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HANO Celebrates a Significant Milestone in the Availability of Affordable Housing Units

Over 1,000 housing units have been restored for re-occupancy or are under construction through HANO partnerships.

New Orleans – The Housing Authority of New Orleans (HANO) has made a notable advancement in the affordable housing sector for the city. Since January 2025, more than 1,000 housing units have been made available or are under construction. This figure comprises 142 newly leased units and 295 units that have been rehabilitated and modernized. Additionally, there are 647 units currently under construction through partnerships with HANO, which will soon be available through the Project-Based Voucher program.

“This coordinated effort represents a major step forward in providing affordable, stable housing for our community members,” said HANO Executive Director Marjorianna Willman. “These renovated units are increasing housing availability and bringing families back into quality homes.”

HANO acknowledges the urgent need for accessible, affordable, and safe housing options for residents. The agency has set clear goals to increase the availability of high-quality housing in the coming years. HANO aims to work with local stakeholders to create sustainable housing solutions that will support the long-term growth and revitalization of New Orleans, with a target of not only adding new units but also significantly increasing homeownership opportunities by the year 2028.

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About Housing Authority of New Orleans

The Housing Authority of New Orleans (HANO) is focused on providing affordable housing opportunities for low-income residents of the city of New Orleans while laying the foundation for economic sustainability. HANO serves over 22,000 low-income families through its affordable housing programs. HANO also serves public housing needs for the elderly, disabled, and veterans.

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