



Cost Control Company

Property Management and Maintenance
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APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HOUSING

Instructions: Please read and complete the form in its entirety. Incomplete applications may not be processed.

- In order to be eligible for admission to the PBRA and LIHTC Programs, applicants must meet all the eligibility criteria established by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Project-Based Rental Assistant and Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) as well as all applicable federal requirements.
1. Completed applications will be included on the waiting list in the order in which were received. Waiting lists will be organized by unit type, number of bedrooms and applicable preferences, as provided in the Tenant Selection Plan.
 2. Applicants must fill out all sections of this form and submit it, along with any supporting documents, in person at the Walter I. M. Hodge Pavilion management; by mail, to **Walter I. M. Hodge Pavilion, 1000 Estate Smithfield, Frederiksted, St. Croix 00840**; or by email, at administracion@costcontrolpr.com.
 3. The following forms must be attached to this application and signed by all household members who are 18 years of age or older:
 - HUD-9887 – Authorization to Release Information
 - Disability Certification
 - Supplement to application for Federally Assisted Housing (HUD-92006)
 4. If you need additional space to provide the requested information, please attach additional sheets.
 5. If you need assistance in completing this form, please contact the Cost Control Company, 504 Coordinator at 787-281-6620.

NOTE TO APPLICANTS: You are responsible for updating all the information included in this Application for PBRA/LIHTC. The Walter I. M. Hodge Pavilion requires that all changes to your address, contact phone number, income, and household composition be submitted in writing. **If we are unable to contact you using the contact information included in your application, we will cancel your application and you will have to complete a new application.**

Each person who signs this Application hereby authorizes any credit reporting agency, bank, brokerage office, financial institution, real estates, Internal Revenue Collection Office, insurance agency, employment agency, Social Security office, governmental office (state, municipal, and federal), employer, and any private person, within or outside the community where they live, to provide information to any authorized employee regarding their respective bank accounts, finances, insurance policies, properties, employment history, donations, or any other information that the Walter I. M. Hodge Pavilion may deem necessary to evaluate this Application. Such information may be requested and provided without prior notification with the person who signs this application or with any of the undersigned persons. **This authorization covers all household members included in the Application for PBRA, LIHTC and/or the Lease Agreement.**

Signature of Head of Household

Date



Information for Applicant to Bring to the Eligibility Interview

Records of Earned Income

- Paycheck stub (from 4 to 6)
- W-2 forms
- Income tax return - (state or federal)
- Wage tax receipts

Records of Other Income

- Pensions and annuities - latest check stub from issuing institution
- Social Security - current award letter, *benefit letter or Proof of Income Letter*
- Unemployment compensation - determination letter Form 2000, Form UC 30, or latest check stub
- SSI - award letter, *Proof of Income Letter*
- TANF - award letter, recent check stub
- Worker's compensation - Form DOL 203, recent check stub
- Alimony - copy of court order
- Child support - copy of court order
- Education scholarships/stipends - award letter
- Trade union benefits - recent check stub
- Other public assistance - award letter
- Income from assets - credit union/bank/S&L statements, etc.

Asset Information

- Bank statements (checking account 6) (saving account – most recent statement)
- Stock/bond certificates
- Mortgage note
- Income tax return
- Certificates of deposit

Records of Family Circumstances/Family Composition/Allowances

- Work permit
- Statement of disability
- Social security record
- Adoption papers
- Income tax returns
- Legal documents showing formal adoption being pursued
- Birth certificates
- Copies of medical bills
- Social Security cards/alternative documents
- Payment receipts for dependent care, childcare, etc.



Application for Housing – PBRA / LIHTC

Instructions:

This application must be filled out in all its parts. It must be signed by all adults. Failure to complete this form may lead to a delay in the processing of your request and/or a change in your appointment date. The information that you provide related to your family composition, income, assets and deductions must be true and to the best of your knowledge.

Applicant's Information:

Table with 3 columns: NAME HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD, MAILING ADDRESS, PHONE. Rows for last name, email address, and city/state/zip code.

