

National Community Development Association

Virtual Winter Conference

January 27 - 29, 2021

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27 | 11:45 am - 6:00 pm (All Times Eastern)

11:45 am – 12:55 pm

New to NCDA Orientation

Are you new to NCDA? Want to learn more about the Association? This orientation will provide an introduction to NCDA for new members and first-time conference participants.

11:45 am - 12:55 pm

Pre-Conference Networking -

Sit down at the virtual table, bring a lunch or a snack, have a coffee, make new friends, chat with colleagues.

1:00 pm – 2:55 pm Welcome & HUD Policy Update

Hear the latest from senior HUD officials on the CARES Act and other policy updates. The update will include the latest news on affirmatively furthering fair housing requirements, Section 3 final rule, CARES Act waivers and reporting, and other news. At the end there will be a chance to ask questions of senior HUD staff.

3:00 pm – 3:55 pm

Providing Emergency Assistance under COVID 19

Panelists will discuss the use of CDBG-CV, FY19 and FY20 CDBG funds, and HOME funds for temporary rental assistance, mortgage assistance, and utility assistance to assist people economically impacted by COVID-19.

4:00 pm – 4:25 pm Networking Break – Open Discussion of CARES Act Issues

4:30 pm – 5:30 pm **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS** Community Development Track: Subrecipient Agreement Requirements (Required Elements) Housing Track: Establishing a TBRA Program Economic Development Track: Section 108: Real World Examples Professional Development Track: Effective Supervision Tips Training Track: NCDA Training I - For current and prospective trainers (Repeated Thursday)

5:35 pm – 6:30 pm

Regional Caucus Networking

Join peers from your region for a discussion of your regional issues and organization. These forums are open to everyone from their region.

6:30 pm – 7:30 pm ET Virtual Reception Join your peers from around the country for informal networking.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28 | 12 Noon - 7:30 P.M. EDT

11:00 am - 11:55 pm

Pre-Conference Networking –

Sit down at the virtual table, bring a lunch or a snack, have a coffee, make new friends, chat with colleagues.

Noon – 12:55 pm

Legislative Update

Congress is working on another coronavirus response package that includes key housing and community development resources to help communities address COVID-19. Congress is also busy with the FY21 spending bills. This informal roundtable discussion will provide the latest updates from Congressional staff.

1:00 pm – 2:10 pm

Microenterprise & Small Business Assistance with CV and Regular Funds

Join members who have experience with programs providing Microenterprise & Small Business Assistance with CDBG-CV and regular CDBG funds, share their experiences and best practices.

2:15 pm – 3:25 pm

Best Practices in Consolidated Planning

- Creative Ways to Condense and Share the Con Plan and CAPER with the Public
- How to Incentivize Public Participation
- Regional Consolidated Planning

3:30 pm – 3:55 pm Networking Break – Open Discussion of Today's Sessions

4:00 pm – 5:25 pm ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS

Community Development Track: Recruitment of Subrecipients and Contractors Housing Track: HOME Program Subsidy Layering Economic Development Track: Using CDBG for Job Training and Workforce Development Professional Development Track: Navigating Political Challenges Training Track: NCDA Training II - For current and prospective trainers (Repeat of Weds.)

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm ET **Virtual Reception** Join your peers from around the country for informal networking.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29 | 12 Noon - 6:00 P.M. ET

11:00 am – 11:55 pm **Pre-Conference Networking** – Sit down at the virtual table, bring a lunch or a snack, have a coffee, make new friends, chat with colleagues.

Noon - 1:25 pm **Community Development Best Practices** Winners of the 2021 Audrey Nelson awards will present their community development best practices.

1:30 pm - 2:25 pm

CARES Act Funding: Best Practices

• Acquiring motels/hotels for affordable housing

- Public Services best practices
- Best practices for avoiding duplication of benefits
- Homelessness Prevention Strategies

2:30 pm – 2:55 pm Networking Break – Open Discussion of CARES Act Best Practices (Bring yours to the table)

3:00 pm – 4:25 pm CARES Act Funding: Lessons Learned

4:30 pm – 4:55 pm Networking Break – Open Discussion of CARES Act Lessons Learned (Bring yours to the table)

5:00 pm Closing Remarks

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm ET Virtual Reception Join your peers from around the country for informal networking.