



AFFORDABLE HOUSING WEEK

Affordable Housing Week helps promote awareness of the challenges we face in creating sustainable and affordable communities that meet the needs of all residents. The City of San José will celebrate Affordable Housing Week, May 11 through May 22, with a special lecture series on interesting and educational topics designed to engage and enlighten participants.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2009, 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

EVENT **Community by Design: Innovations in Affordable Housing**
PURPOSE A panel will discuss how affordable housing adds life to a community, including Green building design elements, supporting the arts community and providing community space for services.
LOCATION The Roosevelt Community Center, 901 East Santa Clara Street, San José
CONTACT **Kristen Clements at 408.535.8236**

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 2009, 9:00 A.M - 1:00 P.M.

EVENT **Project Family Connect**
PURPOSE The Project FAMILY Connect event will help families find housing, access medical and dental care, school enrollment, employment opportunities, job search resources, legal services, youth services, food, and much more.
LOCATION InnVision's One Stop Homeless Prevention Center - Georgia Travis Center, 297 Commercial St.
CONTACT **Jarrold Gray at 975.4487**

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 2009, 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

EVENT **One Paycheck Away**
PURPOSE Affordable housing is the lynchpin to making living costs reasonable, preventing poverty, and keeping communities stable. This topic will be discussed by a panel that will provide a perspective on social equity, policy and the new poverty standard.
LOCATION San José City Hall Rotunda, 200 E. Santa Clara Street, San José
CONTACT **Melissa Whatley at 408.975.4418**

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 2009, 8:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

EVENT **2009 Whistle Stop Housing Tour - Winchester Light-Rail Line**
LOCATION Starting Location: Water Tower Plaza, 300 Orchard City Drive, Campbell
CONTACT Register at: <http://whistlestop09.eventbrite.com>

MONDAY, MAY 18, 2009, 12:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.

EVENT **Foreclosure Help**
PURPOSE With the escalation of foreclosures in San José, 14,000 in 2008, there is no better time to provide information and education on this important topic. A panel will discuss current city and county statistics and City assistance to those in need.
LOCATION The Roosevelt Community Center, 901 East Santa Clara Street, San José
CONTACT **Sandra Murillo at 408.975.4415**

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009, 12:00 P.M - 1:00 P.M.

EVENT **Why It's a Good Time to Buy a Home**
PURPOSE Questions about the housing market, if this is the right time to buy a home, the status of tax credits and the availability of City funds are just a few of the questions that will be addressed in this interactive presentation.
LOCATION San José City Hall Rotunda, 200 E. Santa Clara Street, San José
CONTACT **Brandi Hoffman-Ooka at 408.535.8232**

