The Honorable Mike Johnson Speaker of the House H-232, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Hakeem Jeffries House Democratic Leader H-204, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

November 7, 2025

Dear Speaker Johnson and Leader Jeffries:

Our organizations are proud to support two major solutions to the housing crisis: the *ROAD to Housing Act* and the *HOME Reform Act*. As you work with your committees on the upcoming National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) conference, we ask that you support inclusion of both in the final conference report.

Sens. Tim Scott and Elizabeth Warren's *ROAD to Housing Act* updates manufactured housing rules, limits unnecessary environmental reviews, incentivizes efficient land-use practices, improves federal financing tools, reduces burdensome regulatory barriers, and cuts obstructive red tape. Reps. Mike Flood and Emmanuel Cleaver's *HOME Reform Act* allows HOME funds to support critical housing infrastructure, creates flexibility around federal requirements which produce inflated costs and delays, and expands tools for preservation and development.

America's housing shortage is a readiness issue. Roughly two-thirds of service members live off base in tight rental markets due to the lack of supply, forcing drawn-out housing searches as rents continue to climb outside the reach of Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH) funds. The best approach to improve these conditions is to address the entire housing crisis head on, especially with bipartisan and impactful reforms which your Members can be proud to claim.

We understand that the conference process will include a wide array of priorities, which can present difficult decisions. The *ROAD to Housing Act* and *HOME Reform Act* are the approaches this moment of crisis demands to strengthen the economic security underpinning our national security, ensuring that adversaries can't exploit vulnerabilities due to housing instability. Thank you for your leadership and continued work to secure our nation's future.

Sincerely,

National Organizations

Up for Growth Action American Planning Association Casita Coalition Chamber of Progress

Council for Affordable and Rural Housing

Housing Advisory Group

Inclusive Abundance Action

Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)

Main Street America

National Affordable Housing Management Association

National Association of Affordable Housing Lenders

National Association of Hispanic Real Estate Professionals

National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials (NAHRO)

National Association of REALTORS®

National Housing & Rehabilitation Association

National Housing Conference

National Low Income Housing Coalition

National NeighborWorks Association

National Rental Home Council

National Urban League

National Zoning Atlas

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Parking Reform Network

UnidosUS

YIMBY Action

State/Local Organizations

15-Minute Fredericksburg

Abundant Housing Atlanta

Abundant Housing Illinois

Abundant Housing LA

Asheville for All

Athens Urbanists

Bend YIMBY

California YIMBY

Chicagoland Apartment Association Inc

CUrbanism Club

Dallas Housing Coalition

Dallas Neighbors for Housing

DC YIMBYs

East Bay YIMBY

Gainesville is for People

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Hawai'i YIMBY

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Housing Development Consortium of Seattle King County

Housing Now Nashville

Housing Us

iUnit Communities

Logan YIMBY

Madison is for People

More Homes Miami

Mountain View YIMBY

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NEOurbanism

New York Apartment Association

New York Housing Conference

Northern Neighbors

Orlando YIMBY

PadSplit

Palmetto YIMBY

Peninsula for Everyone

Preservation of Affordable Housing (POAH)

Pro-Housing Philly

Pro-Housing Pittsburgh

Providence Urbanist Network

Prosperity Indiana

QUIMBY

REACH Community Development

Rockford Area YIMBY

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Salem YIMBY

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Yes! In My Triangle

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