

## **Action/Research Team *Response Sheet* for Sector: HOUSING**

### **1. On which initiative(s) will your team focus in the coming year?**

Review the *Synopsis of North Country Symposium Initiatives*, and list your team's top initiative here. Select from among those listed for your sector, or list a new one if it makes sense.

(If your team has a second initiative, list it **on another Response Sheet**. But do so only if it's appropriate for your team and its resources.)

a. Home improvements and weatherization through energy efficiency for renters and homeowners.

Trying to keep people in their homes with the layoffs that are going on.

### **2. What are your team's answers to the Keynote Speaker's question? (I.e., what are the regional competitive advantages and special assets of the North Country that can benefit your initiative most?)**

Expanding educational, physical and human resources to accomplish above. Find out more about the programs that exist and seek the means to add resources, where needed.

### **3. What goal(s) can your team set to help move forward this project in the coming 6-12 months?**

a. Educating people, including audits that can be funded to help others.

b Attend the fair housing meeting to learn more.

### **4. What organizations, other action/research teams, or individuals can your team engage to help accomplish your team's goal(s)?**

a. NYSERDA SLCHC and other housing providers.

b . Universities

c. Habitat for Humanity

d. Grant resources.

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**5. What is your team's plan for moving forward? Who will make the contacts listed in #4? What are the first (and next) steps?**

Attend the Fair Housing meeting to learn more. Afterwards elpt get the information to the public who can benefit from the programs.

**6. What resources does your team need to work toward success on this project?**

Cooperation from established agencies to help educate renters and landlords plus contractors on what programs presently exist and what can be done during these hard times.

**7. If your team is at the point that it needs to raise funding for the project, what is an estimate for the amount of money needed? (If not, just say so...) If so, what ideas does your team have for raising money to support the project?**

**Not needed at this time. We need identify those sources already available in the community.**

**8. Convener(s): Who will help to convene for your team in 2009 – 2010? (list at least one)**

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