Majority Leaders' Roundtable on Affordable Housing

MEETING SUMMARY

Wednesday, March 13th, 2024

In attendance: Sen. Bob Duff (Co-chair), Rep. Jason Rojas (Co-chair), Sen. Marilyn Moore, Rep. Tony Scott, Comm. Seila Mosquera-Bruno, Nandini Natarajan, Rudy Marconi, Brian O' Connor, Neil Griffin Jr., Francis Pickering, Katie Stargardter, David McCarthy, Peter Zvingilas, Scott Gaul, Cindy Butts, Manisha Srivastava, Tina Lund, Peter Furst

Agenda Item I. Convene Meeting

Agenda Item II. Presentation – Manisha Srivastava, Tina Lund, and Peter Furst on the Connecticut Housing and Segregation Study:

The Majority Leaders' Roundtable on Affordable Housing met to hear a presentation from representatives of the Office of Policy and Management and their contractor, Urbanomics, concerning the Connecticut Housing and Segregation Study. The presenters provided the roundtable members with explanations of the study's process, findings, and recommendations based on those findings. The study displays the role of state policy, both historic and existing, in exacerbating segregation and concentrated poverty.

Agenda Item III. Discussion of Presentation:

Question and Answer:

Roundtable members asked the presenters questions concerning how existing state and local policies impact segregation, how solutions may be implemented, and why Urbanomics made certain decisions related to their research process and findings.

Agenda Item IV. Next Steps

Agenda Item V. Adjournment

Suggested Materials:

Connecticut Housing and Segregation Study

Connecticut Housing and Segregation Study Appendices

Connecticut Housing Data Hub

Housing Programs in Connecticut