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## **GOVERNOR MUSGROVE AWARDS HOME PROGRAM GRANTS**

JACKSON, Miss. – Governor Ronnie Musgrove recently announced the latest round of homeowner rehabilitation, homebuyer assistance, and new construction funds awarded through HOME Investment Partnerships Program. The forty-eight grants totaled \$13,641,000.

“The state of Mississippi is striving to improve the quality of life for every citizen. Through the HOME Investment Partnerships Program, we are helping communities build their capacity for growth and prosperity into the future,” commented Governor Ronnie Musgrove.

Communities awarded include:

- Great River Foundation, Jefferson County - \$316,628
- Greater Greenville Housing & Revitalization Association, Washington County, \$410,000
- Housing 2010, Jackson County - \$50,974
- Madison County Human Resource Agency, Madison County - \$54,943
- North Greenville Community Development Corporation, Washington County - \$298,226
- North Panola Community Resources Development Corporation, Panola County - \$357,379
- Rural Community Development Corporation, Claiborne County - \$420,000
- Valley Community Development Corporation, Leflore County - \$420,000
- Pearl Valley Valley Opportunity, Jones County - \$450,000
- Southwest Development Corporation, Jefferson County - \$450,000
- City of Baldwin - \$250,000
- City of Bay Springs – \$111,240
- City of Carthage - \$111,240
- Grenada County - \$250,000
- Jasper County - \$250,000
- City of McComb - \$250,000
- City of Natchez - \$250,000
- City of Newton - \$111,240
- Town of Raleigh - \$111,240
- Town of Rienzi - \$250,000
- Town of Beaumont - \$350,000
- City of Belzoni - \$350,000
- Bolivar County - \$191,651
- Choctaw County - \$350,000
- Clay County – \$350,000
- City of Cleveland - \$255,960

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- Town of Doddsville - \$122,761
- City of Eupora - \$350,000
- Greene County - \$350,000
- Holmes County - \$350,000
- Humphreys County - \$350,000
- Town of Lambert - \$350,000
- Montgomery County - \$350,000
- Town of Mount Olive - \$345,464
- Sunflower County - \$305,100
- Tallahatchie County - \$350,000
- Wayne County - \$350,000
- Town of Webb - \$350,000
- Webster County - \$350,000
- Town of Weir - \$350,000
- Winston County - \$5,288
- City of Batesville - \$267,500
- Town of Beulah - \$275,000
- Town of Como - \$275,000
- City of Greenville - \$382,500
- Jefferson County – \$420,000
- City of Winona - \$350,000
- Forrest County - \$21,666

The HOME Investment Partnerships Program is a housing grant program created by the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 for the purpose of expanding the supply of safe, sanitary, and affordable housing, strengthening the ability of state and local governments to provide housing, and expanding the capacity of non-profit Community-Based Housing Development Organizations (CHDOs). HOME funds can be directed toward a wide variety of housing development activities including: homeowner rehabilitation, reconstruction, new construction, administrative costs and homebuyer assistance.

The Mississippi Development Authority (MDA) administers the program, which is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to assist local units of government and community housing development organizations in their efforts to provide decent and affordable housing.

For more information about this and other grants available through the MDA's Community Services Division, contact MDA at 601/359-3179.

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