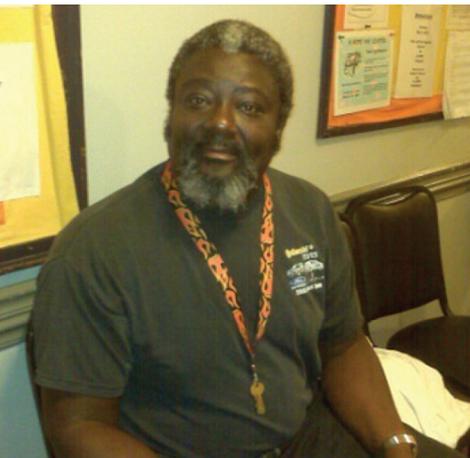




TBRA program participants: Amy and Alicia



TBRA program participant: Victor



TBRA program participant: Jeff

Reaching Underserved Populations

HOME Program  Door Knocker Awards

City of Asheville, NC Pathways to Permanent Housing

(tenant-based rental assistance program)

The Pathways to Permanent Housing Program combines tenant-based rental assistance with housing stabilization case management to ensure housing stability for people experiencing homelessness, very low-income people, and people with disabilities. In administering the Pathways to Permanent Housing Program, Homeward Bound applies “housing first” principles to its work – conducting street outreach, meeting people where they are, offering access to A Hope Day Center (the main entry point into support services for the homeless in Asheville), and using housing as a key intervention to end homelessness. Homeward Bound successfully reaches out to the housing authority and more than 20 landlords and local management companies to identify units for families, and to help those families access appropriate social, educational, and vocational resources to meet a variety of needs. Transportation subsidies are also available to help clients travel to and from jobs, services, and their new homes. Using a blend of outreach, financial assistance through HOME funds, and case management, the Pathways to Permanent Housing Program has successfully assisted people moving from homelessness into stable housing.

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Promoting Long-Term
Affordability

Reaching Underserved
Populations

Producing Sustainable
Housing

Building Community Housing
Development Organization Capacity

HUD Region • Field Office
Region 4 • Greensboro Field Office

Home Units • Total Units
48 HOME units • 98 units

Home Funds • Total Funds
\$174,840 • \$863,980

Primary Funding Sources

- HOME: \$174,840
- CDBG: \$35,000
- Homeless programs: \$600,000
- Other: \$86,000 (State and local grants)

Partners

- Homeward Bound
- Asheville Public Housing Authority
- Buncombe County