



2024 Community and Economic Development Policy Summit

- 9:00 am** **Breakfast and Networking**
- 10:00 am** **Welcome Remarks**
- 10:05 am – 10:55 am** **Addressing Policy Issues Impacting the Development of Multifamily Affordable Housing:** How Changes to the Qualified Allocation Plan Impact Affordable Housing Delivery and how Texas can Lower Insurance Rates for Affordable Housing
- Speakers: **Kathryn Saar**, The Brownstone Group
Tamara Longoria, cdc | come dream. come build.
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm** **Supporting the Hardest to Serve: Updates on Policy Priorities Related to Supporting People with Disabilities, Homeless Housing Solutions, and Fair Housing**
- Speakers: **Tanya Lavelle**, Disability Rights Texas
Eric Samuels, Texas Homeless Network
Ben Martin, Texas Housers
- 12:15 pm - 1:10 pm** **Keynote Lunch - A Preview of the 89th Texas Legislature**
- Speaker: **Luis Figueroa**, Every Texan
- 1:15 pm - 1:55 pm** **Supporting Cities' Efforts to Encourage Affordable Housing**
- Speakers: **Alan Isa**, City of Houston
Amy Connolly, City of Houston
Sara Wamsley, City of San Antonio
- 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm** **The Physical Condition of Aging Affordable Housing Properties**
- Speakers: **Heather Way**, UT Community Development Law Clinic
Sabrina Butler, Foundation Communities
- 3:00 pm** **Wrap Up**