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Subject: Training for Housing Counselors

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Training for Housing Counselors:

1. NeighborWorks Training Institute Comes to Los Angeles, CA on February 24 - 28, 2014:

One of the great US cities, Los Angeles is a place everyone feels like they've been to, even if they haven't. In the downtown area alone, Los Angeles has such ethnically and culturally diverse neighborhoods and sights, it's easy to see how, for over a century, the city has been a magnet for people from near and far. With its tremendous revitalization efforts on display, the city is a perfect backdrop for our gathering of affordable housing and community development professionals to learn and network. Join us in Los Angeles to build your skills and enhance your career. The Los Angeles NTI will focus on:

- Symposium ML921 Achieving Impact through Regional and Collaborative Approaches
- Exciting new and updated courses
- Community development in action courses with site visits
- Courses on Green and Sustainability
- Training in comprehensive community revitalization
- Focus on financial capability
- Innovations in Nonprofit Management and Leadership
- New Training in Single-Family and Small Business Lending
- Career enhancement opportunities, including degree credits and the NeighborWorks Professional Certificate Programs

Please visit NeighborWorks on-line to register today to for this great training opportunity: http://nw.org/network/training/upcoming/LANTI2014.asp

Save the Date for These Upcoming NeighborWorks® Training Institutes:

- May 19 23, 2014 Louisville, KY
- August 18 22, 2014 Orlando FL

More information can be found on NeighborWorks® training calendar at: http://trainingcalendar.nw.org/TrainingCalendar.aspx

2. NHNLA Training for Housing Counselors:

The National Council of La Raza Homeownership Network Learning Alliance (NHNLA) offers housing counselors extensive on-line training opportunities on a variety of topics. Please see the list of current courses below:

- January 08, 2014 Webinar: Home Equity Conversion Mortgage (HECM)
 Counseling
- January 14, 2014 Webinar: Basic Client Management Using Home Counselor Online (HCO)
- February 04, 2014 Advanced Client Management Using Home Counselor Online (HCO)
- February 11, 2014 Fair Housing Webinar

For more information, registration, and course details, please visit the NHNLA training Calendar at:

http://www.nhnla.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=Page.viewPage&pageId=538&parent ID=503&nodeID=1

3. Making Home Affordable Training:

Making Home Affordable (MHA) Training provides housing counselors with online training:

- January 06, 2014 MHA Training on the Impacts of CFPB Mortgage Regulations for Trusted Advisors
- January 08, 2014 MHA Training on the Impacts of CFPB Mortgage Regulations for Trusted Advisors
- January 09, 2014 CheckMyNPV.com
- January 13, 2014 Borrower Post-Modification Financial Counseling Requirement Briefing for Trusted Advisors
- January 22, 2014 Case Escalations for Trusted Advisors
- January 28, 2014 MHA Tools and Resources for Trusted Advisors

View the current training offerings online

at: https://mhaevents.webex.com/ec0605ld/eventcenter/program/programDetail.do?siteurl=mhaevents&theAction=detail&path=listevents_program&progID=208382
Please contact the MHA Training Team for any questions via email at: mha_training@fanniemae.com

4. HUD Early Delinquency Servicing and Loss Mitigation Program Training Comes to Oklahoma City, OK:

This training is broad ranged and includes full coverage on: HUD Handbook 4330.1 REV-5, Chapter 7, Delinquencies, Defaults, Mortgage Collection Activities and HUD's Loss Mitigation Waterfall Program. Additionally, overviews will be presented pertaining to Extension of Time Requests and Variances and Single Family Default Monitoring System. HUD's National Servicing Center (NSC) provides this training for HUD-approved mortgagees, HUD-approved Housing Counselors, and Nonprofit Housing Counselors. For-profit Housing Counselors are not permitted to attend this training. Training dates include:

- February 11-12, 2014
- May 13-14, 2014
- August 12-13, 2014

Seating is limited; register today to reserve your place. If you have any questions, please email eclass@hud.gov More information and registration information can be found on-line at:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/nsc/training

Bulk subscriptions:

Some housing counselors have asked, "How do I sign up my entire agency staff for housing counseling listserv updates?" It is easy... Just list your staff email addresses like this:

aaa@xyz.com bbb@xyz.com ccc@xyz.com

You can send in one email address or your entire agency. Email your list to: jerrold.h.mayer@hud.gov

If you have a housing counseling industry friend who you want to subscribe to this listsery, there are 3 other ways to sign up: 1. send them this link:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/ohc_listserv they can sign up for the listserv there; or 2: forward them this email; or 3: Visit: http://www.usa.gov and subscribe at:

http://apps.gsa.gov/FirstGovCommonSubscriptionService.php To unsubscribe - go to: http://portal.hud.gov/portal/page/portal/HUD/subscribe/mailinglist and click on "Housing Counseling" and follow the unsubscribe instructions on that page.

Some Helpful Links for Housing Counselors:

Technical support for Housing Counselors is available via email at: housing.counseling@hud.gov

HUD Housing Counseling webpage: www.hud.gov/housingcounseling

"The Bridge" is the HUD Office of Housing Counseling Newsletter; read archived issues on-line at:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/ohc_bridge

Housing Counseling Listserv archive:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/hcc/ohc_msg

Events & Training Calendar:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?mode=disppage&id=OHC_TRAINING

Contracting Opportunities:

http://portal.hud.gov/portal/page/portal/HUD/program_offices/cpo

Career Opportunities: http://www.usajobs.gov

Grant Opportunities:

http://portal.hud.gov/portal/page/portal/HUD/program_offices/administration/grants/fundsavail

Presidentially Declared Disaster Areas:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/nsc/disaster

Foreclosure Assistance:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/i_want_to/talk_to_a_housing_counselor

Making Home Affordable: http://www.makinghomeaffordable.gov/pages/default.aspx

Freddie Mac Housing Professionals Resource

Center: http://www.freddiemac.com/corporate/housingpros/

FHA Resource Center:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program offices/housing/sfh/fharesourcectr

This list will often provide training opportunities and event announcements for non-profit and local government HUD Housing Counseling partners. HUD does not endorse the organizations sponsoring linked websites, and we do not endorse the views they express or the products/services they or their community/business partners offer. For more information on HUD's web policies please visit:

http://www.hud.gov/assist/webpolicies.cfm

Thank you!!!!