Don’t miss the opportunity to be a part of the only national conference focusing on building the knowledge, leadership, and momentum to reclaim vacant properties for neighborhood strength. 600 people attended last year’s inaugural conference to share the best strategies and tools. Don’t miss Louisville in 2009! The conference is sponsored by the National Vacant Properties Campaign, with principal planning partners of the Louisville Metro Government and the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis.

- Networking events
- Educational sessions
- Mobile workshops
- Exhibit opportunities

Who should participate in the conference?
- Community development professionals
- Elected officials
- Civic leaders
- Local and state governmental staff
- Academics
- Financial community
- Developers and real estate professionals
- Planners
- Neighborhood leaders

Mark your calendars now!

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