



DSHA Highlights

Delaware Affordable Housing News and Events
July 18, 2017

HDF Technical Assistance Meetings Offered



Technical assistance meetings for developers applying for the annual funding round for the Delaware Housing Development Fund can be scheduled through July 28.

Meetings are encouraged for all, but only required for new applicants. The HDF provides developers of affordable housing with loan financing and supports other programs.

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The HDF does not provide assistance to individuals. Its programs include Homeownership Production Grants, Housing Support Grants, Energy and Accessibility Grants, and HDF Non-Low Income Housing Tax Credit Loans. Project applications are due 4 p.m. August 30.

For questions about the program or application process, visit http://www.destatehousing.com/Developers/dv_hdf.php.

Sussex Comprehensive Plan Housing Workshop

The Sussex County Planning & Zoning Commission will hold a workshop on the housing element of the county's 2018 Comprehensive Plan on Friday, July 28, at the County Council Chambers, 2 The Circle, Georgetown.

Public comment will take place at 9 a.m., with a presentation to the Commission and discussion to follow. Comments can also be submitted through sussexplan.com for those unable to attend.

Volunteer Award Nominations Accepted

Do you know a person, organization, group or company that deserves recognition for its volunteer work? Nominations are open until August 11 for the [Governor's Outstanding Volunteer Service Awards](#).

Nomination forms are available at VolunteerDelaware.org, by emailing dhss_VolunteerDelaware@state.de.us, or calling 302-857-5006.

Fresh Start Helps Delawareans Recover

From Recession



The Fresh Start program, a partnership of DSHA and Stand By Me, helps Delaware families and individuals who have experienced foreclosures, job loss, or other financial difficulties stemming from the financial crisis that began in 2008.

Fresh Start offers free financial coaching to help Delawareans move toward home ownership again. The statewide program, funded by bank settlements, was developed to help Delawareans who lost their homes due to foreclosure, short sale, or deed in lieu arrangements.

They may wish to improve credit, increase savings, or decrease debt to put them in a better position to buy a home or rent.

Information on Fresh Start can be found at standbymede.org/fresh, or a coach can be reached by calling:

New Castle County: [302-504-3549](tel:302-504-3549) or [302-652-3991](tel:302-652-3991),
ext. 106

Kent County: [302-678-9400](tel:302-678-9400)

Sussex County: [302-855-1370](tel:302-855-1370)

Delaware Housing Jobs



Does your organization have a job opening? Would you like to see it listed in the next edition of Highlights?

Email us with the subject line “JOB OPENING” at DSHAHighlights@destatehousing.com.

[Sussex County Habitat for Humanity: Construction Director](#)

[Sussex County Habitat for Humanity: Site Supervisor](#)

[Sussex County Habitat for Humanity: Neighborhood Revitalization Site Supervisor](#)

Upcoming Delaware Housing Events



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