People to call in case of Emergency:

Table with 3 columns: NAME, MAILING ADDRESS, PHONE.

A. Household Members: Please start with the head of the household, then with the spouse or co-head, then with adult members (18 years or older), and minors.

Table with 7 columns: Last name, Name, Relationship with HOH, Birthdate, Social Security number, Student?, Disable?. Rows 1-10.

B. Foster Home Children:

Is there a child in the home who is a foster child []Yes []No

Children's name:

C. Do you currently receive or expect to receive any of these sources of income?

Table with 3 columns: Benefit, Name of the person who receives it, Monthly amount. Rows for Food Stamp Assistance, Child Support, PA Grant, Alimony, Pension/Retirement, Undeclared tips, Regular Contribution/Gifts.



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Self-employment	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Social Security Benefits	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Unemployment Benefits	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Veteran Benefit Benefits	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Military Compensation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Employment Compensation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Student Assistance (Scholarships, prizes, others). Do not include loans	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Income from rental property	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Employment 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Employment 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Employment 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Other income: specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		

If you checked Yes for employment, please complete the following information:

Name and address of the Employer	Employer's Telephone Number	Date started	If you receive some of the following benefits indicate the amount:			
			Overtime	Bond	tips	commissions

D. Do you have any of the following expenses:

		Monthly Amount Paid
1. Child care (under 12 years or less)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
2. Care for Disabled or Handicapped Persons	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
3. Medical and/or Pharmacy Expenses (this applies to families of the elderly, disabled and/or handicapped)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

E. Do you have any of the following assets, including minors?

Asset type	Name of the person who receives it	Account number	Financial institution	Account Balance and/or Value
Checking account <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Savings account <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Life insurance policy <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Savings bonds <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Stocks <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Certificate of deposit <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				



Retirement Accounts	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No				
Deferred Compensation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No				
Lump Sum Receipts	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No				
Properties	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No				
Cash	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No				
Others: explain _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No				

F. Have you or any member of your household sold, assigned or transferred any property or assets in the last two years?

yes no

G. Are all members of the family composition full-time students?

yes no

H. Is any child(ren) or dependent(s) claimed on an income tax return?

yes no

I. Have you or any member of your household been arrested for committing criminal activity?

yes no

J. Have you or any member of your household been registered as a Sex Offender?

yes no

K. Have you or any member of your family composition resided with a rental subsidy?

Yes No

If yes, explain:

Address Date

L. Have pets?

yes no

If yes, describe: _____

M. Does anyone in your family composition have any special needs? yes no

N. Do you require reasonable accommodation? yes no
What kind of accommodation do you require?

Q. Household member(s) included in the previous reexamination who have left the home and will be removed.

1. _____

3. _____

2. _____

4. _____

R. Household member or members to be included in your Lease: (They are subject to evaluating your eligibility to include them in the contract)

1. _____

3. _____

2. _____

4. _____



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PRIVACY ACT

The information collected by the Cost Control Company and its oversight agency HUD is for the purpose of determining applicant eligibility, recommending unit size, and the amount of money a family should pay for rent and utilities.

HUD uses family income and other information to monitor and manage housing program funds, to protect the government, its finances, and interests and the accuracy of the information provided. HUD or housing management agencies/housing authority may verify the information provided via computer. This information may be shared with federal and state government agencies and when necessary, with prosecutors and civil or criminal investigators. However, the information will not be disclosed outside of HUD, unless permitted or required by law.

You must provide the information requested by the Public Housing Administration, including the Social Security number, of all members of the family composition older than six years. It is mandatory to present Social Security numbers. Refusing to submit Social Security numbers for all household members over the age of six may result in a delay or denial of your eligibility application.

Authority to Collect Information: The following laws authorize the collection of information by HUD, US Housing Act of 1937 (42 USC 1437 et. Seq.) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1968. The Housing and Community Development Act of 1987 (42 USC 3543) require all applicants and residents to submit their Social Security number, all members of the family over the age of six.

