HUD’s Office of Native American Programs
Training Announcement

Basic Financial Management & Audit Preparation for Small Tribes Training
May 5-7, 2020
Registration and sign-in begins at: 8:30 AM
Instruction begins at 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM

*Please note: Cancellation can take place due to low enrollment or unforeseen circumstances (i.e. government shut down). AAHA will alert participants as soon possible should this occur. Enrollment numbers will be assessed a week prior to the training dates.

Overview
AAHA will host a three (3) day training on Basic Financial Management & Audit Preparation for Small Tribes. The training will deliver highlights of best practices to ensure that the management and accounting of the NAHASDA funds are being observed and practiced in accordance with the regulations. Participants will be given resources and tools that the HUD/ONAP program recipients (Tribes and TDHEs) can utilize to prepare for and be “audit ready” for their annual audit of their Financial Statements and Single Audit. The training will include a review of relevant sections of the 2 CFR Part 200 Uniform Guidance on audit requirements, review of internal controls, expenditure compliance, financial record keeping, the latest OMB Compliance Supplement for the NAHASDA program, and Year-end closing processes.

Trainer
Marcie Sherer has over 30 years of accounting and management experience in various positions ranging from Staff Accountant to CFO, and has worked in the education, non-profit, tribal, and governmental arenas. She has over 14 years of housing related accounting experience and has direct experience in accounting systems, internal controls, financial reporting, financial audits, and preparing the Management Discussion and Analysis. Maria Tagliavento brings over 30 years of experience and a practitioner’s perspective to the Financial Management Training. She has held a variety of accounting and auditing positions, including her 6 years with Aleutian Housing Authority, and 17 years with Cook Inlet Housing Authority (CIHA), in the positions of Controller and Chief Financial Officer, and was directly involved in the preparation of financial and compliance reports, Indian Housing Plans, and the Annual Performance Reports, and internal audit functions.

Who should attend?
Accountants, Business Managers, Payroll Professional, Bookkeepers, or anyone who works with the financial aspects of a Tribe.

Location: The Hyatt Place Anchorage- Midtown
101 East Tudor Road
Anchorage, AK 99503
(907) 562-1235
GOVERNMENT RATES available for attendees of Association of Alaska Housing Authorities training. For discount reservations use Group code: G-AAH4

Registration:
► To register for the in-person training, please click here
► To register by phone call Cynthia Gurisko at AAHA at (907) 330-8397 or email: cgurisko@aahaak.org
► Registration for this workshop is FREE!