Advocacy Task Force

Q4 Priorities (2018)
- Lame Duck Session: Continuing FY19 Approps negotiations, Flood Insurance, Possible Tax Reform 2.0
- New Congress in January, new Committee make-up related to housing, approps

- Develop new Advocacy strategy based on new Congressional Members
- Update Advocacy Materials
- Survey AHMAs on advocacy challenge improvements
- Publish Tentative Advocacy Challenge Schedule
- Solicit Task Force Members

Q1 Priorities (2019)
- Bills (re-)introduced into new 116th Congress
- Budget deal, debt ceiling, Pr. Budget, approps bills

- Host First Committee Call/Workshop
- Plan advocacy activity during NAHMA Meeting
- Prep/set up intro and education meetings with new lawmakers
- Launch NAHMA Meeting – “Hill Visit Super Bowl Challenge”
- Follow-up from Congressional Meetings

Q2 Priorities
- Approps bills continued
- LIHTC Bill?

- Set up site visits?
- Run Advocacy activity on collecting stories? “Tell Their Stories”
- Host advocacy call/workshop?
- Prep for August Advocacy Challenge

Q3 Priorities
- August Recess
- Fiscal Year 2020 Appropriations
- Leading up to September 30 fiscal deadline
- Congress in Recess for fall holidays

- Launch August Advocacy Challenge
- Plan Activity during Oct Meeting?
- Present Advocacy Awards during Oct Meeting?

Q4 Priorities
- Potentially continuing Fiscal Year 2020 Appropriations negotiations if under Continuing Resolution
- Year-End efforts in Congress TBA

- Wrap up advocacy efforts, reset schedule for 2020

This task force of the Federal Affairs Committee works with NAHMA staff to advance the association's position on federal legislation affecting affordable housing through grassroots initiatives.

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