APPLICANT/RESIDENT CERTIFICATION AND NOTICE

I/We certify that the information provided regarding family composition, income, assets, earnings, and deductions is accurate and complete. I/We understand that false information is punishable under federal law. I/We also understand that false information provided is the basis for the termination of application services and the cancellation of the lease.

I swear that all the information provided above about my family composition is true. I also understand that any change in household composition or income must be reported to the Public Housing Administration immediately.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the information contained in this statement is correct and complete.

_____ Signature of Head of Household	_____ Date/time	_____ Signature of Spouse or Co-head	_____ Date/time
_____ Signature of another adult	_____ Date/time	_____ Signature of another adult	_____ Date/time
_____ Signature of another adult	_____ Date/time	_____ Signature of another adult	_____ Date/time
_____ Signature of Guardian	_____ Date/time	_____ Signature of Guardian	_____ Date/time

FOR USE BY STAFF OF WALTER I. M. HODGE PAVILION & COST CONTROL COMPANY

I certify that the information given to the Walter IM Hodge Pavilion Management Office by Mr./Ms. _____ regarding family composition, assets, family income, benefits and deductions have been verified.

Name of the WIMH Staff and/or Representative

Signature of the WIMH Staff and/or Representative

Date

Time

DISABILITY CERTIFICATION

(02/19)

Property Name	Unit Number
Applicant/Resident Name	
Name of Qualifying Household Member*	

A certain number of units at this property have been set-aside for households with a household member who falls within the following definition:

Disability means:

A physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one more of the major life activities of an individuals, such as not being able to care for oneself, performing manual tasks, walking, seeing, hearing, speaking, breathing, or learning.

Do you or a member of your household fall within this definition? Yes* No

Signature of Applicant	Date
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*If "YES," provide an executed copy of the Disability Verification or attach a written verification from the applicant's physician, relative, social worker, or caregiver. The verification should simply state that the applicant falls within the definition of being disabled.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Document Package for Applicant's/Tenant's Consent to the Release Of Information

This Package contains the following documents:

- 1. HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet describing the necessary verifications**
- 2. Form HUD-9887 (to be signed by the Applicant or Tenant)**
- 3. Form HUD-9887-A (to be signed by the Applicant or Tenant and Housing Owner)**
- 4. Relevant Verifications (to be signed by the Applicant or Tenant)**

Each household must receive a copy of the 9887/A Fact Sheet, form HUD-9887, and form HUD-9887-A.

Verification of Information Provided by Applicants and Tenants of Assisted Housing

What Verification Involves

To receive housing assistance, applicants and tenants who are at least 18 years of age and each family head, spouse, or co-head regardless of age must provide the owner or management agent (O/A) or public housing agency (PHA) with certain information specified by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

To make sure that the assistance is used properly, Federal laws require that the information you provide be verified. This information is verified in two ways:

1. HUD, O/As, and PHAs may verify the information you provide by checking with the records kept by certain public agencies (e.g., Social Security Administration (SSA), State agency that keeps wage and unemployment compensation claim information, and the Department of Health and Human Services' (HHS) National Directory of New Hires (NDNH) database that stores wage, new hires, and unemployment compensation). HUD (only) may verify information covered in your tax returns from the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS). You give your consent to the release of this information by signing form HUD-9887. Only HUD, O/As, and PHAs can receive information authorized by this form.
2. The O/A must verify the information that is used to determine your eligibility and the amount of rent you pay. You give your consent to the release of this information by signing the form HUD-9887, the form HUD-9887-A, and the individual verification and consent forms that apply to you. Federal laws limit the kinds of information the O/A can receive about you. The amount of income you receive helps to determine the amount of rent you will pay. The O/A will verify all of the sources of income that you report. There are certain allowances that reduce the income used in determining tenant rents.

Example: Mrs. Anderson is 62 years old. Her age qualifies her for a medical allowance. Her annual income will be adjusted because of this allowance. Because Mrs. Anderson's medical expenses will help determine the amount of rent she pays, the O/A is required to verify any medical expenses that she reports.

