



Monday, February 24, 2020

Dear State Representatives:

We are writing to strongly support H.F. 3627, authored by Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn. Our organizations are committed to homeownership for all. We believe H.F. 3627 will assist Minnesotans in avoiding foreclosure and preserving homeownership.

The Minnesota Legislature created the reverse mortgage program to increase and maintain homeownership. We thank Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn and Legal Aid for bringing forward this common-sense, preventative approach to help senior citizens keep their homes.

Habitat for Humanity of Minnesota, Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity and the Minnesota Homeownership Center support efforts focused on the development of new homeownership, preparation of homebuyers and the preservation of affordable homeownership.

We ask you to continue to support efforts that center on safe, stable and affordable housing, including helping those who have utilized reverse mortgages.

Sincerely,

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