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## Nonprofit Housing Roundtable

### Monthly Agenda

#### Nonprofit Housing Roundtable of Central Florida

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**Wednesday, May 26, 2010 @ 8:20 A.  
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East Central Florida Regional Planning  
Council

309 Cranes Roost

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

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Time(Min)- Agenda Item:

8:00-8:30 Networking between members and  
guests

8:30-8:40 Introduction of members/guests  
(Katie Porta)

8:40-9:25 Speakers

— Mimi Reggentin, Orange County Office on  
Aging

— Jeannette Steeves, Adaptable Designs for  
the Elderly

9:25-9:35 Other Items:

Municipal Reports, County Reports, Others

Next membership meeting – July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010

Adjourn

Future Meeting Dates:

September 29<sup>th</sup>, and December 1 (optional)

### Guest Speakers

**Mimi Reggentin, Orange County Office on Aging**  
**Jeannette Steeves, Adaptable Designs for the Elderly**

This month's meeting will be dedicated to the elderly and issues impacting this population. The following two speakers will be on-hand to present valuable information.

**Mimi Reggentin, Orange County Office on Aging**

Mimi Reggentin, AICP, is the Program Manager for the Orange County Office on Aging that was established in 2001. The Office on Aging, located in the Health and Family Services Department Office, acts as the County Mayor's liaison on aging issues and provides staff support to the Commission on Aging. Its vision is an elder-friendly community that looks at the needs of seniors and works with partners to make changes that empower seniors to support and maintain their independence within their home community. Ms. Reggentin is a certified planner with more than 20 years experience. She holds a Master degree in Urban and Regional Planning from the University of Iowa and a Bachelors degree from Indiana University of Pennsylvania also in planning.

Ms. Reggentin will be discussing demographic trends, County policies, programming and other pertinent areas as they impact the elderly within Central Florida.

**Jeannette Steeves, Adaptable Designs for the Elderly**

Jeannette Steeves grew up in a small town in north Georgia and received a Bachelor's and Master's of Fine Arts degrees from the University of Georgia, and a PhD from Virginia Tech in Housing, Interior Design and Resource Management, with a minor in Gerontology. Her work experience began in Central Florida with Earl Downs/Lifetime Homes as a designer/specifier for spec homes. She then started Jeannette Steeves Interiors in 1980 serving the design needs of local and national developers and builders such as National Development Communities and Equity Properties. She is now continuing to work on her education.

Ms. Steeves has extensive experience in universal and adaptable design. She will be discussing how to build housing which encourages independence, while allowing for aging in place.

MISSION: To increase the supply of decent affordable housing provided by nonprofit organizations to low and very low income families through coordination among non-profits to enhance capabilities, expand funding opportunities, maximize training, and develop new partnerships. >

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