Example: Mr. Harris does not qualify for the medical allowance because he is not at least 62 years of age and he is not handicapped or disabled. Because he is not eligible for the medical allowance, the amount of his medical expenses does not change the amount of rent he pays. Therefore, the O/A cannot ask Mr. Harris anything about his medical expenses and cannot verify with a third party about any medical expenses he has.

Customer Protections

Information received by HUD is protected by the Federal Privacy Act. Information received by the O/A or the PHA is subject to State privacy laws. Employees of HUD, the O/A, and the PHA are subject to penalties for using these consent forms improperly. You do not have to sign the form HUD-9887, the form HUD-9887-A, or the individual verification consent forms when they are given to you at your certification or recertification interview. You may take them home with you to read or to discuss with a third party of your choice. The O/A will give you another date when you can return to sign these forms.

If you cannot read and/or sign a consent form due to a disability, the O/A shall make a reasonable accommodation in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Such accommodations may include: home visits when the applicant's or tenant's disability prevents him/her from coming to the office to complete the forms; the applicant or tenant authorizing another person to sign on his/her behalf; and for persons with visual impairments, accommodations may include providing the forms in large script or braille or providing readers.

If an adult member of your household, due to extenuating circumstances, is unable to sign the form HUD-9887 or the individual verification forms on time, the O/A may document the file as to the reason for the delay and the specific plans to obtain the proper signature as soon as possible.

The O/A must tell you, or a third party which you choose, of the findings made as a result of the O/A verifications authorized by your consent. The O/A must give you the opportunity to contest such findings in accordance with HUD Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1. However, for information received under the form HUD-9887 or form HUD-9887-A, HUD, the O/A, or the PHA, may inform you of these findings.

O/As must keep tenant files in a location that ensures confidentiality. Any employee of the O/A who fails to keep tenant information confidential is subject to the enforcement provisions of the State Privacy Act and is subject to enforcement actions by HUD. Also, any applicant or tenant affected by negligent disclosure or improper use of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the employee.

HUD-9887/A requires the O/A to give each household a copy of the Fact Sheet, and forms HUD-9887, HUD-9887-A along with appropriate individual consent forms. The package you will receive will include the following documents:

1. **HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet:** Describes the requirement to verify information provided by individuals who apply for housing assistance. This fact sheet also describes consumer protections under the verification process.
2. **Form HUD-9887:** Allows the release of information between government agencies.
3. **Form HUD-9887-A:** Describes the requirement of third party verification along with consumer protections.
4. **Individual verification consents:** Used to verify the relevant information provided by applicants/tenants to determine their eligibility and level of benefits.

Consequences for Not Signing the Consent Forms

If you fail to sign the form HUD-9887, the form HUD-9887-A, or the individual verification forms, this may result in your assistance being denied (for applicants) or your assistance being terminated (for tenants). See further explanation on the forms HUD-9887 and 9887-A.

If you are an applicant and are denied assistance for this reason, the O/A must notify you of the reason for your rejection and give you an opportunity to appeal the decision.

If you are a tenant and your assistance is terminated for this reason, the O/A must follow the procedures set out in the Lease. This includes the opportunity for you to meet with the O/A.

Programs Covered by this Fact Sheet

- Rental Assistance Program (RAP)
- Rent Supplement
- Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Programs (administered by the Office of Housing)
- Section 202
- Sections 202 and 811 PRAC
- Section 202/162 PAC
- Section 221(d)(3) Below Market Interest Rate
- Section 236
- HOPE 2 Home Ownership of Multifamily Units

O/As must give a copy of this HUD Fact Sheet to each household. See the Instructions on form HUD-9887-A.

Notice and Consent for the Release of Information

U.S. Department of Housing
and Urban Development
Office of Housing
Federal Housing Commissioner

to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and to an Owner and Management Agent (O/A), and to a Public Housing Agency (PHA)

HUD Office requesting release of information (Owner should provide the full address of the HUD Field Office, Attention: Director, Multifamily Division.):	O/A requesting release of information (Owner should provide the full name and address of the Owner.):	PHA requesting release of information (Owner should provide the full name and address of the PHA and the title of the director or administrator. If there is no PHA Owner or PHA contract administrator for this project, mark an X through this entire box.):
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Notice To Tenant: Do not sign this form if the space above for organizations requesting release of information is left blank. You do not have to sign this form when it is given to you. You may take the form home with you to read or discuss with a third party of your choice and return to sign the consent on a date you have worked out with the housing owner/manager.

