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Registration for NAHMA Virtual March Meeting Closes Today

Alexandria, Va., March 2, 2021 — This is the last chance to sign up for the National Affordable Housing Management Association (NAHMA) Biannual Top Issues in Affordable Housing virtual winter conference. Registration closes today, Tuesday, March 2, at 5 p.m. Eastern. The multiday event, March 8-11, will focus on virtual panels concentrating on the top issues facing affordable housing, including a Communities of Quality Awards panel and a virtual Industry and AHMA Awards ceremony. The virtual event is being held in place of the in-person event held each March in Washington, D.C.

On March 8, hear the best practices utilized by this year's <u>COQ Awards winners</u> during a virtual panel discussion led by NAHMA President Michael Simmons. Then join the association on March 9 in honoring the winners of the annual <u>AHMA and Industry Awards</u> in a virtual ceremony hosted by NAHMA Past-President Gianna Richards and featuring such noted award recipients as Statesman of the Year honoree Karen Steinbaum.

The annual meeting features numerous educational panels geared explicitly toward the affordable housing industry led by experts in their fields. Among the <u>speakers</u> confirmed to date are Toby Halliday, director of the Office of Asset Management and Portfolio Oversight for the Department of Housing and Urban Development; David A. Vargas, MSA, CPA, deputy assistant secretary, Real Estate Assessment Center; Dan Williams, program manager, NSPIRE; Nancie-Ann Bodell, assistant deputy administrator, Multifamily Housing Programs, Rural Development, Department of Agriculture, and other senior staff from HUD and Rural Development. Panels featuring government officials and other special guests are not open to the media and may not be recorded.

For an at-a-glance preliminary agenda, a detailed agenda, and speakers' bios, visit the <u>Meetings</u> page on the NAHMA website. The NAHMA meeting is made possible by Platinum sponsors, Buyers Access, HD Supply Multifamily Solutions, USI Insurance Services, and Silver sponsor HAI Group.

For more information regarding the meeting, contact Brenda Moser, director of meetings and membership, by calling 703-683-8630, ext. 114, or emailing brenda.moser@nahma.org.

Please share your thoughts, ideas, questions for panelists, and excitement about the upcoming NAHMA March virtual meeting using #nahma21 on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u>, and <u>Twitter</u> and tell us what you think is the most pressing issue facing the affordable housing industry for 2021.

NAHMA is the leading voice for affordable housing management, advocating on behalf of multifamily property managers and owners whose mission is to provide quality affordable housing. NAHMA supports legislative and regulatory policy that promotes the development and preservation of decent and safe affordable housing, is a vital resource for technical education and information and fosters strategic relations between government and industry. NAHMA's membership represents 75% of the

affordable housing industry, and includes its most distinguished multifamily owners and management companies. Visit www.nahma.org for more information.

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