

Minutes
NAHMA Rural Housing Committee
March 11, 2014

1. The Chair called the meeting to order and welcomed our guest from Rural Development (RD)
2. The committee hosted a panel discussion about important Rural Development topics. Speakers included:
 - Bryan Hooper, Deputy Administrator, Multifamily Housing, Rural Development, U.S. Department of Agriculture
 - Mike Steininger, Director, Guaranteed Loan Division, U.S. Department of Agriculture
 - Stephanie White, Director, Multifamily Housing Portfolio Management, Rural Development, U.S. Department of Agriculture
3. Staff from RD's Rural Utility Service made a presentation, introducing a new energy efficiency-funding source that will be made available through member electric cooperatives in rural areas this year.

Discussion ensued about the following topics:

- RD's Rental Assistance Stabilization Plan
- Repeal of the unnumbered letter on underwriting
- RD Training to be conducted this year
- IPIA Audit
- Management Fees