Authority: Section 217 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2004 (Pub L. 108-199). This law is found at 42 U.S.C.653(J). This law authorizes HHS to disclose to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) information in the NDNH portion of the "Location and Collection System of Records" for the purposes of verifying employment and income of individuals participating in specified programs and, after removal of personal identifiers, to conduct analyses of the employment and income reporting of these individuals. Information may be disclosed by the Secretary of HUD to a private owner, a management agent, and a contract administrator in the administration of rental housing assistance.

Section 904 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments Act of 1988, as amended by section 903 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 and section 3003 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993. This law is found at 42 U.S.C. 3544. This law requires you to sign a consent form authorizing: (1) HUD and the PHA to request wage and unemployment compensation claim information from the state agency responsible for keeping that information; and (2) HUD, O/A, and the PHA responsible for determining eligibility to verify salary and wage information pertinent to the applicant's or participant's eligibility or level of benefits; (3) HUD to request certain tax return information from the U.S. Social Security Administration (SSA) and the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Purpose: In signing this consent form, you are authorizing HUD, the above-named O/A, and the PHA to request income information from the government agencies listed on the form. HUD, the O/A, and the PHA need this information to verify your household's income to ensure that you are eligible for assisted housing benefits and that these benefits are set at the correct level. HUD, the O/A, and the PHA may participate in computer matching programs with these sources to verify your eligibility and level of benefits. This form also authorizes HUD, the O/A, and the PHA to seek wage, new hire (W-4), and unemployment claim information from current or former employers to verify information obtained through computer matching.

Uses of Information to be Obtained: HUD is required to protect the income information it obtains in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. The O/A and the PHA is also required to protect the income

information it obtains in accordance with any applicable State privacy law. After receiving the information covered by this notice of consent, HUD, the O/A, and the PHA may inform you that your eligibility for, or level of, assistance is uncertain and needs to be verified and nothing else.

HUD, O/A, and PHA employees may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of the income information that is obtained based on the consent form.

Who Must Sign the Consent Form: Each member of your household who is at least 18 years of age and each family head, spouse or co-head, regardless of age, must sign the consent form at the initial certification and at each recertification. Additional signatures must be obtained from new adult members when they join the household or when members of the household become 18 years of age.

Persons who apply for or receive assistance under the following programs are required to sign this consent form:

Rental Assistance Program (RAP)

Rent Supplement

Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Programs (administered by the Office of Housing)

Section 202; Sections 202 and 811 PRAC; Section 202/162 PAC Section 221(d)(3) Below Market Interest Rate

Section 236

HOPE 2 Homeownership of Multifamily Units

Failure to Sign Consent Form: Your failure to sign the consent form may result in the denial of assistance or termination of assisted housing benefits. If an applicant is denied assistance for this reason, the owner must follow the notification procedures in Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1. If a tenant is denied assistance for this reason, the owner or managing agent must follow the procedures set out in the lease.

Consent: I consent to allow HUD, the O/A, or the PHA to request and obtain income information from the federal and state agencies listed on the back of this form for the purpose of verifying my eligibility and level of benefits under HUD's assisted housing programs.

Signatures:

Additional Signatures, if needed:

Head of Household

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Spouse

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Agencies To Provide Information

State Wage Information Collection Agencies. (HUD and PHA). This consent is limited to wages and unemployment compensation you have received during period(s) within the last 5 years when you have received assisted housing benefits.

U.S. Social Security Administration (HUD only). This consent is limited to the wage and self employment information from your current form W-2.

National Directory of New Hires contained in the Department of Health and Human Services' system of records. This consent is limited to wages and unemployment compensation you have received during period(s) within the last 5 years when you have received assisted housing benefits.

