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“Small Business Success Series”

Presents

MONEY WEEK HOUSTON

“Financing Options for Small Businesses”

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Monday, November 17, 2008

Free Event- Space Limited

No Admission without confirmation. No walkups. No children

Location:

1990 Post Oak Blvd.

Conference Room (First Floor)

Houston, TX 77056

To RSVP for this free event, email IACCGH01@aol.com, or call: 713- 624-7131 by Friday, November 14, 2008

Limited space available on first come first basis. Please RSVP ASAP.

AGENDA

6:00 PM

REGISTRATION & NETWORKING

7:00 PM

PANEL ON FINANCING OPTIONS FOR SMALL BUSINESS GROWTH

Manuel Gonzalez, District Director, SBA

- ◇ SBA 7(a) Guaranteed Loans and Community Express Loans applications, checklist, what bankers look for in the loan request.
- ◇ SBA 504 Loan Program, Certified Development Corporations

Donald J. Burback, Citi,

- ◇ Citi's partnership with Accion to finance micro lending.
- ◇ Citi's Small Business Financial Education Curriculum, which will be made available free of charge to those in attendance

Marlon Mitchell, HBD Executive Director

- Overview of Houston Business Development, Inc. Revolving Business Loans, “Fast Track”, Micro-Loans, Tandem Loans & B.
- Liaison with Texas Mezzanine Fund and Business Consortium Fund.

Richard Huebner, President, Houston Minority Business Council

- Business Consortium Fund Loan participation with banks.
- Financing Contract Bids

Shirley Brooks, Regional Manager ACCION Texas

- Overview of ACCION TEXAS Micro Loans, SBA 7(a) and 504 Loans.
- Financial statements, collateral, and documentation requirements.

8:00 PM

Questions & Answers

8:30 PM

Closing comments, remarks, Money Week event calendar.