



BANKUNITED COMMUNITY PARTNERS ROUNDTABLE

On March 5, 2025, the South Florida Regional Planning Council hosted the BankUnited Community Partners Roundtable of Broward County to bring together community organizations and service providers working throughout Broward County. Katrina Wright, SVP, CRA/Community Development Officer, along with Isabel Cosio Carballo, Executive Director of the South Florida Regional Planning Council, welcomed more than 30 local community partners representing non-profit organizations that provide housing solutions, elder care, family services, community lending, food for families and individuals who cannot afford it, disability services, and small business consulting.

The discussion focused on identifying key needs and challenges facing these organizations and the clients they serve. Participants explored strategies to better utilize community assets, strengthen stakeholder engagement, and build more resilient communities throughout Broward County and beyond. The group also discussed the impact of recent executive actions on service providers, clients, and partners.

Additional affordable housing insight and research was provided by Dr. Ned Murray, AICP, Associate Director of the Florida International University Jorge M. Pérez Metropolitan Center. Dr. Murray shared findings from the 10-Year Affordable Housing Master Plan for Broward County.

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