

Harris County and City of Houston
COVID-19 Housing Stability Task Force

KICK-OFF MEETING AGENDA

Friday July 17, 2020, 11am-1pm

Join Zoom at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86456406211>

Or call in at: 346-248-7799, Meeting ID: 864 5640 6211

Goals:

At the end of this meeting, Task Force members will have made progress on:

- Beginning to get to know one another
- Setting initial parameters about what the group is (and is not) going to tackle
- Developing a common understanding of recent data on evictions in our community and the legal process by which they occur
- Outlining activities for the next 60 days
- Generating enthusiasm for future meetings and the work ahead

11:00 – 11:10 am	WELCOME <i>Co-Chairs: Judge Jeremy Brown and Ric Campo</i>
11:10 – 11:20 am	OVERVIEW & INTRODUCTIONS <i>Steven Dow, Houston LISC</i>
11:30 am – 12:10 pm	SMALL GROUP WORK <i>Questions to discuss:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Describe a personal experience that has led you to want to work on the Housing Stabilization Task Force● What surprised you about the answers your fellow task members provided in the interviews?● What pain points are your organizations experiencing because of COVID?
12:10 – 12:25 pm	PRESENTATION: WHAT DOES THE EVICTION PROCESS CURRENTLY LOOK LIKE? <i>Howard Bookstaff, Hoover Slovacek and Dana Karni, Lone Star Legal Aid</i>
12:25 – 12:40 pm	PRESENTATION: BACKGROUND OF EVICTIONS IN HARRIS COUNTY <i>Jeff Reichman, January Advisors</i>

12:40 – 1:00 pm

NEXT STEPS AND CLOSING REMARKS

Judge Jeremy Brown, Ric Campo, Steven Dow

- Overview of next meetings
- How groups will evaluate and develop proposals
- Outline of first workgroups
- Ideas for future presentations
- Zoom Coffee Commitments
- Questions