U.S. Internal Revenue Service (HUD only). This consent is limited to information covered in your current tax return.

This consent is limited to the following information that may appear on your current tax return:

1099-S Statement for Recipients of Proceeds from Real Estate Transactions

1099-B Statement for Recipients of Proceeds from Real Estate Brokers and Barter Exchange Transactions

1099-A Information Return for Acquisition or Abandonment of Secured Property

1099-G Statement for Recipients of Certain Government Payments

1099-DIV Statement for Recipients of Dividends and Distributions

1099 INT Statement for Recipients of Interest Income

1099-MISC Statement for Recipients of Miscellaneous Income

1099-OID Statement for Recipients of Original Issue Discount

1099-PATR Statement for Recipients of Taxable Distributions Received from Cooperatives

1099-R Statement for Recipients of Retirement Plans W2-G

Statement of Gambling Winnings

1065-K1 Partners Share of Income, Credits, Deductions, etc.

1041-K1 Beneficiary's Share of Income, Credits, Deductions, etc.

1120S-K1 Shareholder's Share of Undistributed Taxable Income, Credits, Deductions, etc.

I understand that income information obtained from these sources will be used to verify information that I provide in determining initial or continued eligibility for assisted housing programs and the level of benefits.

No action can be taken to terminate, deny, suspend, or reduce the assistance your household receives based on information obtained about you under this consent until the HUD Office, Office of Inspector General (OIG) or the PHA (whichever is applicable) and the O/A have independently verified: 1) the amount of the income, wages, or unemployment compensation involved, 2) whether you actually have (or had) access to such income, wages, or benefits for your own use, and 3) the period or periods when, or with respect to which you actually received such income, wages, or benefits. A photocopy of the signed consent may be used to request a third party to verify any information received under this consent (e.g., employer).

HUD, the O/A, or the PHA shall inform you, or a third party which you designate, of the findings made on the basis of information verified under this consent and shall give you an opportunity to contest such findings in accordance with Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1.

If a member of the household who is required to sign the consent form is unable to sign the form on time due to extenuating circumstances, the O/A may document the file as to the reason for the delay and the specific plans to obtain the proper signature as soon as possible.

This consent form expires 15 months after signed.

Privacy Act Statement. The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is authorized to collect this information by the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1437 et. seq.); the Housing and Urban-Rural Recovery Act of 1983 (P.L. 98-181); the Housing and Community Development Technical Amendments of 1984 (P.L. 98-479); and by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1987 (42 U.S.C. 3543). The information is being collected by HUD to determine an applicant's eligibility, the recommended unit size, and the amount the tenant(s) must pay toward rent and utilities. HUD uses this information to assist in managing certain HUD properties, to protect the Government's financial interest, and to verify the accuracy of the information furnished. HUD, the owner or management agent (O/A), or a public housing agency (PHA) may conduct a computer match to verify the information you provide. This information may be released to appropriate Federal, State, and local agencies, when relevant, and to civil, criminal, or regulatory investigators and prosecutors. However, the information will not be otherwise disclosed or released outside of HUD, except as permitted or required by law. You must provide all of the information requested. Failure to provide any information may result in a delay or rejection of your eligibility approval.

Penalties for Misusing this Consent:

HUD, the O/A, and any PHA (or any employee of HUD, the O/A, or the PHA) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information collected based on the consent form.

Use of the information collected based on the form HUD 9887 is restricted to the purposes cited on the form HUD 9887. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains, or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or tenant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than \$5,000.

Any applicant or tenant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD, the Owner or the PHA responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.

