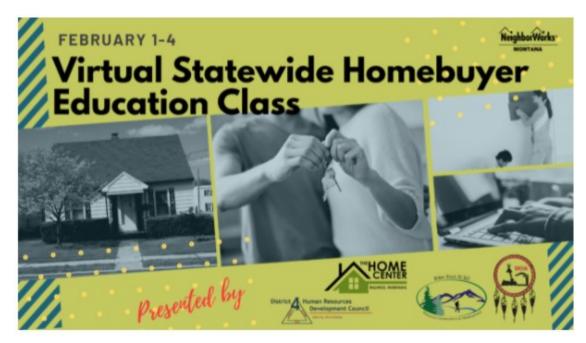


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Please help spread the word!

The next statewide virtual Homebuyer Education class is coming up February 1-4 from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM each evening. Joining us throughout this course will be The Home Center (Billings), Salish Kootenai Housing Authority (Pablo), Bitter Root RC&D (Hamilton), and HRDC 4 (Havre). Topics will include assessing homeownership readiness, financing a home, shopping for a home, and maintaining a home and finances.

Registration is required. If your clients complete all four sessions and have a one-on-one with a housing counselor, they will be issued a certificate of completion. Participants are not required to complete all four days, they are welcome to just join for the topics that are most pertinent to them, but will not receive a homebuyer education certificate.

Slots are limited, so please encourage your clients to register early! Cost is \$35 (up to two people). TO REGISTER: <u>nwmt.org/feburary-virtual-hbe</u>.

Please have them reach out to Logan Smith at lsmith@nwmt.org if they have any questions.





Seeking Conference Sponsors

The Montana Housing Partnership invites you to support the 2021 Annual Housing Conference, which will be held virtually on May 18-19, 2021. The Montana Housing Partnership is a group of housing professionals in business and government across the state. The conference is a highly anticipated event for housing authorities, community development agencies and affordable housing developers in Montana. Our projected attendance is over 400.

Planning is underway and we are excited for the opportunities a virtual event lends. The committee will be utilizing the conference platform Whova this year, which allows sponsors and attendees a great deal of access and amenities. Attendees will be able to interact with one another and with sponsors before and after the conference. As a sponsor, you will have a virtual exhibit space to customize your information and interact with attendees. You will have ad space in our virtual conference program and will see your company name and logo displayed as banner ads throughout the conference platform.

Please take a moment to review the sponsorship menu at <u>mthousingpartnership.org/</u> <u>sponsorships</u>. Opportunities are offered on a first come, first serve basis. If you have trouble accessing the sponsor menu or registration form or have questions, please email Michelle at mrogers@nwmt.org.



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