**Colorado Association of REALTORS®**

**Colorado Flood Disaster Relief Program**

The Colorado Association of REALTORS® (CAR) has teamed with the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR) REALTORS® Relief Foundation (“RRF”) to help provide much needed relief for victims impacted by the recent floods in Colorado. RRF is donating up to $100,000; matching CAR’s contribution of $50,000 plus additional donations CAR receives through its fundraising efforts.

Individuals can apply for up to $1,500 per household for mortgage and temporary housing assistance from November 1, 2013 through January 31, 2014.

If your association is interested in making a donation to our relief efforts please go to RRF website <http://www.realtor.org/programs/realtors-relief-foundation>.

More information about our efforts can be found at: <http://www.coloradorealtors.com/colorado-flood-disaster-relief/>

**CAR Enhances Professional Development through Live Webcasts**

**The Colorado Association of REALTORS® (CAR) live webcast program is an interactive and c**onvenient way for our members to access and receive important industry updates, as well as a variety of education classes utilizing a state-of-the-art live webcast broadcast system. It gives us the flexibility to discuss hot topics and call for actions immediately. For instance after the Colorado wildfires and floods we were able to bring in industry experts and educate our members about disaster insurance, remediation and provide tips on how they can address common buying and selling situations. We average 50- 80 participants per live webcast, with the high being 250 plus. As you can image our number of participants varies with each topic.

We are now in the process of building our own in-house recording studio to enhance our abilities to provide an even better professional development experience for Colorado REALTORS®. We want our members and even non-members to know when they are looking for quality industry information that “Knowledge Happens Here!”

More information about our live webcasts can be found at:

<http://www.coloradorealtors.com/live-webcast-classes/>