# economic profile



2025



## customer highlights in district 2

#### Alyssa, Fort Collins



In June 2024, to celebrate Homeownership Month, CHFA invited homeowners across Colorado to share how homeownership has shaped or influenced their life story. Alyssa, a CHFA homeowner residing in Fort Collins, shared the following.

"Owning our first home has transformed our lives. It's more than financial stability; it's a space where our bond deepens and memories flourish with friends and family... The stability of homeownership has relieved the uncertainty of frequent moves, allowing us to nurture neighborhood connections. Financially, managing a mortgage nearly double our previous rent has instilled discipline and goal-oriented savings habits. It [has] enabled us to invest in our home and pursue enriching hobbies."

#### The Reserves at Steamboat Springs



he Reserves at Steamboat Springs is a 48-unit affordable rental housing development serving families in Steamboat Springs. CHFA awarded the project \$1,094,544 in federal 9 percent Low Income Housing Tax Credits in 2015. It was the first development to receive federal 9 percent LIHTC in Routt County. CHFA was also proud to support the development with \$2 million in permanent financing.

The Reserves at Steamboat Springs was developed by Overland Property Group and Yampa Valley Housing Authority. The City of Steamboat Springs and Routt County were key supporters of the development. The property celebrated its grand opening in the summer of 2017.

#### Eagle Valley Behavioral Health, Edwards



In 2023, CHFA provided an allocation of \$11,250,000 in New Markets Tax Credits (NMTCs) to Eagle Valley Behavioral Health in Edwards. The NMTCs will support the construction of a behavioral health medical center in Vail estimated to serve 3,800 patients annually through inpatient and outpatient care. Approximately 65 percent to 75 percent of patients utilizing the inpatient facility will earn low incomes, and the campus will include an onsite food pantry and youth mentoring programs, providing a hub of supportive services for the community.

#### Neighbor to Neighbor, Larimer County



CHFA was proud to support Neighbor to Neighbor with a Direct Effect Award in 2024 of \$20,000. Neighbor to Neighbor opens doors and advances lives from homelessness through homeownership by providing sustainable housing, supportive services, and education to families and individuals primarily in Larimer County. CHFA's Direct Effect Award will go toward preserving and procuring stable housing for low-income individuals and families.

## historic investment 1974 to 2024

## homeownership

Households served	7,342
Dollars invested in first mortgage loans	\$1.2 billion
Dollars invested in down payment assistance	\$24.1 million
Statewide households served with homebuyer education	205,796
Statewide homebuyer education investment	\$7 million

## rental housing\*

Developments in portfolio	171
Affordable units in portfolio	13,280
Dollars invested	\$912.7 million
Federal Housing Tax Credit units supported	13,713
Federal Housing Tax Credit allocated	\$103.8 million
State Housing Tax Credit units supported	3,154
State Housing Tax Credit allocated	\$26.2 million

## business lending\*

Businesses served	1,096
Dollars invested	\$272.9 million

## community partnerships

Organizations served (2024)	54
Dollars invested (2024)	\$451,918

#### economic impact

	Total Investment	Jobs Supported	Fiscal Impact
Homeownership	\$1.2 billion	7,584	\$1.7 billion
Rental housing**	\$2.5 billion	19,010	\$4.4 billion
Business lending	\$272.9 million	2,467	\$458.5 million

<sup>\*</sup>Any and all data relating to or which incorporates business finance and multifamily production prior to 2011 is from estimates. \*\*Total investment equals rental development costs leveraged by tax credits and loans.

#### what is chfa?

Colorado Housing and Finance Authority's (CHFA's) mission is to strengthen Colorado by investing in affordable housing and community development. CHFA invests in loans, down payment assistance, and homebuyer education to support responsible homeownership. We provide loans and tax credits to developers of affordable rental housing, so all Coloradans may have access to a place to call home; and we help business owners access capital to help them grow and support jobs. CHFA strengthens local capacity through nonprofit and community partnerships providing technical assistance, grants, sponsorships, and donations.

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