

The Honorable Roy A. Bernardi
Deputy Secretary of the United States Department of Housing
and Urban Development
451 7th Street SW
Washington DC 20410

Re: The Department of Housing and Urban Development's National Call to Action for
Affordable Housing through Regulatory Reform:

Dear Deputy Secretary Bernardi,

On behalf of the (City, County, State of _____,) I want to take this opportunity to state that I am pleased to accept the Department of Housing and Urban Development's invitation to become a participant in the *National Call to Action for Affordable Housing through Regulatory Reform*. In honoring our pledge, we intend to create a task force **(or already have one in the working stage; or insert specific group/strategy under way)** to address this issue and look forward to working with HUD and our fellow participants.

Like HUD, I believe it is imperative that we address the issue of regulatory reform at the local level and develop homegrown solutions to ensure even more affordable housing opportunities to working families. I also appreciate your understanding that it is important to address this issue at the local level with local solutions. We look forward to exchanging news and information with the Department and our fellow participants throughout this great nation. Through our mutual efforts, there is no doubt more Americans will find a place to call home.

I have asked _____ of my staff (phone # and email address) to work with HUD in this very important effort.

Sincerely

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