Applicant's/Tenant's Consent to the Release of Information

Verification by Owners of Information
Supplied by Individuals Who Apply for Housing Assistance

U.S. Department of Housing
and Urban Development
Office of Housing
Federal Housing Commissioner

Instructions to Owners

1. Give the documents listed below to the applicants/tenants to sign. Staple or clip them together in one package in the order listed.
 - a. The HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet.
 - b. Form HUD-9887.
 - c. Form HUD-9887-A.
 - d. Relevant verifications (HUD Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1).
2. Verbally inform applicants and tenants that
 - a. They may take these forms home with them to read or to discuss with a third party of their choice and to return to sign them on a date they have worked out with you, and
 - b. If they have a disability that prevents them from reading and/or signing any consent, that you, the Owner, are required to provide reasonable accommodations.
3. Owners are required to give each household a copy of the HUD9887/A Fact Sheet, form HUD-9887, and form HUD-9887-A after obtaining the required applicants/tenants signature(s). Also, owners must give the applicants/tenants a copy of the signed individual verification forms upon their request.

Instructions to Applicants and Tenants

This Form HUD-9887-A contains customer information and protections concerning the HUD-required verifications that Owners must perform.

1. Read this material which explains:
 - HUD's requirements concerning the release of information, and
 - Other customer protections.
2. Sign on the last page that:
 - you have read this form, or
 - the Owner or a third party of your choice has explained it to you, and
 - you consent to the release of information for the purposes and uses described.

Authority for Requiring Applicant's/Tenant's Consent to the Release of Information

Section 904 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments Act of 1988, as amended by section 903 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992. This law is found at 42 U.S.C. 3544.

In part, this law requires you to sign a consent form authorizing the Owner to request current or previous employers to verify salary and wage information pertinent to your eligibility or level of benefits.

In addition, HUD regulations (24 CFR 5.659, Family Information and Verification) require as a condition of receiving housing assistance that you must sign a HUD-approved release and consent authorizing any depository or private source of income to furnish such information that is necessary in determining your eligibility or level of benefits. This includes information that you have provided which will affect the amount of rent you pay. The information includes income and assets, such as salary, welfare benefits, and interest earned on savings accounts. They also include certain adjustments to your income, such as the allowances for dependents and for households whose heads or spouses are elderly handicapped, or disabled; and allowances for child care expenses, medical expenses, and handicap assistance expenses.

Purpose of Requiring Consent to the Release of Information

In signing this consent form, you are authorizing the Owner of the housing project to which you are applying for assistance to request information from a third party about you. HUD requires the housing owner to verify all of the information you provide that affects your eligibility and level of benefits to ensure that you are eligible for assisted housing benefits and that these benefits are set at the correct levels. Upon the request of the HUD office or the PHA (as Contract Administrator), the housing Owner may provide HUD or the PHA with the information you have submitted and the information the Owner receives under this consent.

Uses of Information to be Obtained

The individual listed on the verification form may request and receive the information requested by the verification, subject to the limitations of this form. HUD is required to protect the income information it obtains in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. The Owner and the PHA are also required to protect the income information they obtain in accordance with any applicable state privacy law. Should the Owner receive information from a third party that is inconsistent with the information you have provided, the Owner is required to notify you in writing identifying the information believed to be incorrect. If this should occur, you will have the opportunity to meet with the Owner to discuss any discrepancies.

Who Must Sign the Consent Form

Each member of your household who is at least 18 years of age, and each family head, spouse or co-head, regardless of age must sign the relevant consent forms at the initial certification, at each recertification and at each interim certification, if applicable. In addition, when new adult members join the household and when members of the household become 18 years of age they must also sign the relevant consent forms.

Persons who apply for or receive assistance under the following programs must sign the relevant consent forms:

Rental Assistance Program (RAP)
Rent Supplement
Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Programs (administered by the Office of Housing)
Section 202
Sections 202 and 811 PRAC
Section 202/162 PAC
Section 221(d)(3) Below Market Interest Rate
Section 236
HOPE 2 Home Ownership of Multifamily Units

Failure to Sign the Consent Form

Failure to sign any required consent form may result in the denial of assistance or termination of assisted housing benefits. If an applicant is denied assistance for this reason, the O/A must follow the notification procedures in Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1. If a tenant is denied assistance for this reason, the O/A must follow the procedures set out in the lease.

