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Delaware Affordable Housing News and Events
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Mark Palim is Morning Keynote Speaker for the Governor's Conference on Housing

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Strengthening Our Communities Together



Dr. Mark Palim is Fannie Mae's Vice President and Deputy Chief Economist. He is responsible for overseeing the Economic and Strategic Research Group's forecasting functions. He also manages multi-disciplinary partnerships across the company to

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address specific business issues facing Fannie Mae.

Dr. Palim is a key spokesperson on economic trends and a frequent speaker at national mortgage finance and housing industry events.

Registration is now open for the 2018 Delaware Governor's Conference on Housing, to be held September 6 at Dover Downs Hotel & Casino. [Sign up as an attendee, or exhibitor.](#)

The conference attracts hundreds of affordable housing professionals, advocates, officials and others for a day of information-packed workshops and networking.

Sessions will cover homeownership, rental, community development and homelessness/special populations. This year's theme is "Strengthening Our Communities Together."

For questions or information, please [email DSHA](#).

We're looking forward to seeing you at the conference!

**The Residences at Mid-Town Park
Celebrates Grand Opening**



The Buccini/Pollin Group held a grand opening and ribbon-cutting for The Residences at Mid-Town Park, a 200-unit luxury apartment community in Wilmington.

This investment is supported by the [Downtown Development District rebate program](#).

The Residences features two buildings connected via a skybridge. It includes amenities such as a gym, pool, clubhouse, terrace, business center, music practice room, movie screening room and demonstration kitchen. There will be about 12,000 feet of ground-floor retail across four storefronts.

DSHA administers the DDD rebate program to directly spur investments leading to the rehabilitation, expansion or new construction of commercial, industrial, residential or mixed-use buildings within a district.

Since the launch of the program, DSHA has given out or reserved \$21 million in rebate funds for a total investment of \$371 million in our downtowns – 102 projects total across eight districts.

Speakers included Governor John Carney, Mayor Michael S. Purzycki, City Council President Hanifa Shabazz, Robert Buccini, Co-President of The Buccini/Pollin Group and Michael Hare, Executive Vice President of The Buccini/Pollin Group.

New Home4Good Funding Fights Homelessness Deadline August 27



To assist nonprofit organizations working on homelessness initiatives, DSHA and the Federal Home Loan Bank of Pittsburgh have partnered to support stable housing for individuals and families who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

The new Home4Good program is now accepting applications for funding projects that include Rapid Re-Housing, Homelessness Diversion, Homelessness Prevention, and Innovation. Home4Good has \$1.2 million in funds available, an increase of \$700,000 over prior homelessness funding initiatives. Home4Good will now fund all activities that were previously supported by the Housing Support grants from the state Housing Development Fund.

Full documentation, including a list of nonprofit categories that are eligible to apply, is available at the Home4Good webpage.

Delaware Housing Jobs



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Upcoming Delaware Housing Events



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August 23 - [Open House Event for the City of Dover Comprehensive Plan](#)

October 17- [Delaware Continuum of Care Quarterly Membership Meeting](#)

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