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"Don't Count The Days. Make The Days Count." — Muhammad Ali

Dear NAHRO Colleagues and Friends:

When Muhammad Ali spoke these words in 1984, he was feeling the effects of Parkinson's disease. He had a health crisis, his life was at a crossroads, and his world was changing. But the self-proclaimed "Greatest of All Time" was determined to find meaning, impact, and joy.

Today, across our great nation, we face a very different type of health crisis — one which has resulted in pain and anguish to millions. It calls for the same conviction and resolve that Ali showed all those years ago — that together, and as an industry, we will move forward, we will make these days count, and we will overcome. Our residents and communities are counting on us.

I am proud that NAHRO is helping to lead the fight to assist tens of millions of vulnerable families impacted by COVID-19 and the economic pain it has caused. From coast to coast, I am inspired by the remarkable work of housing and community development agencies — from running rental assistance programs to enable vulnerable residents to stay in their homes, to

vaccination and health programs, to new job training initiatives, to educational programs to keep kids moving forward when they can't be in the classroom.

I look forward to working side by side with you to implement NAHRO's Legislative and Policy Agenda. It's as ambitious and bold as our members — advocating for the funding, program tools, and regulatory relief necessary for every NAHRO member to be effective in meeting the needs of our communities. From new HUD Secretary Marcia Fudge, to Treasury, to Capitol Hill, to the White House and OMB, we will never give up NAHRO's effort to advance housing, equity, and community.

Thanks to so many of you from across the nation who have joined our campaign. I am grateful for your encouragement and support. There is still a long way to go in this race, and I hope to earn your vote.

I would love to hear your thoughts and ideas, and hopefully, to have you join our campaign. Please don't hesitate to shoot me a note at gguy@fwha.org.

The work NAHRO housing and community development agencies do together is critical to our nation, now more than ever. Stay Safe and make the days count.

Respectfully,

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