

Drivers Affecting Housing Affordability

Webinar #1: Date: Wednesday October 23, 2013

Time: 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Pacific Time

Join us for the first in a three-part webinar series focused on affordable market housing in British Columbia. The series is sponsored by a group of provincial and industry housing stakeholders.

Many families across the province struggle to find housing they can afford. At the same time, employers face challenges attracting employees when housing costs are high. This webinar series explores the affordability challenge in BC and shares ideas to consider in your own community.

The first webinar sets the context for the series by exploring the economic and other drivers that affect housing affordability. We will hear from the BC Real Estate Association's chief economist as well as the mayor of a northern community affected by these larger drivers.

Webinar Presenters

Cameron Muir. Chief Economist. BC Real Estate Association

Lori Ackerman. Mayor. Fort St. John



Where do Housing Costs Come From? A Developer's Inside Peek

Webinar #2. November 28, 2013

Secondary Suites: What Works, What Doesn't?

Webinar #3. January 30, 2014

There is no cost to participate, but you do need to register online.

Registration opens Sept. 4 and closes Oct. 21 at <http://www.ruralbc.gov.bc.ca/webinars/index.html>.

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