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Sponsor(s): Representatives Radcliff, Cooke, Skinner, O'Brien, Scott, Cooper, Conway, Costa, Lantz, Cole, Wolfe, Mason and Wood

Brief Title: Establishing a homelessness prevention program.

HB 1544 - DIGEST

Declares the goals of the program are to: (1) Provide temporary emergency mortgage loans or rental assistance loans on behalf of very low-income households on a state-wide basis who are unable to make mortgage, property tax, or rental payments on their residences and are at risk of losing their homes;

(2) prevent the dislocation of individuals and families from their permanent residences and their communities; and

(3) assist very low-income households to attain housing through loans for downpayment assistance, payment of rental security deposits, or rent.

Makes appropriations to carry out the purposes of the act.