

Democrats in Napa to hold forum on affordable housing

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The Democrats of Napa Valley Club is hosting a panel discussion about the challenges of building affordable housing in one of the most expensive real estate markets in the country.

Assemblywoman Mariko Yamada, D-Davis; Larry Florin, Napa County's director of housing and intergovernmental affairs; and Rick Tooker, the city of Napa's community development director, will give an overview on Napa's housing situation.

Panels include Kathleen Dreessen, executive director, Napa Valley Community Housing; Ken Frank, board chairman of the Napa Chamber of Commerce and owner/chef of La Toque; Napa County Supervisor Bill Dodd; Napa Councilman Alfredo Pedroza; and Rex Stults, government relations director for Napa Valley Vintners.

The forum will be Wednesday, April 30, at 6:30 p.m. at Napa County Library, 580 Coombs St., Napa.

For more information, email affordablehousing@napadems.org.