

ACCESSIBLE HOUSING FOR ALL

PASS HB 5268 & SB 714

40th ANNIVERSARY
COMMUNITY
PROVIDER NETWORK
OF RHODE ISLAND



WHAT THE BILL DOES

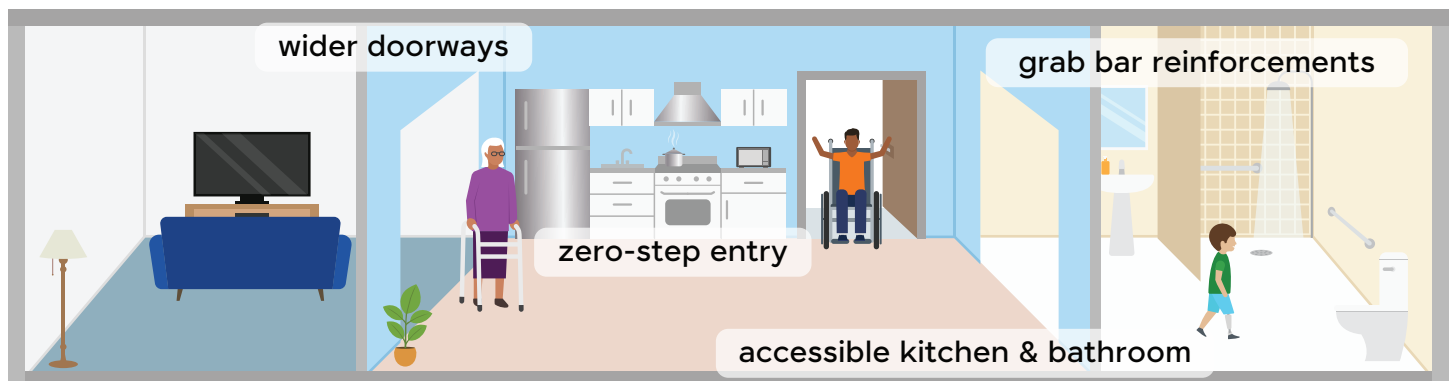
- ✓ Makes all new, multi-family housing units more accessible
- ✓ Helps address a significant housing shortage for people with disabilities, older adults and more

HOW IT DOES THIS

- Requires **25% of all first-floor units** to be **fully accessible** (Type A)
- Requires the **other 75% of first-floor units & 100% of all other floors** to be **adaptable** (Type B)
- The **RI Department of Housing** will enforce these rules

FEATURE	TYPE A (FULLY ACCESSIBLE)	TYPE B (ADAPTABLE)
Step-Free Entrance	✓ Yes	✓ Yes
Wider Doorways	✓ Yes	✓ Yes
Accessible Kitchen & Bathroom	✓ Yes	⚠ Basic (can be modified later)
Grab Bar Reinforcements	✓ Yes	✗ No (but can be added later)

THIS IS WHAT OUR FUTURE COULD LOOK LIKE



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