

The Changing Landscape:
Partnering to Create Sustainable Communities

Agenda

Tuesday, September 13, 2011	
8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Participants Check-In
9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.	Welcome and Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Karen Jackson-Sims, Deputy Regional Administrator, HUD
9:10 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.	Plenary Session
	It's a New Day - HUD's 2012 Budget and Operating Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ed Jennings, Jr., Regional Administrator, HUD
9:30 a.m. - 10:40 a.m. - Concurrent Workshops (Session I)	
<i>Workshop I</i>	State of Georgia's Housing Market <u>Panelists:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trish O'Connell, VP Real Estate Development & Acquisitions, Atlanta Housing Authority • Vaughn Irons, CEO, ADP Solutions Inc., LLC • Ed Peace, Program Director, SF Housing, USDA- Rural Development <u>Moderator:</u> HUD Program Manager
<i>Workshop II</i>	Moving from Dependency to Sustainability <u>Panelists</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mary Paumen, Sr. Program Director, Local Initiative Support Coalition • My Trinh, Program Officer, Enterprise Community Partners • Amanda Thompson, Planning Director, City of Decatur <u>Moderator:</u> HUD Program Manager
<i>Workshop III</i>	Collaboration is the Key <u>Panelists</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Denis Blackburne, Senior VP, The Woda Group, LLC • Young Hughley, CEO, Resources for Residents and Communities • Honorable Willie Burns, Mayor, Washington, Georgia <u>Moderator:</u> HUD Program Manager
10:40 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.	Break
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12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<p>Lunch on Your Own (Grill and deli items are available at the concession stand)</p>
12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	<p>Luncheon Speaker Odetta MacLeish-White, Program Officer, Enterprise Community Partners</p>
1:20 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.	<p>Community Collaboration Sessions</p>
	<p><i>Uniting for a Better Community</i> (Refer to map for listing of communities by county)</p> <p><u>Moderators:</u> HUD Program Managers</p>
2:20 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	<p>Reports from Community Groups</p>
2:50 p.m.	<p>Next Steps and Closing Remarks</p>

Workshop Descriptions

- **State of Georgia’s Housing Markets**
An informative panel discussion on the state of Georgia’s housing market.
- **Moving from Dependency to Sustainability**
Speakers will offer insights on building more sustainable organizations and managing in the current fiscal environment. They will also offer survival strategies for successful organizations.
- **Collaboration is the Key**
Communities are facing significant challenges and with fewer and different kinds of resources. Speakers will share examples of successful partnerships and programs that are being implemented to meet housing needs and spur community and economic development while producing measurable outcomes.
- **Community Collaboration Sessions**
We have the vision and the passion. We know what the needs are in our community, but how do we achieve those goals? Can we do it alone or do we need partners? These sessions provide a forum for local leadership to discuss issues pertinent to their respective regions. OR

These sessions provide community leaders an opportunity to meet with other leaders in their region and discuss needs, opportunities, and strategies, and to report on their priorities to HUD and other partners. This process will provide important feedback to HUD as it works on the Fiscal Year 2012 and 2013 Agency Priorities.