



Pedro E. Segarra
Mayor

PROTECTING HARTFORD'S NEIGHBORHOODS MAYOR SEGARRA FIGHTING FORECLOSURE AND BLIGHT

---NEWS AND COMMUNITY STATEMENT---

(March 1, 2011)--- Mayor Pedro E. Segarra has issued this statement in support of Senate Bill 957 that would require anyone who initiates a foreclosure action to file notice with the town clerk or designated authority.

“While the City of Hartford has an active foreclosure prevention training and assistance program, and comprehensive anti-blight ordinances, any additional tool to protect homeowners is welcome. Keeping people in their homes helps them to continue to be active and engaged stakeholders in their communities. It reduces blight and serves as a fundamental way to preserve public safety. I support this measure because it will help ensure that municipalities like Hartford have the ability to stay ahead of the curve and continue to make quality of life issues a priority.”