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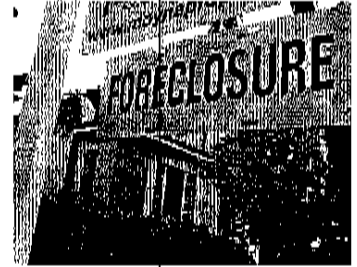
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Neighborhood Council FORECLOSURE ACTION NETWORK

California is home to 40% of the country's home foreclosures.

In Southern California, 1 in every 25 homes is in some phase of the foreclosure process.

Thousands of homes in Los Angeles are in foreclosure including hundreds in most neighborhoods in the city, including yours. And, experts forecast as recently as February 15 that another spike would occur between March and May of this year.



The Foreclosure Action Network is a plan for neighborhood councils to provide community support, assistance and information in the face of this citywide foreclosure crisis. Councils will offer increased outreach to distressed borrowers and will engage their stakeholders in a coordinated effort to lessen the effects of these foreclosures.

Neighborhood Council participants in the NC FAN will ...

- Provide neighborhood stabilization teams and support groups to monitor your foreclosure-caused blight and danger in their community ... reporting on vacant, unsafe and overrun homes.
- Host Foreclosure Assistance Workshops and fairs
- Provide information, guidance and direction to Foreclosure Hotlines and Foreclosure Counseling Sources.
- Act as liaisons to regional media.
- Engage their business and non-profit communities for support and outreach.
- Establish participation in the FAN as a high priority project and will form a FAN Committee to organize and oversee their effort.
- Provide a representative to meet on a regular basis with other neighborhood councils and coordinators on a regular basis to share experiences, ideas and to receive updates and new materials and directions.



FAN Citywide Coordinators will provide to neighborhood councils ...

- Hotline counselors
- Counseling services
- Counselors, speakers, organization manuals, Action Packets for Workshops and/or Fairs
- Press releases for regional media
- Flyers for stakeholder outreach
- CityWatch support, complete coverage and citywide FAN landing page for updates, reports, information.
- Support from the Mayor's office, City Council offices and other city relevant city agencies.

Los Angeles' neighborhoods are in a state of foreclosure crisis. Who better to provide guidance, support, protection and service at the immediate point of stress than Neighborhood Councils?

What better way for at this time of crisis to outreach to your community, engage your public and establish community good will than by participating in the Neighborhood Council Foreclosure Action Network?
