

TAKE ACTION NOW!

Millions of Americans have trouble making their mortgage payments every year, but help does exist. There are numerous actions you can take to help keep the dream of homeownership alive.

First, contact your mortgage servicer, or the company where you send your mortgage payments, and ask to speak with someone in the loss mitigation department about a loan modification, workout, or repayment plan. Visit www.savethedream.ohio.gov for servicer contact information.

Then, call Ohio's Save the Dream hotline, 888-404-4674, to be connected with a local HUD-approved housing counseling agency or legal aid assistance in your area. Housing counselors understand your situation and can help you sort through your options. Also, qualified homeowners will be connected with a local legal aid program to be matched with an attorney.

Ohio is here to help

State Resources

Save The Dream
888-404-4674

www.savethedream.ohio.gov

Ohio Department of Commerce
866-278-0003
www.com.ohio.gov

Ohio Housing Finance Agency
888-362-6432
www.ohiohome.org

Ohio Attorney General
800-282-0515
www.ag.state.oh.us

Ohio Treasurer of State
614-466-2160
www.tos.ohio.gov

The Supreme Court of Ohio
614-387-9420
www.sconet.state.oh.us

Federal Resource

U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD)
800-569-4287
www.hud.gov

Ohio Department of Commerce
"An Equal Opportunity Employer and Service Provider"
TTY/TDD: 1-800-750-0750

Ohio Department of Commerce
Kimberly A. Zurz
Director



Homeownership Preservation

www.savethedream.ohio.gov
888-404-4674



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OHIO'S FORECLOSURE
PREVENTION EFFORT

Foreclosure Assistance for
Fairfield County
& Surrounding Area

Governor Ted Strickland



Homeownership Preservation Resources for Homeowners in Fairfield County & Surrounding Area



The help that could
Save Your Home

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888.404.4674

Immediate Assistance

888-404-4674

Housing Counseling &
Legal Assistance
Mon-Fri 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Community Organizations

Community Action Program Commission of the
Lancaster-Fairfield Area
Phone number: 740-653-4146
www.faircaa.org

Information and Referral for Fairfield County
Phone number: 740-687-0500
www.informationreferral.org

Hocking, Athens, Perry Community Action (HAPCAP)
Phone number: 740-767-4500
Toll Free number: 800-686-1093
www.hapcap.org

United Way of Muskingum Morgan and
Perry Counties Information and Referral
Phone number: 740-454-6872
www.unitedwayofmpm.org

Housing Counseling

Empowering & Strengthening Ohio's People
(ESOP)*
Phone number: 216-361-0718
Toll Free number: 877-731-3767
www.esop-cleveland.org

Consumer Credit Counseling Service*
Phone number: 614-552-2222
Toll Free number: 800-355-2227
www.cccservices.com

Columbus Housing Partnership Inc.*
Phone number: 614-221-8889 Ext. 134
www.chpcolumbus.org

Mid Ohio Regional Planning Commission*
Phone number: 614-233-4171

* State-funded Save the Dream Housing Counseling Agency

Other Resources

AARP
Reverse Mortgage Information
Toll Free number: 800-209-8085
www.aarp.org

Department of Job and Family Services
Prevention Retention and
Contingency Program
Phone number: 740-653-1701
Toll Free number: 800-450-8845
www.fcjfs.org

Fairfield County Veteran's Service Office
Phone number: 740-689-6202
www.fairfieldcountyvets.org

Ohio Benefit Bank
Toll Free number: 800-648-1176
www.obb.ohio.gov

**Contact your mortgage
servicer at the first sign of trouble!**

The first step to save your home is
to contact your mortgage servicer.
Ask about a workout resolution
or a loan modification. Visit
www.savethedream.ohio.gov
for servicer contact information.

Legal Assistance

Southeastern Ohio Legal Services
Phone number: 740-653-7705
Toll Free number: 888-835-5902
www.seols.org

Equal Justice Foundation
Phone number: 614-221-9800
Toll Free number: 800-898-0545
www.equaljusticefoundation.com



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