



DSHA Highlights

Delaware Affordable Housing News and Events May 1, 2018

Delaware NAHRO Conference Registration Open



The Delaware Chapter of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials will hold its <u>annual conference on May 18</u> at the University of Delaware's Virden Center in Lewes. With a theme of "Reimagining Affordable Communities," sessions will include redevelopment initiatives, innovative solutions, understanding the impact of design and

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transforming communities.

Encouraged to attend are community leaders, nonprofits, bankers, homeless service providers, land use officials, housing officials, elected and appointed officials, business owners, developers and investors.

Register today or contact Paula Sims with questions, <u>paula@denahro.org</u> or 302-252-7531.

Register for DE NAHRO

DDD Large Project Deadline May 21



Deadline is May 21 for large projects

The spring 2018 <u>Downtown Development District</u> <u>rebate program</u> round is now open and accepting applications!

Please visit <u>DSHA's website</u> for program guidelines, applications and forms.

The DDD program is designed to spur private investment in the state's downtown districts, with \$21 million in rebates having leveraged \$371 million in total investment in eight districts over the last three years. It provides up to 20 percent rebates on qualified real property investments in the eight designated districts.

Who: The application period is for large property construction or redevelopment project investments of more than \$250,000. Qualified applicants include property owners, tenants, for-profit developers, nonprofit organizations, businesses and homeowners.

Districts are located in Dover, Georgetown, Harrington, Laurel, Milford, Seaford, Smyrna and Wilmington.

What: Eligible project expenses include capital investments on rehabilitation, expansion or new construction for commercial, industrial, residential or mixed-use buildings within the district boundaries. Rebates are issued after the project is completed.

How Much: Approximately \$5.9 million in rebate funding is available during this round for large-project investors (investments greater than \$250,000) and \$2 million for small-project investors (between \$15,000 and \$250,000).

How To Apply: <u>Large-project investment</u> <u>applications</u>must be received by DSHA by 4 p.m. on May 21.

Small project applications are accepted on a rolling basis throughout the year as long as funding is available. Other local and state incentives are also

available.

- Learn More about the DDD Program
- Click Here for Application Information

Funding Available for Permanent Supportive Housing Deadline Extended to May 21



Nonprofit organizations wanting to develop permanent supportive housing for people experiencing homelessness or with disabilities can now apply for \$1 million in federal funding through the Delaware State Housing Authority.

Projects should serve people who are experiencing homelessness; who are experiencing homelessness and mental health or substance abuse issues; or who have disabilities, particularly people who are at high risk of homelessness or institutionalization. They must provide long-term housing with supportive services,

allowing residents to live as independently as possible.

Loan funding comes from both the National Housing Trust Fund and the HOME Investments Partnership Program, both federal funds administered by DSHA.

How To Apply: Applicants must be 501(C)(3) nonprofit developers and complete an application available at destatehousing.com. Applications are due by 4 p.m.

May 21. Find applications here.

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.

DSHA: Planner III

Downtown Dover Partnership: Executive Director

<u>Habitat for Humanity of New Castle County: Director</u> <u>of Construction Operations</u>

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NCALL: Loan Fund Accounting Associate

NCALL: Loan Fund Loan Officer

Sussex County: Assistant County Engineer

Sussex County: Project Engineer I

Sussex County: Project Engineer II

Sussex County: Project Engineer III

Sussex County: Engineering Technician IV

Upcoming Delaware Housing Events



Does your organization have an event you would like to see posted in the next edition of Highlights?

Email us with the subject line "EVENT" at DSHAHighlights@destatehousing.com.

May 2- MHDC 4th Annual Breakfast

May 5- Homebuyer Education Worskhop

May 16- <u>Delaware State Housing Authority Huling</u> <u>Cove Meeting</u>

July 18 & October 17- <u>Delaware Continuum of Care</u> <u>Quarterly Membership Meeting</u>

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