



City of Providence

(Revised schedule – due to winter

storms - call Ms. Donna Miele at 351-4300 to confirm meeting date and time)

The City invites the Public to discuss issues concerning the **Consolidated Plan Strategy**, including the **Fair Housing Plan** at a series of Focus Group sessions.

Each Focus Group will have an agenda of specific issues for discussion. The input from the Focus Group process will assist in the preparation of the strategic Consolidated Plan,

an Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing, and a Five Year Action Plan to determine housing and community development needs for the City of Providence. These plans are a five-year guide for resource allocation for:

- **CDBG** *Community Development Block Grant*
- **HOME** *HOME Investment Partnership Program*
- **ESG** *Emergency Shelter Grant Program*
- **HOPWA** *Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS*

All sessions except HOPWA will be held in the City of Providence from **6:00 to 8:00 PM** (unless noted) at handicapped accessible locations with a Spanish interpreter.

Fair Housing

Equal Access to Housing
Monday January 10, 2005
Fox Point Boys and Girls Club
90 Ives Street

Social Services

Children, Youth, Elders,
New Immigrants and Families
Monday, January 31, 2005
Lillian Feinstein Senior Center
1085 Chalkstone Avenue

Economic Development

(New date, time & location)
Job Creation, Transportation,
and Community Investment
Monday, February 7, 2005
South Providence Development Corp.
17 Gordon Ave.
3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Homeless Needs

Shelters, Transitional and
Permanent Housing
Thursday, February 3, 2005
Crossroads RI
160 Broad Street

Housing Opportunities for Persons with

AIDS (New date & time)

Friday, February 4, 2005
SWAP Community Room
459 Pine Street
10:30 – 12:30 p.m.

Neighborhood Revitalization

Commercial Needs, Public Facility
Development, Safety Issues, Neighborhood
Improvements
Monday, February 7, 2005
West End Community Center
109 Bucklin Street

Special Needs Housing

including Handicapped, AIDS,
Mental and Physical Disabilities,
and Elderly
Thursday, January 27, 2005
Urban League of RI
246 Prairie Avenue

Affordable Housing and Lead Paint

Needs of Families, Homeownership,
Rentals, and Lead Paint Issues
Wednesday, February 9, 2005
The Elmwood Foundation
691 Broad Street



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