

2nd Annual Chicagoland Native American Housing Fair

Saturday, September 21, 2019

10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

American Indian Center of Chicago (AIC)

3401 West Ainslie Street

Chicago, IL 60625

AGENDA

10:00 AM – 10:20 AM	Welcome and Opening Comments <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mark Butterfield, Administrator – Eastern/Woodlands Office of Native American Programs• Heather Miller, Executive Director – American Indian Center• Rossana Rodriguez, Alderman – 33rd Ward• Joseph P. Galvan, Regional Administrator – U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
10:20 AM – 10:50 AM	Overview of Indian Housing: Panel Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kevin Fitzgibbons, Principal - Fitzgibbons & Associates• Pam Silas, Associate Director for Community Outreach and Engagement – Northwestern University Center for Native American and Indigenous Research• Ivan Arenas, Associate Director for Community Partnerships Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy – University of Illinois at Chicago
10:50 AM – 11:30 AM	Rental Resources: Panel Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Elillian Lewis, Portfolio Management Specialist – Public Housing, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development• Sherry Rontos, Coordinator of Special Projects - Dept. of Planning & Development, City of Chicago
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Homeownership Resources: Panel Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Racheal Falzone/Rosie Verdin - Illinois Housing Development Agency• Sherry Rontos, Coordinator of Special Projects - Dept. of Planning & Development, City of Chicago• Veronica Burgos, Equal Opportunity Specialist – Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development• Iris Friday, Grants Management Program Analyst – Northwest Office of Native American Programs• Kevin Barrett, Manager – Bank of England• Nancy Bainbridge, SVP/Tribal and Construction Loan Officer – Bank 2• Karen Woods, Director of Homeownership Services - Neighborhood Housing Services of Chicago• Ibi Cole, Certified General Appraiser - Cole Consulting

12:30 PM – 12:45 PM	Illinois Landlord/Tenant Law: Overview of Tenants Rights <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regina Rizzo, Outreach Coordinator - Legal Aid Chicago
12:45 PM – 1:15 PM	LUNCH BREAK
1:15 PM – 1:30 PM	Fair Housing Law: Rights and obligations in renting and buying <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michael Seng, Professor of Law and Director - The John Marshall Law School Legal Support Center
1:30 PM – 1:45 PM	Credit Counseling: How credit scores impact your ability to rent or purchase a home <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rachel Zemke, Attorney - Consumer Practice Group with Legal Aid Chicago
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	Planning for the Future: LIHTC Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shelly Tucciarelli, President – Visionary Ventures NFP Pam Silas, Associate Director for Community Outreach and Engagement – Northwestern University Center for Native American and Indigenous Research
2:30 PM – 2:50 PM	Closing Panel Discussion: Open Q&A with presenters
2:50 PM – 3:00 PM	Closing Remarks
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Networking: Information tables – Break out with table representatives