

NC Program Prevents Over 2,000 Foreclosures

More than 2,000 homeowners have avoided foreclosure by taking part in a state foreclosure prevention project started 10 months ago, according to the North Carolina Office of the Commissioner of Banks.

To date, the State Home Foreclosure Prevention Project has helped prevent 2,040 foreclosures and provided foreclosure prevention and budgeting advice to more than 6,000 homeowners, the office said in a release.

In September, a new public awareness effort – called the Fight NC Foreclosure campaign – was launched by the North Carolina Association of REALTORS®, NCCOB, the state attorney general's office, the State Employees' Credit Union, and other agencies.

So far, according to NCCOB, some 700 homeowners have taken action to prevent foreclosures as a result of the campaign, which can be reached at 1-866-234-4857