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## **Redevelopment Agency, housing partners and homeownership counselors offer help for residents facing foreclosure**

**Sacramento** – The Sacramento Housing and Redevelopment Agency and the Sacramento Regional Partners in Homeownership will hold a free workshop for the public on foreclosure and mortgage default on Thursday, February 20 from 6:30-8:30 p.m., at the North Highlands Recreation and Parks District, 6040 Watt Avenue in North Highlands.

HUD-certified home loan and credit counselors as well as lenders will be on hand to provide face-to-face information and advice on preventing default and foreclosure.

Participants include representatives from HUD Sacramento, ByDesign Financial Solutions, NeighborWorks HomeOwnership Center, Home Loan Counseling Center, Sacramento Credit Union, Senior Legal Hotline, Sacramento Mutual Housing Association, ACORN Housing, Washington Mutual, and others.

Homeowners are encouraged to bring their loan documents and financial information. RSVP to (916) 264-1500.

Resource education and information about preventing mortgage default and foreclosure is also available at [www.shra.org](http://www.shra.org).

**SHRA** ([www.shra.org](http://www.shra.org)) is a Joint Powers Authority created by the City and County of Sacramento to represent both jurisdictions for affordable housing and community redevelopment needs. The Agency serves as the Housing Authority for the City and County of Sacramento and is the leading public developer of affordable housing and oversees residential and commercial revitalization activities in 14 redevelopment areas throughout the City and County. SHRA has a FY 2008 budget of \$276.7 million and approximately 291 employees. The Agency owns and manages 3,144 units of public housing and is one of the largest landlords in Sacramento. SHRA also administers approximately 11,000 rental assisted vouchers per month.

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