

HOUSE BILL 136

**53RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2017**

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR RAPID REHOUSING SERVICES FOR  
HOMELESS PEOPLE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Two million dollars  
(\$2,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the human  
services department for expenditure in fiscal year 2018 for the  
New Mexico mortgage finance authority to assist people who are  
homeless with rapid rehousing services, including case  
management services, life-skills training, housing counseling,  
short-term and long-term rental assistance and other services  
that help homeless people obtain and maintain stable permanent  
housing. No more than five percent of this appropriation shall  
be used by the New Mexico mortgage finance authority for  
administrative expenses. Any unexpended or unencumbered

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