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Council of State Community Development Agencies 2017 | Denver, Colorado

2017 ANNUAL TRAINING CONFERENCE

Denver, Colorado

September 17 – 20, 2017

Preliminary Agenda

Sunday 9/17/2017	
12:00 - 5:00 p.m.	Registration
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	<p>Programmatic Roundtables</p> <p>This is your opportunity to talk with your peers about topics of interest to community development, housing and homelessness program managers. Stop by one or more Roundtables and join the discussion! Each Roundtable will focus on the topics listed, and will report out a brief summary of the discussion at the end of the session.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Development: Best practices for timely expenditure of CDBG funds • Housing: Containing costs in rapidly changing markets • Homelessness: Addressing homelessness in our rural areas-Balance of State coverage • IDIS: Con Plan/Action Plan Completion • Neighborhood Stabilization: NSP Grant Close Out
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	<p>COSCALA Board Meeting - Open to all conference attendees</p> <p>Open to all conference attendees</p>
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	<p>Meet and Greet</p> <p>Converse with colleagues new and old in a relaxed, informal atmosphere. Light refreshments will be served.</p>
Monday 9/18/2017	
7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Registration
7:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Coffee and tea service
8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks



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8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<p>Keynote- Exploring Nontraditional Revenue Sources To Fund Community Development</p> <p>Andrew Freedman, Co-Founder and Partner, Freedman & Koski</p>
9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	<p>Legislative and Regulatory Update</p> <p>COSCDA staff will provide updates on the federal budget, legislative developments and relevant U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development initiatives. Wondering what 2018 will bring? Join the staff for a lively discussion of the community development policy landscape and what to expect in the year to come.</p>
9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	<p>Networking break</p>

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Monday 9/18/2017 (continued)	
9:45 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.	Concurrent sessions or general session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural Projects (Community Development) • Housing: A Prescription for Improved Health (Housing and Homelessness)
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Board Busses to Depart to President's Reception
12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	President's Reception/Awards Luncheon-Red Rocks
2:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Mobile Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bringing School Home (Housing) • Watershed Planning Project (Community Development) • Bridge House-Ready to Work (Homelessness)
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Depart to Hotel
6:30 p.m.	Dinner on your own
Tuesday 9/19/2017	
7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Regional Caucus Breakfast and Meeting
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Awards Presentation Overview
10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	Networking Break
10:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	General Session- Successful Messaging
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Networking lunch



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Tuesday 9/19/2017 (continued)	
1:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.	<p>Concurrent Sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Shout Out for CDBG (community development) • Housing Trust Fund (Housing) • Metrics for Measuring Success (homelessness) • National Disaster Resiliency Competition (disaster recovery)
3:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Networking Break
3:30 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.	Committee Meetings - Open to all conference attendees
Wednesday 9/20/2017	
7:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Coffee and Tea service
8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Membership Forum and Business Meeting
9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Networking Break
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Briefing with Senior HUD Officials
12:00 p.m.	Meeting adjourned
12:00 p.m.- 1:30 p.m.	Board Meeting
Thursday 9/21/2017	
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p .m.	<p>Optional Disaster Recovery 301 Training</p> <p>There is no additional charge for this training. Please check the Disaster 301 Training box on Registration Form if you plan to attend.</p>