SAN DIEGO HOUSING FEDERATION

Weekly Brief

San Diego's Voice for Affordable Housing

LISC Roundtable Series Presents:

The Historical Arc of Affordable Housing

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In the second installment of the 2018 LISC Roundtable Series, SDHF Executive Director Stephen Russell and LISC San Diego Lending Program Officer Kwofi Reed will walk you through how affordable housing all began and how its history affects us-and our current efforts at increasing affordable housing-today.

Many professionals new to affordable housing are thrown into the industry, forced to learn and adhere to many rules and regulations that may not have obvious justifications. Understanding the historical context of affordable housing, from early 20th century tenement slums to 60's civil rights efforts, can shed light on why affordable housing works the way it does today. Novices and experienced practitioners alike will have the chance to reexamine their perspectives, share their own experiences on this industry, and walk away with a better sense of the arc of history of affordable housing.

Wednesday, February 21, 2018 **Registration 8:30 am - 9:00 am** **Program, 9:00 am - 11:00 am**	**The San Diego Foundation** **2508 Historic Decatur Rd., #200** **Hoffman Room** **San Diego, CA 92106**

$25 Members // $35 Non-Members
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RUBY AWARDS
Call for Nominations Now Open!

As you begin a new and exciting year, take the opportunity to nominate an outstanding professional, agency or project that helped to move affordable homes in the San Diego region forward.

Click here to review the award categories. Keep in mind that you are welcome to self-nominate. Below are two ways to get started:

Click here to start your online nomination(s) submission.   **Or download the pdf form or word doc to submit**

Submit your nomination(s) to **Sarah Buchanan** no later than **5:00 PM on Friday, February 16, 2018.**

**2018 Ruby Awards will be held on
Thursday, May 3, 2018 at the Prado in Balboa Park**

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NEW!
Property Management Support Network
First Meeting: Wednesday, February 14

Wakeland Housing and Development Corporation is hosting a Property Management Support Network for property management staff working in affordable housing to come together to share ideas and resources through educational forums, networking opportunities and peer learning. Topics will include working with tenants with mental illness, building a sense of community, eviction prevention, lease-up, pest control, hoarding, and many others designed to help support anyone working in this challenging field.

Meetings will be held the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month from 8 - 9:30 a.m.

The first meeting will be held Wednesday, February 14th at Atmosphere, located at

1453 Fourth Avenue in downtown San Diego. Meetings will include coffee and light refreshments. A call-in option will also be made available for those that cannot attend in person.

Wednesday, February 14, 2018
Registration 8:00 am - 9:30 am

Atmosphere
1453 Fourth Avenue
San Diego, CA 92101

Please email Rebecca Louie at **rlouie@wakelandhdc.com** if you are interested in attending.

SAVE THE DATE

CHARTING THE COURSE

Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Fair Housing Act
Friday, April 6, 2018
Keynote Speaker Richard Rothstein

San Diego Central Library
Shiley Room, 9th floor
330 Park Blvd
San Diego, CA 92101

Registration
Opens Monday,
February 19, 2018

SDRAFFH

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The San Diego Regional Alliance for Fair Housing (SDRAFFH), the San Diego Housing Federation, and LISC San Diego are proud to host the 3rd Annual Fair Housing Conference in celebration of SDRAFFH's 50th anniversary.

Join fair housing practitioners, policy makers, housing advocates and developers, community leaders, and top experts in discussing and exploring fair housing discrimination issues and solutions to improving our communities by reflecting on our past, examining our present, and looking to our future.

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**2018 Ruby Awards: Thursday, May 3, 2018
The Prado in Balboa Park**

2018 Fundamentals of Affordable Housing & RSSN Institutes: Wednesday, October 3
2018 Affordable Housing & Community Development Conference: Thursday, October 4
San Diego Marriott Marquis & Marina

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