PROVIDE quality, affordable housing

Diverse options create vibrant communities and encourage household stability. LISC works with nonprofit and for-profit partners to rehabilitate, build and maintain affordable housing throughout Richmond and Petersburg neighborhoods. LISC is often the first money in on a project, such as the BOSCO apartments and film studio in Petersburg, pictured above. Virginia LISC has financed 4,000 housing units since 1990.

On the following pages see how Virginia LISC works in communities across Richmond and Petersburg.

REVITALIZE business

Virginia LISC, Bon Secours Richmond Health System and Capital One are partners on the Supporting East End Entrepreneur Development (SEED) Program in Church Hill. The small-business grant program was designed to bring investment back to the 25th Street and Nine Mile corridor of Church Hill by offering grants of up to $25,000 to businesses looking to start or expand along the corridor. Five rounds later, 25 businesses have received SEED funding, including C. Alexander's Cleaners.
Virginia LISC’s network of three Financial Opportunity Centers (FOCs) connects residents to career development, financial coaching, credit building and income supports. Pictured above: The HumanKind FOC financial and employment coaches teach clients about the different options available.

Neighborhoods need to be healthy, safe environments for families and businesses to thrive. Virginia LISC brought eleven community partners together to identify three crime hot spots on the Northside and implement physical improvements to those areas. Another vital part of healthy communities is the leaders who blaze the trail for others. Virginia LISC and Virginia Housing Development Authority created the James E. Ukrop Scholarship program in 2010 to offer an annual scholarship for both the Emerging Nonprofit Leaders Program and the Leadership Metro Richmond Program. Ryan Rinn graduated from the Leadership Metro Richmond Program in 2016. He is the executive director of Storefront for Community Design.
LEVERAGE local support

Since 1990, Virginia LISC has raised $28.2 million locally, leveraging investments of $480 million for Virginia neighborhoods.

$1 raised by Virginia LISC attracts $17 in investments in the community.

WORK across Virginia

For the past 26 years, LISC has worked comprehensively in its communities and has provided support to more than 30 organizations, covering a broad spectrum of community-development needs from housing to building income and wealth.
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