# COMMEMORATING THE 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE FAIR HOUSING ACT





# FAIR HOUSING MAKES

# **US STRONGER**

There is no community without unity.
There is no justice without equality.
And there is no America without diversity.
Our country's vibrant mix of cultures
is what makes us great and gives us
strength. It makes us who we are.

We're committed to ensuring opportunity is available to everyone, which is why we are proud to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Fair Housing Act.



In doing so, we acknowledge our past opposition and recognize industry pioneers who bravely worked to challenge and overcome it—and the need to continue efforts to broaden and enhance the Act to include new groups, truly protecting all Americans for the next 50 years and beyond.







## A YEAR-LONG CAMPAIGN

We are embarking on a year-long campaign to raise awareness and create action. We will advocate for changes to the Fair Housing Act to prohibit discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity. New and refreshed member training materials will emphasize the importance of compliance with the Fair Housing Act. New approaches to fair housing issues in our communities will be explored.

NAR will provide a variety of resources to support the campaign and help the REALTOR® community share the story of the importance that Fair Housing plays in our industry and in our communities. Available in November 2017, these will include flyer and email templates; customizable print, banner and social media ads; articles and written content; toolkits on working with partners and allies; videos and more.

For more information, resources and to get involved: www.FairHousing.realtor

### **JOIN US**

We're encouraging the REALTOR® community and beyond to join us in this commemoration. As a critical part of the REALTOR® family, we ask that you pick up this charge and stand together with us in this commitment. It's only together that we are able to reach farther with this message and be heard louder, having as much impact as possible.

Our campaign will coordinate with multicultural real estate organizations, featuring pioneers and leaders throughout our industry. The Asian Real Estate Association of America (AREAA), the National Association of Hispanic Real Estate Professionals (NAHREP), the National Association of Real Estate Brokers (NAREB), the Women's Council of REALTORS®, and organizations representing REALTORS® serving the LGBTQ communities will join us throughout the year and at the 2018 REALTORS® Legislative Meetings, and we will feature and highlight their activities.



