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2026 ANNUAL MEETING

Pre-Conference Day: Monday, September 21

11am -5pm	Achieving Our Mission Assembly
5:30pm - 7pm	STAGE REHEARSAL
Evening	Achieving Our Mission Celebration

Day ONE: Tuesday, September 22

Morning	Vendor/Sponsor table set-up
9:00	REGISTRATION: OPEN to Members
10:00	MEMBER MEETING
10:30	Membership Benefits and Services
11:00-12:15	Member Training & Capacity Building Sessions
	Membership Moving Forward
	Federal Update - Earmark Successes
11:30	REGISTRATION: OPEN to Guests; Ongoing throughout the afternoon
12:15	WELCOME TO WEST VIRGINIA ~ LUNCH with JIM & SARA
12:15-1:15	Big Picture Policy Committee Lunch
1:15	CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS
1:30	APPALACHIAN HISTORY, CULTURE AND COMMUNITY
2:30	BREAK & BOARD BUSES FOR TOUR
3:00-5:00	TOUR OF LOCAL FAHE MEMBER COALFIELD DEVELOPMENT CORP.
5:00-6:00	RECEPTION, WEST EDGE, HUNTINGTON
6:00-6:20	Board buses, travel back to Double Tree
6:45-8:30	DINNER Achieving Our Mission Highlights



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Day TWO: Wednesday, September 23

7:30-9:00	NETWORKING BREAKFAST
9:00-9:15	Kick-off the Day
9:15-10:15	OPENING PLENARY- HOUSING CRISIS NOW
10:15-10:45	BREAK
10:45-11:45	FLEXIBLE FUNDING HAS UNLIMITED BENEFITS
12:00-1:00	LUNCH
12:30-1:20	STATE HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY PANEL
1:30 - 2:45	BREAKOUTS - ROUND 1
	<u>ED Track</u> : Leadership Transition
	<u>Staff Track</u> : PreDevelopment Case Studies
	<u>Funder/Policy Track</u> : Flexible Funding Expands Capacity; MAC Dive
2:50 - 4:00pm	BREAKOUTS - ROUND 2
	<u>ED Track</u> : AI: Use Cases, Protections and Policies
	<u>Staff Track</u> : Financial and Survivor Security
	<u>Funder/Policy Track</u> : Funders & Systems Change: Supporting Stakeholders - Part 1
4:00-4:15	BREAK
4:15-5:15	BREAKOUTS - ROUND 3
	<u>Funder/Policy Track</u> : Funders & Systems Change: Supporting Stakeholders - Part 2
	<u>ED and Staff Track</u> : Communities of Practice Group Discussions
	<i>COP: Single & Multi-family Rental Development and Repair (up to 8 units); Multi-family Rental New Construction/Rehab (greater than 9 units); Single family housing development; Homeownership and Financial Counseling; Homeownership Rehab/Repair/WX; Other Services (social services, workforce training, etc.)</i>
6:30	RECEPTION
7:00-8:30	DINNER with Keynote

Day THREE: Thursday, September 24

7:30 - 9:00	NETWORKING BREAKFAST
9:00 -9:30	NEW STORIES / NEW NARRATIVE HOUSING CAN'T WAIT
9:30-10:00	WHAT WE LEARN BY FAILING FORWARD
10:00-10:30	BREAK/CHECK OUT
10:30-11:00	KEEP THE MOMENTUM GOING
11:00-12 noon	CHANGES ON THE HORIZON - PANEL
12 Noon	CLOSING REMARKS
12:15-1:00	LUNCH

End of the Annual Meeting - Safe Travels!