HOUSING INDUSTRY FOUNDATION SEPTEMBER 2026



HIF EVENTS

Celebrate The 2026 HIF Summit Gala!

We had a fantastic celebration of our HIF Family and the impact our programs make in the community! Together we **raised almost $800,000** to help prevent homelessness for over 600 households throughout the Bay Area.

Thank you again to our Event Sponsor, **HD Supply** and to all of our sponsors, guests and volunteers that make this such a wonderful event.





Check out our Summit Films!

Every family has a story, and every leader has a why. These films share both: Roma and her family, whose lives were changed by the Emergency Housing Fund, and **Tom Coates**, recipient of the HIF Summit Industry Award, whose leadership has transformed the multifamily housing industry and helped build the very fund that gave Roma a path forward.

Thanks to **Human Beings Media** for their fantastic work creating these wonderful films.



Summit Photos

And enjoy these fab photos from the Summit, courtesy **Daniel Gaines Photography**, supporting HIF and our Summit for over 15 years!

See the Summit Photos



EHF IMPACT

Finding Stability, Rebuilding Hope

After transitioning out of the military, **Jung** faced ongoing challenges with PTSD and depression. During a difficult and uncertain time, Jung felt alone and overwhelmed. A referral from **MidPen Housing** connected Jung with HIF's Emergency Housing Fund, providing critical financial assistance and a sense of security when it was needed most.

The Emergency Housing Fund grant helped with Jung's rent payment, preventing the possibility of returning to a shelter and providing the stability needed to move forward.

> Without your help, I likely would not have been able to remain in my home and would have faced the possibility of returning to a shelter. Stable housing has given me the security and peace of mind I need to continue moving forward and focusing on my wellbeing."
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> **- Jung, EHF recipient**

The grant also helped Jung keep a beloved cat who has become an important source of emotional support and companionship. “During difficult times, having that constant comfort has made a tremendous difference in my life.”

For Jung, the assistance provided more than help with rent - it offered breathing room during an especially challenging time. “This grant I received helped me reduce the overwhelming stress I was feeling with my transition out of homelessness.”

> Thank you for believing in me and for giving me the opportunity to continue rebuilding my life. Your compassion and generosity have made a lasting impact, and I will always be grateful.”

EHF Program Info

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