



January 15, 2010

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NOMAR & GSREIN Offices Will Be Closed On Monday, January 18th

For the MLK holiday.

2009 NOMAR Sales Awards Applications due Next Tuesday, January 19th

Completed applications must be received at the NOMAR office, 3645 N I-10 Service Rd, Metairie, by **12:00 noon on Tuesday, January 19th**.

Click here for [2009 NOMAR Sales Recognition Forms & Rules](#)

NOMAR's Sales Awards Luncheon:

Thursday, March 4th

Hilton New Orleans Riverside

11:00am - Networking, Music, Cocktails

12:00 noon Awards Program, Lunch

Haiti Relief

If you want a quick way to contribute to relief efforts in Haiti you can do it by cell phone. Text "Haiti" to 90999 and \$10 will be donated to the America Red Cross. The amount will be added to your next cell phone bill.

In the last two days the Red Cross has raised \$5 million by this method alone! Remember that this extremely poor country sent us \$36,000 after Katrina.

"Zoning 101: What Commercial Brokers Need to Know", Jan. 26th 11:00 a.m.

Taught by Jon Leyens of the Steeg Law Firm and member of the BZA of new Orleans, this program will provide an overview of zoning and land use for New Orleans and Jefferson Parish and offer practical advice (including case studies and sample documents) on zoning due diligence for commercial brokers. Mr. Leyens will give an overview of zoning and zoning research for Orleans and Jefferson, discuss current issues in zoning, and advise on how commercial brokers can market a property's zoning.

NO CE credits apply to this seminar; however we do ask you to **register** so that we can prepare enough handouts. Please email margo@nomar.org if you plan on attending.

EVENTS

Home Buying Courses For 2010

12 hours for \$75/family. English courses **Jan 16-17** and Jan 30-31, Spanish course Feb 27-28 At the end of the course students will receive certificates that within income limitation opens the door to the various programs in assistance if eligible, Home Funds, Bond Money, various grants in each parish, soft second funds and other grants that help them with their down payment or closing cost. Assistance is subject to credit and income guidelines. Call 464-6224 for information and pre-registration. Seating is limited.

Brownfields Seminar, January 26th at 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, **January 26th** 9:00-10:30am at NOMAR. This seminar is an overview of the “Brownfield Redevelopment Process & Funding Opportunities” and presented by the Regional Planning Commission. **NO CE credits apply** to this seminar; however we do ask you to **register** so that we can prepare enough handouts. Please email margo@nomar.org if you plan on attending.

EDUCATION

NOMAR’s CE Schedule

is emailed on Mondays. It is also posted weekly on www.nomar.org under “Education”. Click here for the latest schedule <http://www.nomar.org/coned/2010/Schedule-1st%20Quarter.pdf>

2010 CE requirements are also posted at <http://www.nomar.org/coned/2010/2010%20CE%20Requirements.pdf>

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Condolences

Please remember the following person(s) and their family in your prayers.

Pam Burdett of Prudential Gardner REALTORS® whose mother Gloria Leonard Kerner passed away. Services will be held at Leitz Eagan, 4747 Veterans, Thursday, 1/14, visitation at 10:30am, mass at noon.

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Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

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