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STRATEGIES FOR ENDING HOMELESSNESS & CREATING AFFORDABLE HOUSING

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The twin issues of 'Ending Homelessness' and 'Creating Affordable Housing' have never been timelier than at this time of economic downturn in our country. While all segments of our society are impacted by negative economic forces — none are more vulnerable so than the homeless, and those in need of affordable housing. Our forum will feature two panels to explore these topics and provide insights and suggestions to improve the situation.

Who: **Moderators:** Herb Levine, Executive Director, Mercer Alliance to End Homelessness
Raymond Ocasio, Executive Director, La Casa de Don Pedro – Newark
Community Development Network

Keynote

Speaker: Dennis Culhane, Ph.D., Professor of Social Policy, University of Pennsylvania

Confirmed panelists are:

Marygrace Billek, Director, Human Services, Mercer County, New Jersey

Arnold Cohen, Policy Coordinator, Housing and Community Development Network of New Jersey

Anthony Marchetta, Executive Director, New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency

Michael Meyers, Director of Housing and Real Estate, City of Newark, New Jersey

Mirza Negron-Morales, Deputy Regional Director, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Alison Recca-Ryan, New Jersey Director, Corporation for Supportive Housing

When: **Tuesday, December 14, 2010**
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Registration and Breakfast begins at 8:00 a.m.
Program begins at 9:00 a.m.

Where: Paul Robeson Campus Center,
Rutgers University
350 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd
Essex Room 231/232
Newark, NJ 07102

Reservation: The Forum is free but registration is required. To register click on the link:
<http://www.formstack.com/forms/?1015064-JMzIf2yHEf>