



20th Annual Affordable Housing & Community Development Conference
"Flexing for the Future: Traveling the Road to Home"
Marina Village Conference Center
Thursday, October 13, 2011

CONFERENCE INFORMATION SHEET

This sheet provides attendees with final information about the conference and "Things to Know" on site.

- The second page of this document includes a map and directions to the venue and specific conference locations at the venue. There is ample free parking.
- Dress code at the conference is Business Casual. Please keep in mind that rooms may vary in temperature and you may want a light jacket or wrap.
- All attendees must check in at registration prior to proceeding to any workshop room location or exhibit booth. **Registration and breakfast for regular attendees starts at 8:15am. Exhibitors ONLY coming to set up a booth may arrive at 7:45am but NO EARLIER.**
- If you need to make a change in registration name, please let Kelley know right away or by **October 11, 2011** to ensure receipt in time for the conference.
- Opening Keynote Session featuring David Smith will start at 9am. Make sure to come early to check out all the exhibits, grab some coffee and breakfast and listen to a very lively mock trial session.
- You may find the final schedule for the day at this link: You will also receive a program at check in with the schedule, maps, and speaker biographies. http://www.housingsandiego.org/events_conference.php
- Each workshop room at Marina Village has a drinking water dispenser in it. There will be disposable cups provided, but we encourage you to "go green" and bring a reusable covered water bottle or cup along with you.
- The exhibit area is held outside, rain or shine. Exhibit hours are as follows: 7:45-8:15am check in (Exhibitors only), then the exhibits are open from 8:15am to 3:30pm. We ask that all exhibitors are packed up and cleaned up by the end of the final session at 4:45pm. Any materials needing to be shipped **MUST** be picked up on site by 5:00pm prior to the reception.
- There is no longer a need to ask for a vegetarian entrée at lunch, as one will be included in the buffet lunch line. Raffle prizes are also announced during this session.
- Some of the Workshop coordinators have provided handouts and/or copies of their presentations online for you to grab prior to the conference. You may find those here at this link: <http://www.housingsandiego.org/2011ConferenceDetails.php>. Keep checking as more are added as they become available. This was not mandatory so there may be nothing listed there and there may be more after the conference.
- **NEW THIS YEAR-** We will be featuring a Scavenger Hunt at the conference. Each attendee will be given the chance to either answer 10-12 questions/find items throughout the day and those with correct answers will be eligible for the drawing of a pair of Chargers tickets at the Networking Reception. Winners **MUST** be present at the Reception to be eligible. **Ask for a green Scavenger Hunt sheet at registration when you check in. Sheet will due back to Registration by 3:30pm.**
- There is an onsite Reception from 5:00 pm to 6:30pm in the Dockside Room, a short walk down the way from the main conference area. This will serve as a Celebration of the Conference's 20th year. This is a **No Host Bar- CASH is preferred** for efficiency, but a credit card machine will be also be present. There will be light hosted appetizers. If you have not confirmed whether you can stay or not, you may email Kelley at kelley@housingsandiego.org to let her know.

**If you require a hotel room near the conference, please visit this link:

<http://www.housingsandiego.org/documents/ConferenceHotels.pdf>. We do not offer any special rates or blocks. *We highly recommend the Dana Inn for its proximity (walking distance) to MVCC.*

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Driving Directions & Workshop Locations

FROM INTERSTATE 5

Exit Sea World Drive. Turn **RIGHT** if you have exited going south, turn **LEFT** if you have exited going north. Continue on Sea World Drive for about 2 miles. West Mission Bay Drive will be on your right, just beyond the lanes marked with arrows to Sea World's entrance. Stay in the right-hand lane, continue around loop to right. After loop, merge all the way to the furthest left lane. At red light (Quivira Road), go left. (You will see the Dana Inn on the right and the Hyatt on the left.) Go left again immediately (Quivira Way). Continue about a half mile. MVCC is on the right-hand side, past Seaforth.

FROM INTERSTATE 8 WEST:

Take 8 West to the "Beaches" exit, past I-5. Exit West Mission Bay Drive on the right. Stay in the right-hand lane and continue over the bridge. After the bridge ends, West Mission Bay Drive continues on about 100 yards UNDER the overpass, and curves in a loop to the right. Do NOT continue straight on Ingraham. After loop, merge all the way to the furthest left lane. At red light Quivira Road, go left. (You will see the Dana Inn on the right and the Hyatt on the left.) Go left again immediately (Quivira Way). Continue about a half mile. MVCC are on the right-hand side, past Seaforth.

The venue has advised against using Mapquest as their directions are not correct. Mission Bay has lots of green signs with arrows toward Marina Village.
 MVCC is also accessible on MTS Transit Route 8/9 which has a stop at the light of Mission Bay Drive and Quivira Rd.



Location of Closest Parking Lot to Conference & Registration Area is between the C and D Buildings, marked as 1875. This would require going to the right in the parking lot after turning into Marina Village and look for the building marked 1875 “C.” **ALL ATTENDEES MUST CHECK IN UPON ARRIVAL AT REGISTRATION DESK PRIOR TO GOING TO ANY BREAKOUT ROOM.**

Opening Session	Captain's
Breakout Sessions:	
Housing Finance	Coral
Supportive Housing	E9
Design & Development	D8
Housing Operation	C1
Housing Issues	C8
Trends	Anchor
Lunch	Captain's
Reception	Dockside

