

2009 COMBINED CIF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & NCAF ENERGY CONFERENCE



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HOTEL RESERVATIONS

The special rate of \$185.00 for single or double occupancy rooms has been arranged for this event. This rate applies to the weekends before and after the event (subject to availability).

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What is NCAF?

The National Community Action Foundation (NCAF) is a private, non-profit organization, which serves as an advocate and lobbyist for low-income programs. Founded in 1981, NCAF members are Community Action Agencies (CAAs) and State and regional associations of CAAs. NCAF is governed by an elected, volunteer board of Directors.

NCAF works closely with Members of Congress, Federal and State agencies, and a variety of public interest groups to maintain adequate funding for CAA programs and to shape future policy directions. NCAF works on a broad range of issues including: the Community Services Block Grant, Welfare Reform, Head Start, Child Care, the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), Workforce Development, Housing and Shelter for the Homeless, Health, Nutrition, Tax and Income Policy, and Energy Conservation Programs.

<http://www.ncaf.org/>

What is CIF?

Community Investment Futures (CIF) is a private, non-profit organization, which serves to unify the CAA network around a shared agenda to increase CAA Community Economic Development (CED) activity. CIF has been established as a joint venture between the National Community Action Foundation (NCAF) and the Community Action Partnership, and is governed by an appointed, volunteer board of Directors.

Community Action Agencies work to alleviate poverty and empower low-income families throughout the United States. This includes serving as a catalyst to strengthen communities by redeveloping neighborhoods, creating affordable housing, starting businesses, making loans, creating new homeowners, and building community facilities.

<http://www.cifutures.org/>