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Home Buying and Foreclosure Workshops for W. Sacramento's Slavic Community

(Woodland, CA) – On October 12 and 25, members of West Sacramento's Russian- and Ukrainian-speaking communities can learn what they need to know about buying a home and preventing foreclosure at the Arthur F. Turner Community Library.

The Yolo County Library, in cooperation with the NeighborWorks HomeOwnership Center, will be presenting two financial workshops in Russian. The first – Foreclosure Prevention – will be held on October 12 at 6:30 p.m. The second – Pre-Purchase Orientation – will be held on October 25 at 5:30 p.m. Pre-registration is required. To sign-up, visit the Arthur F. Turner Community Library at 1212 Merkley Avenue in West Sacramento or call (916) 375-6465.

"Buying a home and preventing foreclosure are on many people's minds right now," said Yolo County Supervisor Mike McGowan. "This is a unique opportunity for our Russian- and Ukrainian-speaking communities to learn about these pressing topics."

Both workshops will be presented in Russian by Paul Glushku, a certified Housing Counselor at NeighborWorks HomeOwnership Center Sacramento Region. M is active in the Russian Chamber of Commerce, and also writes articles for the Russian-American Media newspaper.

NeighborWorks is an established non-profit and a HUD Certified Housing Counseling Agency that has been serving the Sacramento region for 22 years and provides a wide range of homeownership services including homebuyer education and loan modification services. More information about their services is available at www.nwsac.org.

The workshops are sponsored by the Yolo County Library, Arthur F. Turner Community Library, NeighborWorks HomeOwnership, and by a grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

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