Smith, a former Commission on Human Rights chairwoman and one of two moderators for the virtual "The State of Black Housing in Sonoma County" panel discussion on Monday, March 14, 2022.

Black Bay Area residents own homes at half the rate of white neighbors.

June 30, 2022 | Lauren Hepler

The proposed housing fund would provide \$325 million in direct financial support, including down-payment assistance for Black home buyers and capital for Black housing developers. About \$75 million would go to ...



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Opinion: An Urgent Call to Address the Housing Crisis in Black Communities







BLACK MONEY MATTERS





Advocates Backing Bill to **Increase Homeownership for Black Californians**

by CBM NEWSWIRE and ANTONIO HARVEY June 3. 2022

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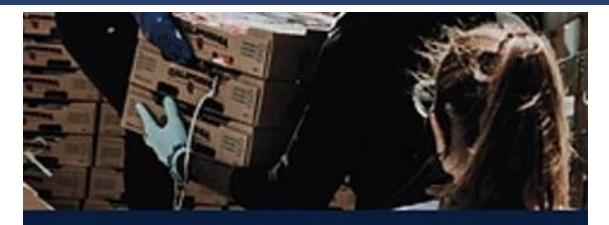
The Equity Strategists In Your Government Systems

• Equity Officers help:

- set equity priorities
- Identify funding and government sector allies for projects
- Staff coalitions
- Serve as liaison with community

\circ Where to find them:

- Local health department
- County administrator/city managers office
- Housing departments



EMBEDDING EQUITY INTO EMERGENCY OPERATIONS: STRATEGIES FOR LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS DURING COVID-19 & BEYOND

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