

Regional Bulletin: 08-07

2008 Town Meetings



Dear Chief Executive Officer:

I'm pleased to provide you with the logistical details for our schedule of Town Meetings this year in the West Region. I previously announced the tentative dates of these meetings on February 22, 2008 in connection with our Regional Bulletin 08-02 in which I outlined our various regulatory outreach and training events for 2008.

The thrift industry currently faces a very challenging housing, mortgage, economic, and competitive environment. I encourage you to attend one of the four sessions scheduled for the second half of this year. The purpose of our Town Meetings is to provide an informal forum for thrift executives and regional senior managers to discuss current issues facing the thrift industry. We also plan to share our views on recent regulatory and examination issues, and will seek your input on challenges you see in your business and markets.

We especially look forward to hearing from you about the risks and issues you may be seeing in your local economies and in the various real estate markets in which you lend. Please consider bringing your Chief Lending Officer or Chief Financial Officer to participate in the discussion. We are asking for a limit of two executives per institution to facilitate an active dialogue with all attendees.

Enclosed you'll find a registration form for the Town Meetings with the dates and cities where the Town Meetings will be held, as well as specific meeting locations and times. You are free to attend the session that is the most convenient for you. Please complete the enclosed registration form and mail or fax it back by August 4th to Irma Corral-Chavez at the Office of Thrift Supervision, P. O. Box 7165, San Francisco, CA 94120-7165 or fax (650) 746-7001. Questions can be addressed to your Assistant Director or Field Manager. I look forward to seeing you again at one of the Town Meetings.

Sincerely,

Darrel W. Dochow
Regional Director

Enclosure

OTS TOWN MEETINGS IN 2008

Institution Name: _____

Institution Address: _____

Each Town Meeting is scheduled for approximately 2-3 hours.

We will attend the Town Meeting checked below:

_____ **Seattle, WA** **August 15, 2008** **10:00 a.m.**
Office of Thrift Supervision
101 Stewart Street, Suite 1010
Seattle, WA
Phone 206-829-2602

_____ **Santa Ana, CA** **September 12, 2008** **9:30 a.m.**
Office of Thrift Supervision
1551 North Tustin Avenue, Suite 1050
Santa Ana, CA
Phone 714-796-4792

_____ **Denver, CO** **November 3, 2008** **1:00 p.m.**
Grand Hyatt Denver
1750 Welton Street
Denver, CO
Phone 303-295-1234

_____ **Daly City, CA** **November 6, 2008** **9:30 a.m.**
Office of Thrift Supervision
2001 Junipero Serra Blvd, Suite 650
Daly City, CA
Phone (650) 746-7063

_____ **We will be unable to attend a Town Meeting**

Name and title of Attendee: _____

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Specific agenda topics that you would like the OTS to cover in the Town Meetings:

Mail or fax by August 4, 2008, to: Irma Corral-Chavez , Office of Thrift Supervision, P. O. Box 7165, San Francisco, CA 94120-7165; Fax (650) 746-7001