

Legislative Coalition for People with Disabilities  
HOUSING COMMITTEE  
FACT SHEET

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NEED	DESCRIPTION
<b>Olene Walker Housing Trust Fund</b>  <b>\$1,000,000</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Housing Trust Fund is the state's largest money source for funding affordable housing programs in the state. Utahan's with disabilities are experiencing a tremendous shortage in available, affordable and accessible housing in greater numbers than the general population. Many people with disabilities are dependent on a fixed income which barely allows them to survive let alone raise a family.</li></ul>
<b>Pamela Atkinson Homeless Trust Fund</b>  <b>\$750,000 ongoing</b> <b>\$1,000,000 one-time</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• This is an important fund for providing services for homeless families and individuals. Modest gains have been made in this account over past years, but more money is needed.</li></ul>
<b>Critical Needs Housing Fund</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• This fund is a small but important source of money for organizations that provide housing and rental assistance to citizens in our state.</li></ul>

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