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In Town for the NAHMA October Conference? Plan a Meeting With Your Lawmakers

Alexandria, Va., Sept. 12, 2019 — As part of your to-do list during the National Affordable Housing Management Association (NAHMA) Biannual Top Issues in Affordable Housing [fall conference](#) plan to visit with your elected officials to advocate for the affordable housing issues important to you. NAHMA can help you get in the appointment books of your hometown lawmakers on Capitol Hill. Besides the [Hill visits](#), the three-day October meeting includes educational panels, committee meetings, the Vanguard Awards ceremony and the Educational Foundation gala. [Register](#) for the meeting online today before the prices increase on Oct. 4. The NAHMA Educational Foundation gala requires a [separate ticket](#) and is not included as part of the meeting registration.

With a focus on the top issues facing affordable housing, the meeting, Oct. 27-29, takes place at the Fairmont Washington, 2401 M St. NW, Washington, DC. The NAHMA room block single/double rate is \$330. The discounted rooms are booked on a first-come, first-served basis and expire on or before Oct. 4 depending on availability. Reserve your room online today, <https://resweb.passkey.com/go/nahmaf2019>.

The annual meeting features a number of educational panels specifically geared toward the affordable housing industry that are led by people who are experts in their fields. Invited guests include representatives from the Departments of Housing and Urban Development and Agriculture, and more. [Meeting registration](#) includes admission to the Vanguard Awards luncheon, panel discussions and committee meetings. To see the full conference [preliminary agenda](#), visit the Meetings page at www.nahma.org.

While in Washington, D.C., for the fall conference, make sure your voice gets heard on affordable housing issues by scheduling Tuesday afternoon visits with your local senator or representative and their staff. If you are interested in participating in Hill visits and need assistance with scheduling, let NAHMA know before Monday, Sept. 30, by visiting <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HillVisitSchedule> or emailing Manager of Government Affairs Juliana Bilowich, jbilowich@nahma.org. For helpful tips and resources for your advocacy appointments, visit <https://www.nahma.org/meetings-with-lawmakers> or attend the Capitol Hill Visit Workshop, Monday, Oct. 28, during the fall conference.

The NAHMA October meeting is made possible by Platinum sponsors, Buyers Access, HD Supply Multifamily Solutions, USI Insurance Services and Yardi Systems.

The annual NAHMA [Educational Foundation](#) gala and auction benefiting the foundation's scholarship program requires a separate ticket for the Oct. 28 event and takes place at the Newseum on Pennsylvania Avenue, which is considered one of the most interactive museums in the world. The benefit serves as the primary public annual fundraising event for the NAHMA Educational Foundation's scholarship fund. Besides the Inspiration Award presentation, the celebration includes a sit-down dinner and silent auction, and will be capped off by the live auction of the grand prizewinning artwork from the

annual AHMA Drug-Free Kids poster and art contest, which appears as the cover of the 2020 NAHMA Drug-Free Calendar. Tickets, silent auction registration and sponsorships for the gala are available by visiting <https://INSPIRE19.givesmart.com>.

What issues do you want to talk about with members of Congress? Let us know using #nahma19 and #ScoreMoreHousing on [Facebook](#), [LinkedIn](#) and [Twitter](#).

For more information regarding the meeting, contact Brenda Moser, director of meetings and membership, by calling 703-683-8630, ext. 114 or emailing brenda.moser@nahma.org.

NAHMA is the leading voice for affordable housing management, advocating on behalf of multifamily property managers and owners whose mission is to provide quality affordable housing. NAHMA supports legislative and regulatory policy that promotes the development and preservation of decent and safe affordable housing, is a vital resource for technical education and information and fosters strategic relations between government and industry. NAHMA's membership represents 75% of the affordable housing industry, and includes its most distinguished multifamily owners and management companies. Visit www.nahma.org for more information.

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