Join HUD’s Industry-Wide Discussion on Advancing Racial Equity in Homeownership

The Department of Housing and Urban Development’s (HUD) Office of Housing Counseling and the Office of Single Family Housing are hosting an industry-wide discussion on Advancing Racial Equity in Homeownership.

This National Homeownership Event begins with a special video presentation by HUD Secretary Marcia Fudge. Afterwards, there will be a live, virtual discussion offering participants an opportunity to hear from housing counseling agencies, advocacy groups, academia, and HUD officials.

These experts will offer perspectives on what can be done to advance homeownership, help increase access to mortgage credit for more individuals and families and address serious affordability gaps. The speakers will also share insights on removing racial and other barriers to homeownership, particularly for communities of color and other underserved communities.

The panelists joining the discussion include:

- Seema Agnani – Executive Director, National Coalition for Asian Pacific Americans Community Development
- Ray Carlisle – President and Co-Founder of the National Association of Real Estate Brokers, Investment Division and Second Honorary President of the National Association of Real Estate Brokers
- Chris Herbert – Managing Director, Joint Center for Housing Studies at Harvard University
- Scott Olson – Executive Director, Community Home Lenders Association
- Ivy Perez – Policy and Research Manager, Center for NYC Neighborhoods
- Peter Torres – President, Mortgage Bankers of Association of Puerto Rico

To register for the event, see the details below:

Date: Thursday, June 24, 2021
Time: 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM (Eastern)
Registration: https://easthillmedia.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jW2hiYKQcWJ4aCqOEGPkw

Pre-registration is required no later than June 23, 2021. Early registration is encouraged as space is limited.

To learn more about HUD’s commitment to homeownership, visit HUD's National Homeownership Month 2021 web page for more information.

Quick Links

• Single Family Housing Events and Training: www.hud.gov/program_offices/housing/sfh/events
• Housing Counseling Weekly Training Digest: www.hudexchange.info/programs/housing-counseling/training-digest
• HUD’s National Homeownership Month 2021 Page: https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/housing/sfh/sfh_homeownership_month

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