

Economic Issues & Trends Forum

Statement of Purpose: The Economic Issues & Trends Forum reports to the Executive Committee. Its purpose is to increase member awareness and understanding of economic forces and trends affecting the real estate industry. Forums may include speakers who have expertise in this area and are able to communicate current issues to the membership. Forums shall be scheduled at the Winter and Spring Conferences.

List of Programs:

- Economic Issues & Trends Forums open to the membership.
- “Lunch Box” Economics

Yearly Objectives

Winter conference

- Paul Bishop, Ph.D., an NAR Economist will give the Economic Forecast at the Winter Conference.

Spring Conference

- Invite Candy DeClark or other accountant with REALTOR expertise to address Members’ tax issues to include:
 - Changes in tax laws
 - How to maximize profitability
 - Impact on incorporating
 - Top ten tax mistakes REALTORS make
 - Top ten things about taxes members should know

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