

HUD's Office of Native American Programs Training Announcement

Board of Commissioners Training

October 2-3, 2019

Registration and sign-in begins at: 8:30AM

Instruction begins at 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM



*Please note: Cancellation can take place due to low enrollment or unforeseen circumstances. Participants will be alerted as soon possible should this occur. Enrollment numbers will be assessed a week prior to the training dates.

Overview

This one and one-half day basic to intermediate training will cover: What governing bodies and leaders need to know about funding structure and the Indian Housing Block Grant; What does it mean to designate a TDHE to administer the Tribe's block grant; Fiduciary responsibilities of the tribal governing body or Board of Commissioners; Conflicts of interest; Financial responsibilities that housing authorities and tribes have to meet; Admission, procurement, and management policies; Federal laws prohibiting housing discrimination; What happens when HUD monitors your program; Day to day operations – how to make decisions, address complex issues; The relationship between the governing body and the Executive Director/CEO/Tribal Department Head; Developing Housing – Challenges and new ideas; Common problems facing Housing Programs; Responding to constituents; and Current Legal issues.

Trainer

Gabe Layman is the Chief Operating Officer for Cook Inlet Housing Authority (CIHA). He previously served as CIHA's Executive Vice President and General Counsel, and he has a decade and a half of experience as in-house legal counsel to mission driven organizations. Today, Gabe oversees CIHA's community development work, homelessness initiatives, legal department, and risk management activities, and he is responsible for ensuring compliance with legal and regulatory requirements at the federal, state, and local levels. He has served as tribal support staff for two national Negotiated Rulemaking Committees and has been recognized by the National American Indian Housing Council as its "Lawyer of the Year."

Who should attend?

New and veteran board members, executive directors, tribal council members, and any other staff interested in the roles and responsibilities of the Board of Commissioners as it pertains to NAHASDA.

Location: The Dimond Center Hotel
700 E Dimond Blvd
Anchorage, AK 99515
(907) 770-5000

DISCOUNTED RATES available for attendees of Association of Alaska Housing Authorities training. Register online with Group Code AAHA101

Registration:

- ▶ To register for the in-person training, please [click here](#)
- ▶ To register by phone call Cynthia Gurisko at AAHA at (907) 330-8397 or email: cgurisko@aahaak.org
- ▶ Registration for this workshop is FREE!



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