

## **NEWS UPDATE 06-10-2010**

Funding The City of Tacoma is accepting proposals for the provision of Displaced Tenant Relocation Assistance Services by private, nonprofit organizations and/or government entities. These funds, in the amount of \$25,000 will be available for one year, starting July 1, 2010. Applicants must meet all minimum qualifications in order to submit a proposal and provide documentation of eligibility in the proposal packet.

Additional information regarding the specifications of the "Request for Proposals, Displaced Tenant Relocation Assistance" may be obtained by visiting the City of Tacoma website <a href="https://www.cityoftacoma.org/hrhs">www.cityoftacoma.org/hrhs</a> or in person at Room 836 of the Tacoma Municipal Building, 747 Market Street Tacoma Washington 98402.

Please contact Lisa Copp, <a href="loopp@cityoftacoma.org">lcopp@cityoftacoma.org</a>, 253.591.5277, with any questions.

Funding → United Way Pierce County – Investment Cycle Application Training [mandatory for new Safety Net applications] June 22, 24, 25, 28, 29, July 1. Times, locations, RSVP, more info: http://www.uwpc.org/investmentapp.html

**Provider Directory** → **Homeless Services Provider Directory 2010** (for organizations, not clients) http://cms.cityoftacoma.org/hrhs/phc/MRG-2010.pdf

State Advocacy → Support Washington Initiative I-1098! The Consortium is supporting the campaign to change the state tax structure. I-1098 would authorize a state income tax on high earners (≥ \$200k/individual & ≥ \$400k per couple), concurrently cut property tax in the state by 20%, and increase the B&O tax exemption so that about 80% of businesses in WA will not pay B&O tax. The AHC Board has also endorsed a position of NO on I-1053, Tim Eyeman's initiative to make I-960 a permanent requirement for a super-majority (67%) legislative vote to increase any taxes.

Link on our website to Yes on I-1098...click on advocacy...state OR http://yeson1098.com/learn.html

Federal Advocacy → House approves funding for National Housing Trust Fund. Call your senators this week. 877.210.5351.

More information: http://www.affordablehousingconsortium.org/client/assets/files/06-10-2010%20NTF.doc

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# AHC 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CANDIDATE FORUM ON AFFORDABLE HOUSING September 8 – Evergreen Tacoma Campus 1210 6<sup>th</sup> Av, Tacoma



# **Housing Washington Conference 2010**

October 19 & 20 - Greater Tacoma Convention & Trade Center

Information: http://www.desktop-creations.com/housing/std2010.htm

**Newsletter May 1:** 

 $\underline{http://www.affordable housing consortium.org/client/assets/files/HW\%20 newsletter\%20 information.doc$ 

**Exhibitors information:** 

 $\underline{http://www.affordable housing consortium.org/client/assets/files/Exhibitor\%20 Information.pdf}$ 

**Exhibitors reservation & payment:** 

http://www.affordablehousingconsortium.org/client/assets/files/NPGP%20Exhibit%20ResPay%20Form.pdf

#### More events on Consortium CALENDAR:

http://www.affordablehousingconsortium.org/index.php/Calendar/