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New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation

Subprime Foreclosure Prevention Services Program

Applicant: Niagara Falls Neighborhood Housing Services

SHARS: 20080418

Partners: Legal Aid Society of Niagara County
Legal Aid Bureau of Buffalo
Legal Services for the Elderly/Disabled of Western NY
Center City Community Development Corporation

Award: \$205,000

Proposed Services: Outreach, education, financial counseling, legal representation, and court-based services

Proposed Service Area: Niagara County and portions of Genesee and Orleans counties

Proposed Outcomes: Provide education and counseling to 1,030 households
Provide legal consultation and/or litigation to 150 persons.

Niagara Falls Neighborhood Housing Services will partner with Center City Community Development Corp, Legal Aid Society of Niagara County, Legal Aid Bureau of Buffalo and Legal Services for the Elderly/Disabled/Disadvantaged of Western NY to provide homeowners primarily in Niagara County with a full spectrum of housing counseling and legal services to help them avoid foreclosure and homelessness. All partners are available to provide services in portions of Genesee and Orleans counties as well. Center City CDC is a HUD-certified counseling agency. Each agency provides outreach and education and counseling services. The three legal aid partners will provide legal representation and court based services for homeowners referred in Niagara, as well as Genesee and Orleans counties.