

# *The Sub-Prime Lending Crisis:* **What Does It Mean For Hartford And the Region?**

The sub-prime lending crisis has sent shockwaves through financial markets both here and abroad. Its impact on communities and families has received less attention. What does it mean for communities and families in and around Hartford? What effect is it having on the local economy? Is the crisis nearing its end, or is it just beginning? And how can something similar be prevented in the future? Come discuss these and other questions on this important topic with an expert panel representing a wide variety of perspectives.

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Light Refreshments 5:30 pm

Program 6:00 pm

Hartford Public Library, 500 Main Street

## Panelists

Hartford Councilwoman Veronica Airey-Wilson

Yolanda Cruz, Homeowner

Bob Kantor, Fannie Mae

Mike Menatian, Sanborn Mortgage Corporation

Erin Boggs, Connecticut Fair Housing Center

## Moderator

Barbara McGrath, Connecticut Urban Legal Initiative, University of Connecticut

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