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## **Press Release:**

## **Community Invited to Provide Input on Clayton County Housing Needs**

Clayton County Development Group (CCDG) has partnered with Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission (UERPC) to conduct a housing assessment to better understand the current status of housing in our area. The goal of this effort is to identify gaps and anticipate future housing needs in order to assist local stakeholders in finding solutions to current and future housing challenges.

All Clayton County residents, as well as those who work in Clayton County or frequently visit, are invited to take an online housing survey. The survey does not require any personally identifiable information, and all responses will remain anonymous. The information gathered will assist UERPC, CCDG, and other community stakeholders in understanding Clayton County's housing needs.

The survey is available at the following web address: surveymonkey.com/r/CC-Housing

People are encouraged to share the survey link with any and all people who live in, work in, or frequently visit Clayton County. The more people that complete the survey, the stronger the assessment will be.

Clayton County Development Group would also like to thank the following project partners: Northeast Iowa Telephone Company, Clayton County Foundation for the Future, and Ripple Effect, a program of Iowa Area Development Group.

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