

FY23/24 Rural Capacity Building Grantee Summaries

Rebuilding Together (RT)

RT will provide technical assistance, training, and pass-through grants to strengthen RHDOs' capacity to serve rural communities. Activities include:

1. Supporting 54 staff and board members in IL, CO, NE, NC, and ND (HUD Regions 4, 5, 7, 8).
2. Delivering 24 in-person and 10 virtual trainings, including site visits, group sessions, and rural-focused national conference events.
3. Distributing \$740,000 in capacity-building grants and \$75,000 in scholarships and travel stipends over Years 2-4.

Rural Community Assistance Corporation (RCAC)

RCAC will build the capacity of rural housing organizations, small businesses, and housing counseling agencies to support affordable housing and economic development. Key initiatives include:

1. Developing 10 affordable housing units and supporting 25 jobs.
2. Providing training and technical assistance to rural nonprofits and housing agencies.
3. Offering entrepreneurial support through the Building Rural Economies program.
4. Collaborating with federal agencies and Rural Partners Network in NM, AK, AZ, and NV.

Minnesota Housing Partnership (MHP)

MHP will deliver technical assistance and financial support to approximately 22 beneficiaries, serving 13-16 rural communities. Efforts target all five eligible beneficiary types, prioritizing underserved areas, including Native Nations, Appalachia, and the Southern Black Belt.

Housing Assistance Council (HAC)

HAC will provide technical assistance, training, and financial support to 100 RCB beneficiaries across 40 states. Key deliverables include:

1. 12 training sessions, 8 reports, and \$300,000 in pass-through grants.
2. Capacity-building initiatives tailored to nonprofits, UGLGs, and Tribes.
3. 1,000 training engagements to enhance organizational effectiveness.

National Association for Latino Community Asset Builders (NALCAB)

NALCAB will support 48 organizations with technical assistance, \$1.15M in capacity-building grants, and \$450,000 in loans. Other efforts include:

1. Training 150 attendees through 20 engagements (16 virtual, 4 in-person).
2. Assisting 10 organizations in accessing \$1.4M in federal funding and \$500,000 in nonfederal financing.
3. Supporting 100 housing units and 20 community development projects.