



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE

2022 JOINT BUDGET HEARING

January 31, 2022 – 2:00 PM

HOUSING

1. New York State Homes & Community Renewal	RuthAnne Visnauskas Commissioner & CEO
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Panel A:

2. Bailey House	Andrew Coamey Executive Director
3. Association for Neighborhood and Housing Development (ANHD)	Barika Williams Executive Director
4. Community Preservation Corporation	Erin Burns-Maine Chief of Staff, Vice President of Policy
5. New York State Association for Affordable Housing (NYSFAFH)	Jolie Milstein President and CEO
6. The New York Housing Conference	Rachel Fee Executive Director
7. Habitat for Humanity of New York State	Mary Robinson Chief Executive Officer
8. Enterprise Community Partners	Baaba Halm Enterprise Community Partners

Panel B:

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| 9. Neighbors Together | Fannie Lou Diane
Leader |
| 10. Red Hook West Tenant Association | Karen Blondel
President |
| 11. VOCAL-NY | Kassi Keith
VOCAL-NY Homeless
Union Leader |
| 12. CASA - Community Action for
Safe Apartments | Pablo Estupiñan
Director |
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Panel C:

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| 13. Center for NYC Neighborhoods | Christie Peale
CEO/Executive Director |
| 14. The Legal Aid Society of Mid-New York | Jay Flemma
Esq |
| 15. CAMBA Legal Services | Jeremy Bunyaner
Staff Attorney |
| 16. Right to Counsel Coalition | Malika Conner
Director of Organizing |
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Panel D:

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| 17. Rural Housing Coalition of New York | Michael Borges
Executive Director |
| 18. New York State Rural Advocates | Blair Sebastian
Director |
| 19. East Harlem/El Barrio Community Land Trust
(EHEBCLT) | Athena Bernkopf
Project Director |
| 20. New Economy Project
New York City Community Land Initiative | Elise Goldin
Campaign Organizer |
| 21. Neighborhood Preservation Coalition | Mark Streb
Executive Director |

22. Community Housing Improvement Program Joseph Condon
General Counsel

Panel E:

23. Children's Defense Fund-New York Ben Anderson
Director of Economic Mobility
and Health Policy

24. Lead Free Kids NY Sonal Jessel
Director of Policy

25. Clean and Healthy New York Paul Webster
Director of Programs

Panel F:

26. ERASE Racism Elaine Gross
President

27. Citizens Housing and Planning Council Katherine Leitch
Senior Policy Analyst

28. Community Service Society Samuel Stein
Housing Policy Analyst

Panel G:

29. ADU NY Casey Berkovitz
Coalition Coordinator

30. CNY Fair Housing, Inc. Sally Santangelo
Executive Director

31. Westchester Residential Opportunities, Inc. Marlene Zarfes
Executive Director

32. Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation Ryan Chavez
Program Director

33. The Building & Realty Institute of Westchester Timothy Foley
CEO

Panel H:

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| 34. New York State Public Housing Authorities
Directors Association (NYSPHADA) | Bill Simmons
President |
| 35. Cooper Square Committee | Elda Luisi
Tenant |
| 36. Housing Conservation Coordinators | Elise Levy
Tenant Organizer and Advocate |
| 37. Affordable Housing Leaders Group/Housing
Conservation Coordinators | Christine Hughes
Tenant Leader |
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