

the **REALTOR[®] Report**

News for you from the ND Association of REALTORS® December 15, 2014

2015 NDAR Committee Sign Up

Your trade organization needs you! Join the NDAR volunteer team by serving on a 2015 Committee. As a REALTOR®:

YOU have the knowledge to enhance the work of any committee or task force.

YOU have the leadership skills to positively impact the real estate industry.

The strengths you have acquired as a REALTOR® are unique and important to your Association. Volunteering as a committee member offers incredible networking opportunities and the experience will pay off more than the time you invest. Get involved...the sign-up process is fast and easy!

If serving on a committee, you will need to commit to attendance at the following meetings: February 16-18, 2015 (Bismarck); June 10-11, 2015 (Fargo); and October 2015 (TBA). Note: A valid e-mail address is required to be a committee member.

The deadline for submitting your 2015 committee service request is December 19, 2014. Click here--- \rightarrow <u>Committee Signup Link</u> or visit <u>www.ndrealtors.com</u> for information and printable form.

Still Time for CFA!

The Senate remains in session to vote on the tax extender package (which includes mortgage debt tax relief and other real estate provisions) and Terrorism Insurance (TRIA) extension. We can't say for sure yet when these votes will occur or what exactly is in the final TRIA deal, but the Senate will begin work this evening. Our efforts on the tax provisions and TRIA paid off in the house, thank you. The Call for Action remains operational got mortgage debt tax relief for the Senate. If you have not yet contacted our senators please do. If you know of others who have not yet contacted our Senators please encourage participation.

For Mortgage Forgiveness tax relief go to

https://realtorparty.realtoractioncenter.com/site/Advocacy?cmd=display&page=UserAction&id=3383&utm_&utm_medium=website&utm_campaign=taxRelief2014

We will get an update from NAR and share it after votes are completed.

Happy Holidays!

Happy Holidays and Best Wishes for a prosperous 2015!

In observance of the Christmas & New Year holidays, the NDAR office will be closed December 26, 2014 and January 2, 2015

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