

# Evanston Housing Commission

Thursday, April 16, 2009  
7 P.M. – Room 2402

## AGENDA

**I. Call to Order, Approve Minutes of February 19 and March 19, 2009**

**II. Communications**

- Affordable Housing Fund Report
- Update on Funding Requests and Ownership Projects
- Affordable Housing Task Force Report

**III. Discussion of application to the State of Illinois for Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP) funds**

The City will submit an application to the State of Illinois for approximately \$2 million in NSP funds. The program was authorized by the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (HERA) to revitalize and stabilize communities negatively impacted by foreclosures, high risk mortgages, and high rates of abandoned or vacant properties. The state expects to make over \$47 million in program funds available, and applications are due May 4.

**IV. Report on Homeless Prevention and Rapid Rehousing (HPRR) Plan**

The City was awarded approximately \$800,000 in federal funds for HPRR, authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA). The Plan for how funds will be used must be submitted to HUD by May 18.

**V. Public Comment**

**Adjournment**

The next scheduled Housing Commission meeting is 7 p.m. Thursday, May 21, 2009, Room 2402. Information about the Housing Commission is available online at: <http://www.cityofevanston.org/government/boards/bcc/housing.shtml>. Questions can be directed to the Housing Planner at 847/866-2928, x 2264.

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