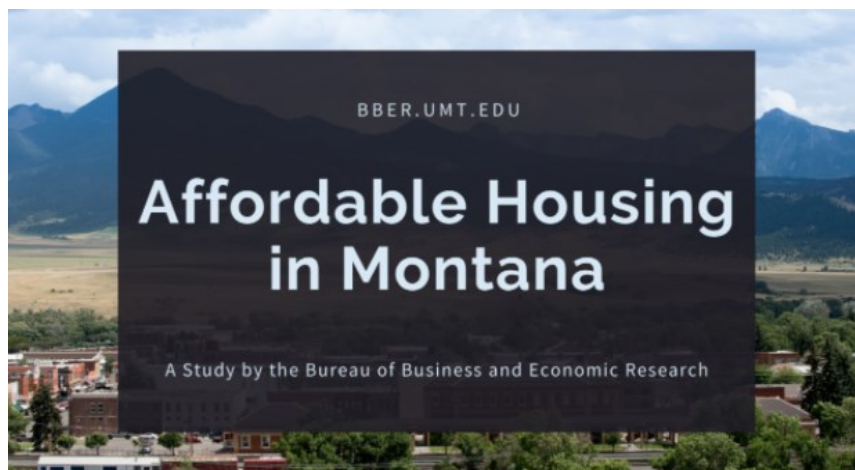


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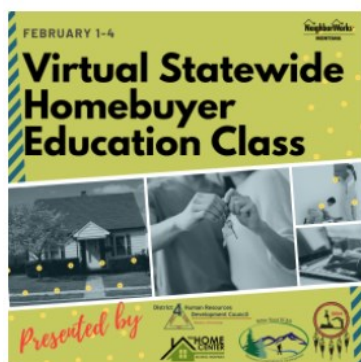
The Bureau of Business and Economic Research (BBER), a department of the University of Montana, recently presented a study that assesses the landscape of efforts for increasing the quantity and quality of available affordable homes in Montana and comparable states. The study was funded by a grant from the Montana Healthcare Foundation.

Our individual lives and the health of our communities are greatly impacted when we don't have an adequate supply of homes that are well maintained and affordable to working Montanans. Our state is experiencing a housing deficit, both with places to rent and own, and the need is becoming critical.

Thank you to the Montana Healthcare Foundation, Bureau of Business and Economic Research, and the many contributors for coming together to research and create this report! It provides valuable data and analysis to draw on as we seek viable solutions for our state.

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TIDBITS



HOMEBUYER EDUCATION

We are hosting a statewide virtual homebuyer education class February 1-4. Joining us will be partners from The Home Center in Billings, HRDC 4 in Havre, Bitter Root RC&D in Hamilton, and Salish Kooteni Housing Authority in Pablo. Click below for full details.

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Montana Resident Owned Communities (ROCs) received a combined \$243,099 through state and private grants to support community needs and provide stability in response to the impacts of COVID-19.

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