



Affordable homeownership is one of the methods used to address the housing needs of those who make 50 to 80% AMI. Homeowners accrue equity while making a housing payment comparable to an affordable rent payment.

Market Rate Compared with Affordable Price

\$627,000

Median Price of a Home Market-Rate, King County

\$400,000 +/-

Cost to Build a New Home Non-Profit Developer

\$220,000

Affordable Price for a 60 to 80% AMI Family of 3-4

Financing Sources

\$180,000 Public/Private Investment

Local OR County Funds \$42K to \$90K State Housing Trust Fund \$36K Federal Home Loan Bank \$30K HUD – Sweat Equity \$15K

Other/Private \$19K to \$57K

\$220,000 Homebuyer Mortgage

Present Need for New Affordable Units

Income Segments	Households	Туре	Percentage
0 to 30% AMI	29,700	Rental	61%
31 to 50% AMI	23,900	Nortal	
51 to 80% AMI	34,500	Homeownership	39%
	88,100		

Source: King County Affordable Housing Task Force Needs Assessment Oct. 31, 2017

Proportional Funding Allocations

Income Segments	Туре	Seattle Levy (2009-2016) \$131 Million	King County (2016) \$12.1 Million	Housing Trust Fund (2018) \$58 Million
0 to 30% AMI 31 to 50% AMI	Rental	90%	95%	92%
51 to 80% AMI	Homeownership	7%	5%	8%

Note: Remaining 3% of Seattle Levy spent on homelessness

Emphasize permanent affordability

Funding proportional to the need (39%)

County-wide production target of 100 per year

Increase contribution per housing unit to \$70K to \$90K

Promote municipal best-practices in zoning incentives

Municipal technical assistance in use of state resources/funds