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10:00 am -2:30 pm

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Our Goals

- To welcome immigrants and New Arrivals to Asylum Hill,
- To provide a welcoming environment that fosters ongoing relationship building,
- To learn about each other's cultures, communities and institutions,
- To promote communication among Asylum Hill residents through dialogues,
- To strengthen the Asylum Hill Neighborhood Association through organized and collaborative problem solving,
- To identify and engage Asylum Hill immigrant leaders in order to bring together a cross-section of residents to advance the goals of this project.

The **Asylum Hill Neighborhood Association** is a City of Hartford and State of Connecticut recognized NRZ whose task and mission is to "promote a safe, stable & diverse neighborhood for those who live, work, worship and play in Asylum Hill." This is being achieved according to a Strategic Plan last revised in 2009 and by the work of five main committees; Housing & Environment, Transportation & Economic Development, Education and Cultural Affairs, Public Safety, and Communications. Each committee is tasked with focusing on issues relevant to their particular area and with the Strategic Plan as a guide, gather information, make recommendations to the Board of Directors and Members and with our partners in the City and the neighborhood implement our goals and plans.

Program

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10:00-10:30 am

Sign-In, Ice Breaker Exercise, Coffee

10:30 – 11:00 am

Welcome & AHNA Overview – Bernie Michel
Agenda Review – Mary Beth Russo

11:00 – 11:45 am

Getting to Know One Another

11:45 – 12:45 pm

~ Lunch ~

12:45 – 1:30 pm

Sharing our Strengths

1:30 – 2:00 pm

Report Out

2:00 – 2:15 pm

Sum Up Next Steps – Patrick Scully & Jennifer Cassidy

2:15 – 3:00 pm

~ Dessert, Entertainment, Prizes, Raffle ~