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PREPARE FOR SECURE FINANCIAL FUTURE DURING FINANCIAL STRATEGIES MONTH

A 2008 study by the Employee Benefit Research Institute discovered a mere 18% of the workforce feels secure about their financial future. 77% of those saving for retirement have saved \$50,000 or less. These numbers are cause for concern; if people are not prepared for their own future, it's hard to imagine that the country's financial future will be strong.

Under today's pressured economic times it's difficult for people to plan for tomorrow, but it's even more critical today for people to have a financial plan in place. A study done by the Government Accountability Office found that, after inflation, Americans 55-64 who have saved \$50,000 will have an income of only \$4,400 a year when they retire. To help people make preparations for a fiscally sound tomorrow, Credit Advisors Foundation is sponsoring Financial Strategies Month in August. Two unique specialists will be providing information on financial strategies and planning throughout the month during two free seminars.

Mike Sufficool, Vice President, Western Division at AXA Advisors will present "Financial Strategies 101." He will be at Credit Advisors Foundation's office on August 8th for two, hour-long presentations starting at 11:30am and again at 12:30pm.

Jody Smythe, Reverse Mortgage Manager at Wells Fargo, will be at Credit Advisors Foundation's office on August 15th at 11:00am and 12:00pm. She will be presenting "Facts about Reverse Mortgages".

"While people are struggling to pay for today's bills it seems crazy to be worried about the future, but the future is now." Lisa Cameron, Director of Education for Credit Advisors Foundation said. "Our Seminars will provide a unique opportunity to help people understand the importance of financial planning."

Both these presentations are free of charge at Credit Advisors Foundation's office in Omaha, Nebraska, 1818 S 72nd Street. They will also have a conference line available to anybody unable to attend the Omaha presentations in person at 1-866-285-7780 code 4425358.

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Credit Advisors Foundation is a national, non-profit credit and housing counseling organization with offices in Omaha, Nebraska and Tacoma, Washington. The organization provides financial education to the community via publications, speakers, and counseling. For more information visit creditadvisors.org

Seminar Information Briefs

Title: Financial Strategies 101

Presenter: Mike Sufficool

Vice President, Western Division

AXA Advisors, LLC

Date: August 8, 2008

Time: 11:30am and 12:30pm

Location: Credit Advisors Foundation

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Omaha, NE 68124

Conference Code: 1-866-285-7780 code 4425358

Title: Facts about Reverse Mortgages

Presenter: Jody Smythe

Reverse Mortgages Manager

Wells Fargo

Date: August 15, 2008

Time: 11:00am and 12:00pm

Location: Credit Advisors Foundation

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Conference Code: 1-866-285-7780 code 4425358