




The Housing Conference
2017
AUGUST 21-22, 2017, BOSTON, MA

Innovations and Initiatives

Michele Lazdowsky, Presenter
Becky Gligo, Presenter





Community Building Dedham Housing Authority

Joanne Toomey
Representative Paul
McMurtry

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Dedham Housing Authority

- Gus Toomey Veteran's Playground
 - 2017 National NAHRO AWARD OF MERIT- Innovation Resident/Client Services
 - Community Involvement-Volunteers
- Legislative Involvement
- Community
- Donations
 - Pickets and Tiles

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Holiday Gift Giving

- Collaboration with local agencies
 - Maintain one list within the town
 - Collect and distribute to 300 children serving over 100 families
- Community partners
- How to collaborate
- Adopt a family

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The Little Library

- Promoting community literacy
 - Libraries at each development and throughout the community
 - Community Involvement
- 2017 National NAHRO/New England Regional NAHRO/ Mass. NAHRO Award winners
- Nationwide Challenge - Felicia Fox
- Little Library and Book Donation
 - Spread the word

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Consolidated Leadership

Candace Loewen

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Multi Agency Collaboration

- Small Agencies- 1 Executive Director
 - Why this is a viable option?
 - Cost savings?
 - Resource sharing?
 - Successes
- Board Involvement
 - Board Reporting
- Community Involvement
 - Partnerships

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Local, State and Federal Involvement

- SMEDA-
 - Southern Massachusetts Executive Directors Association
 - Direct collaboration with other ED's in the area
- Section 8 Administrators
 - Training and collaboration on all changes in the HCV program serving New England Region
- Massachusetts NAHRO
 - Training and legislation for all agencies in Mass.
 - NERC NAHRO serving New England

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NMA
Leadership Academy

Kaitlin Gligo
Emily Ordonez


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2018 NMA Leadership Academy
for emerging leaders


**Have you ever wondered what you can do to further your career in affordable housing?
Interested in supervisor or manager opportunities?
We have very exciting news for you!**

NMA is pleased to expand our Internal Leadership Academy to emerging leaders in the affordable housing industry! NMA's Leadership Academy is an intensive training and mentorship program with live training, study sessions, and mentorship opportunities. Students can choose to earn certifications in the tracks of their choice or complete all five tracks to participate in the NMA Leadership Academy graduation.

Want to learn more? Contact Jason Lee at 800.783.3100 x146 or jason@nanmckay.com



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2018 NMA Leadership Academy

Join us for the 2018 NMA Leadership Academy! Select one or more tracks to earn an NMA Leadership Academy certification or complete the entire program to participate in graduation. All tracks are offered online through live, interactive training sessions.

2018 NMA Leadership Academy Schedule	
Track	Length (2 sessions per month)
Leadership and Management <small>Management styles, emotional intelligence, effective communication, action plans, and more.</small>	3 months
Finance <small>Working with a finance department, PHA finance, budgeting, utilization, and more.</small>	2 months
Reporting <small>Monthly RC-EV and VMS reporting, HUD tools, FSS logic model, waitlist, and more.</small>	2 months
Technology <small>Industry software, SharePoint, and more.</small>	1 month
Policies and Procedures <small>Business writing, strategic planning, legal framework, labor unions, proposals, and more.</small>	3 months

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Spotlight on NMA Housing Award Winners

Jeni Rios- Nevada Rural HA
Tisha Pinkney-Broward County
Sheneeka Perry-Broward County
Stacia Buck-CMHA
Shanna Castillo-NYCHA

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