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Community Associations and the Coronavirus (COVID-19) – What You Need to Know

Live Webinar April 15, 2020

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Christine F. Li is the organizer and moderator for the live webinar "Community Associations and the Coronavirus (COVID-19) – What You Need to Know," which will be presented on Wednesday, April 15, 2020 from 9:00 – 11:00am. Greenbaum partner Robert J. Flanagan III will be a panelist for the program. Ms. Li and Mr. Flanagan are Co-Chairs of the firm's Community Association Practice Group. The webinar is being sponsored by the New Jersey Institute for Continuing Legal Education in cooperation with the NJSBA Real Property, Trust & Estate Law Section and the Community Associations Institute, New Jersey Chapter (CAI-NJ).

The impact of the coronavirus is wide-ranging, regardless of whether you are dealing with a high-rise building or a small number of condominium or townhome units. Panelists for this webinar will address questions including:

- What policies should be adopted to achieve social distancing and limit person-to-person contact? Can access to premises be denied to non-residents?
- What inquiry does an association have the right to make of a resident or visitor? What does an association have the right to disclose?
- What safeguards should be imposed on the use of common facilities and areas? Should access be denied to some, but not all? Should common amenities be shut down?
- What can, and cannot, a board do if it learns that a resident or other person has been diagnosed with COVID 19, or if someone has had contact with someone who has been exposed?
- What are considerations as residents self-quarantine or self-isolate?
 What accommodations should be made?

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- When should "business as usual" be permitted? Should real estate brokers be allowed to conduct marketing activity? Should residents be permitted to make arrangements to move into the building?
- Who should bear the cost for any extraordinary accommodations required to minimize risk?
- What adjustment should be made to on-site property managers and other personnel? Who is considered essential? What impact does federal and state legislation have on employees of the association?
- Should you be reviewing the association's insurance policy and why?
- How can an association comply with requirements related to the requirement of open meetings, timesensitive elections, as well as routine meetings of the board and membership to continue the association's business?
- What will be the economic impact of the coronavirus and how should an association handle delinquencies and other financial uncertainty?
- What agencies, organizations and guidelines are available to help navigate associations and its members through the pandemic and its aftermath?

Registration and additional details at: Community Associations and the Coronavirus