overview of state housing tax credits



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Program Highlights

Standard State Credit

- \$10M available to award in 2025
- 6-year credit, ratable
- Affordability: Unit designation 20% AMI to 80% AMI with an average of 60% or less
- Paired non-competitively with federal 9 percent Housing Tax Credit in Round One

Accelerated State Credit

- \$16M available to award in 2025
- 6-year credit, accelerated (Year 1: 70%; Years 2-6: 6%)
- Affordability: Unit designation 20% AMI to 80% AMI with an average of 60% or less
- Paired competitively with federal 4 percent Housing Tax Credit in Round Two
- Paired noncompetitively with federal 4 percent Housing Tax Credit in September, October, and November

Transit-oriented Communities (TOC) Credit

- \$2M available to award in 2025
- 5-year credit, accelerated (Year 1: 70%; Years 2-3: 8%; Years 4-5: 7%)
- Affordability: Unit designation 20% AMI to 80% AMI with an average of 60% or less
- Paired noncompetitively with federal 9 percent and 4 percent Housing Tax Credits applications that also have state credit, where eligible
- Requires site eligibility verification by DOLA

Middle-income Housing Tax Credit (MIHTC)

- \$5M available to award in 2025
- 5-year credit, ratable
- Affordability: Unit designation 80% to 120% AMI and up to 140% AMI in rural resort counties
- Standalone credit, cannot be paired with other federal or state Housing Tax Credits
- Transferable option for governmental and quasi-governmental owners

For more information, including allocation plans, please visit chfainfo.com/state-credit.

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	Standard State Credit	Accelerated State Credit	Transit-oriented Communities (TOC) Credit	Middle-income Housing Tax Credit (MIHTC)
	6-year, ratable credit. Serves households with incomes of up to 80% AMI with an average of 60% AMI or less.	6-year, accelerated credit. Serves households with incomes of up to 80% AMI with an average of 60% AMI or less.	5-year, accelerated credit. Eligibility is site location dependent. Serves households with incomes of up to 80% AMI with an average of 60% AMI or less.	5-year, ratable credit. Serves households with incomes of up to 120% AMI and up to 140% AMI in rural resort counties. Transferable option for governmental and quasi-governmental owners.
2024	\$10M	\$20M	n/a	n/a
2025	\$10M	\$16M	\$2M	\$5M
2026	\$10M	\$12M	\$2M	\$5M
2027	\$10M	\$12M	\$2M	\$10M
2028	\$10M	\$16M	\$11M	\$10M
2029	\$10M	\$20M	\$13M	\$10M
2030	\$10M	\$20M	n/a	n/a
2031	\$10M	\$20M	n/a	n/a

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