



Challenges to segregation

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Resources:

We have extensively covered Houston housing issues on [our blog](#), including [ways to make the City's general plan more equitable](#) and [how homeownership rates drive Houston's racial wealth gap](#).

Together with [Texas Organizing Project](#), we produced a [video about the Fair Housing and Neighborhood Rights campaign](#) in Houston. This campaign seeks a city ordinance guaranteeing all Houstonians four basic rights:

- The right to stay: Neighborhoods are revitalized and integrated without resident displacement.
- The right to choose: Residents can freely choose where to live without being subjected to discrimination.
- The right to equal treatment: All neighborhoods receive the same level of public services and city investment regardless of income level.
- The right to have a say: Residents are informed about and have the chance to make decisions for their communities.

[The historic conciliation agreement](#) that we signed with the State of Texas in 2010 regarding inequalities in disaster recovery housing in Houston and beyond.

[Houston's 2013 disaster recovery planning study](#) analyzed how to use recovery funds for community revitalization in targeted low income neighborhoods.

Our study of the Analyses of Impediments to Fair Housing from the City of Houston and the State of Texas found both to be insufficient. Read our comments:

[Texas](#)

[Houston](#)