IT’S A SIMPLE EQUATION...

THE COMMUNITY INVESTMENT ACT

= JOBS

You know that CIA funds are used for land preservation, historic preservation, and affordable housing...

...but you may NOT know that:

- 2,000 jobs were created in the affordable housing and historic preservation sectors due to CIA projects, including jobs for construction workers, architects, engineers, historic consultants, plumbers, electricians, masons, and jobs in the tourism industry.

- The $873 million outdoor recreation industry and the $3.5 billion dollar agricultural industry, which together generate 28,000 jobs, is strengthened by CIA investments in local farm businesses and land protection.

- 157 dairy farm businesses were saved with CIA support.

The Community Investment Act has exceeded all expectations by stimulating a distinct economic sector - the Community Investment Sector. 200% in matching funds from private, federal, and local sources have been raised to match the state’s CIA dollars.

A portion of every CIA dollar collected has stayed in the local community for capital investment. The rest has provided critical funding for CIA projects in nearly every town and city in the state.
FEE BREAKDOWN

$40 Fee

$1 remains with Town Clerk

$3 for municipal capital projects

$10 for dairy support

The remaining $26

25% to Farmland Preservation
25% to Open Space Conservation
25% to Historic Preservation
25% to Affordable Housing

How has the Community Investment Act helped your community?

NEW LONDON

New London Main Street
CT Main Street
$20,000

St. James Episcopal Church
State Historic Preservation Office
CT Trust
$25,000

City of New London
State Historic Preservation Office
$50,000

New London Historical Society
State Historical Preservation Office
$19,523

Alliance for Living
State Historic Preservation Trust
$3,125

Lighthouse
CT Trust

New London Landmarks
State Historic Preservation Office
$120,078

New London Public Library
State Historic Preservation Office
$40,000

Town of New London
Department of Agriculture
$49,000

Trustees of The Pequot Chapel
State Historic Preservation Office
$32,000

New London Maritime Society
State Historic Preservation Office
$29,800

St. Mary Star of the Sea Convent
CT Trust
$16,423

Connecticut College
State Historic Preservation Office
$101,500

FRESH New London
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
$126,350

Hempsted Houses, CT Landmarks
State Historic Preservation Office
$42,625

New London Community Gardens
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
$66,625

New London County Historical Society
CT Trust
$7,500

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