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Alexandria, Va., Oct. 23, 2019 — Share your take on the National Affordable Housing Management Association (NAHMA) Biannual Top Issues in Affordable Housing [fall conference](#) by posting your thoughts, favorite industry insights, fun photos and advocacy efforts using the hashtags #nahma19 and #ScoreMoreHousing, and tagging NAHMA's [Facebook](#), [LinkedIn](#) and [Twitter](#) accounts.

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. 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. Preregistration for the meeting is closed, but on-site registration will open 8:30 a.m., Sunday.

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. The NAHMA Educational Foundation gala requires a [separate ticket](#) and is not included as part of the meeting registration. To see the full conference [preliminary agenda](#), visit the Meetings page at www.nahma.org. Panels featuring government officials and other special guests are not open to the media and may not be recorded.

Confirmed speakers for the October meeting include R. Hunter Kurtz, the assistant secretary for HUD's Public and Indian Housing; Lamar Seats, the deputy assistant secretary for HUD's Multifamily Housing Programs and Nancie-Ann Bodell, the acting deputy administrator for Multifamily Housing Programs at the USDA's Rural Housing Service, leading the Future of Rental Assistance: Federal Agency Leadership forum on Monday. Afterwards, Seth Appleton, the assistant secretary of Policy Development and Research with HUD, will provide the keynote at the Vanguard Awards ceremony. On Tuesday, Dr. Dustin Read from Virginia Tech presents How Affordable Housing Providers Balance Their Financial and Social Goals.

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>.

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 percent 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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