



## WHY JOIN OUR COALITION?

We are a coalition of advocates taking collective action to build power. Together, we are more than the sum of our parts, advancing a cohesive agenda to accelerate equitable progress.

Members play a central role in developing our priorities, campaigns, and initiatives to meet the moment of our current regional landscape. Membership benefits include but not limited to:

- Vote on coalition priorities at policy roundtables and assemblies
- Community and civic leadership development opportunities
- Advocacy and capacity building training
- Early access to programs, events, and technical assistance opportunities
- Discounted tickets and prices for special events and training series
- Networking and partnership opportunities
- Access to our online portal with timely resources, policy updates, and funding opportunities



## BECOME AN ADVOCATE. JOIN OUR MEMBERSHIP.

### ■ CORPORATE AFFILIATE: \$500

Organizational membership for corporate enterprises

### ■ LOCAL AFFILIATE: \$250

Organizational membership for nonprofits, government agencies, and small businesses

### ■ ASSOCIATE: \$100

Individual membership for professionals, students, retirees, activists, and entrepreneurs

*All memberships are on an annual, non-renewing basis and will be pro-rated from a January 15 start date.*

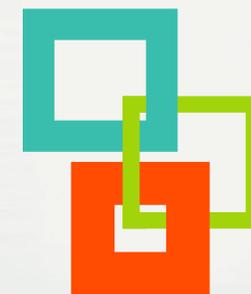


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SOUTH FLORIDA  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
**COALITION**



**BUILDING  
COMMUNITIES  
DEVELOPING  
ASSETS**





SFCDC is a policy advocacy coalition organizing collective action to advance **comprehensive community development** for social justice. We envision a South Florida region that is resilient, prosperous, and equitable for all communities. **Our mission is to educate, equip, and empower the public, private, and nonprofit sectors to champion comprehensive development.** Meeting the needs of underserved neighborhoods through a racial equity lens is central to our approach.



## WHAT IS COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT?

It is our strategy to promote deep and abiding local engagement that addresses a spectrum of interconnected issues regarding quality of life. It is designed to drive systemic interventions that improve the trajectory of vulnerable and low-income neighborhoods. We do this by organizing collective action to advocate for housing affordability, economic stability, and community resiliency.



## OUR PROGRAMS

Our newly adapted signature programs are dedicated to improving the capacity and leadership of our members that are building communities and developing assets. Additionally, we host and co-facilitate numerous local initiatives, programs, and projects with partners throughout the year.

■ **CAPACITY BUILDING INSTITUTE:** This program is designed to enhance the capacity of practitioners using the Community of Practice cohort model. Series include: small scale developers, housing counselors, community-based nonprofits, and more.

■ **COMPREHENSIVE DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY:** This training academy enriches participants to deepen their understanding of best practices, trends, and concepts in community and economic development. We explore a variety of technical and policy topics in conjunction with current events related to advocacy and social determinants of health.

The role of our coalition in the local ecosystem is expansive as a regional intermediary bridging the gaps across sectors and silos. SFCDC serves as a platform to amplify, convene, and organize strategic efforts tackling South Florida's most pressing community and economic issues.

**Our advocacy aims to collectively advance equitable policies and sustainable solutions** as a unifying voice with a broadly shared agenda. We believe in the power of collaboration and partnership. We know that healthy communities are places that offer the resources and opportunities for residents to engage in creating safe, vibrant neighborhoods and partake in building wealth in the local economy. Therefore, we seek to foster inclusive community investments in historically marginalized neighborhoods to eliminate displacement and dismantle barriers to prosperity for good.

