

New London's first two government-sponsored housing projects were built almost next to each other 30 years apart. The U.S. Housing Corp.'s Project 157 was for an influx of defense workers during World War I. The homes were sold off two years after completion. Briarcliff, intended for moderate-income rentals, was the first project of the New London Housing Authority. MAP: SCOTT RITTER AND JOHN RUDDY/THE DAY | SOURCES: OPENSTREETMAP CONTRIBUTORS; CARTODB