



let's do more, together

Virginia Supportive Housing (VSH) Richmond, VA

Company Data Incorporated in January 1988, Virginia Supportive Housing is a private, non-profit community development corporation with a mission to provide permanent housing and support services to very low-income individuals and families who are homeless or have disabilities, transitioning them to be independent.

Project Data Revolving Line of Credit
Alice Tousignant, Executive Director

In Their Own Words "A program like this needs a reserve in order to successfully operate, so we needed a loan to make this happen. We were looking for a loan during one of the worst times in our economy, and were unsuccessful until VCC stepped in," Alice Tousignant, Executive Director.

Project Virginia Supportive Housing (VSH) partnered with the Greater Richmond Community Service Boards to implement a new program called A Place to Start (APTS). This housing program addresses chronic homelessness and mental illness. APTS is a regional program that provides housing and stability, allowing individuals to receive mental health services.

VCC's Role VSH is a certified mental health service provider, and bills directly to the federal government. The line of credit that VCC extended will fund the cash flow shortfalls that result from delays in receipts, which will enable VSH to continue to provide critical community services.

Community Impact VSH cannot end homelessness by providing housing alone. By offering both mental health recovery and housing, VSH provides a proven permanent solution to homelessness.



*Above: Treatment team that works with clients.
Below: Alice Tousignant, Executive Director*