Conditions

No action can be taken to terminate, deny, suspend or reduce the assistance your household receives based on information obtained about you under this consent until the O/A has independently 1) verified the information you have provided with respect to your eligibility and level of benefits and 2) with respect to income (including both earned and unearned income), the O/A has verified whether you actually have (or had) access to such income for your own use, and verified the period or periods when, or with respect to which you actually received such income, wages, or benefits.

A photocopy of the signed consent may be used to request the information authorized by your signature on the individual consent forms. This would occur if the O/A does not have another individual verification consent with an original signature and the O/A is required to send out another request for verification (for example, the third party fails to respond). If this happens, the O/A may attach a photocopy of this consent to a photocopy of the individual verification form that you sign. To avoid the use of photocopies, the O/A and the individual may agree to sign more than one consent for each type of verification that is needed. The O/A shall inform you, or a third party which you designate, of the findings made on the basis of information verified under this consent and shall give you an opportunity to contest such findings in accordance with Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1.

The O/A must provide you with information obtained under this consent in accordance with State privacy laws.

If a member of the household who is required to sign the consent forms is unable to sign the required forms on time, due to extenuating circum-

stances, the O/A may document the file as to the reason for the delay and the specific plans to obtain the proper signature as soon as possible.

Individual consents to the release of information expire 15 months after they are signed. The O/A may use these individual consent forms during the 120 days preceding the certification period. The O/A may also use these forms during the certification period, but only in cases where the O/A receives information indicating that the information you have provided may be incorrect. Other uses are prohibited.

The O/A may not make inquiries into information that is older than 12 months unless he/she has received inconsistent information and has reason to believe that the information that you have supplied is incorrect. If this occurs, the O/A may obtain information within the last 5 years when you have received assistance.

I have read and understand this information on the purposes and uses of information that is verified and consent to the release of information for these purposes and uses.

Name of Applicant or Tenant (Print)

Signature of Applicant or Tenant & Date

I have read and understand the purpose of this consent and its uses and I understand that misuse of this consent can lead to personal penalties to me.

Name of Project Owner or his/her representative

Title

Signature & Date
cc:Applicant/Tenant
Owner file

Penalties for Misusing this Consent:

HUD, the O/A, and any PHA (or any employee of HUD, the O/A, or the PHA) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information collected based on the consent form.

Use of the information collected based on the form HUD 9887-A is restricted to the purposes cited on the form HUD 9887-A. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or tenant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than \$5,000.

Any applicant or tenant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD, the O/A or the PHA responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.

Supplemental and Optional Contact Information for HUD-Assisted Housing Applicants

SUPPLEMENT TO APPLICATION FOR FEDERALLY ASSISTED HOUSING

This form is to be provided to each applicant for federally assisted housing

Instructions: Optional Contact Person or Organization: You have the right by law to include as part of your application for housing, the name, address, telephone number, and other relevant information of a family member, friend, or social, health, advocacy, or other organization. This contact information is for the purpose of identifying a person or organization that may be able to help in resolving any issues that may arise during your tenancy or to assist in providing any special care or services you may require. **You may update, remove, or change the information you provide on this form at any time.** You are not required to provide this contact information, but if you choose to do so, please include the relevant information on this form.

Applicant Name:	
Mailing Address:	
Telephone No:	Cell Phone No:
Name of Additional Contact Person or Organization:	
Address:	
Telephone No:	Cell Phone No:
E-Mail Address (if applicable):	
Relationship to Applicant:	
Reason for Contact: (Check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist with Recertification Process
<input type="checkbox"/> Unable to contact you	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in lease terms
<input type="checkbox"/> Termination of rental assistance	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in house rules
<input type="checkbox"/> Eviction from unit	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Late payment of rent	
Commitment of Housing Authority or Owner: If you are approved for housing, this information will be kept as part of your tenant file. If issues arise during your tenancy or if you require any services or special care, we may contact the person or organization you listed to assist in resolving the issues or in providing any services or special care to you.	
Confidentiality Statement: The information provided on this form is confidential and will not be disclosed to anyone except as permitted by the applicant or applicable law.	
Legal Notification: Section 644 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (Public Law 102-550, approved October 28, 1992) requires each applicant for federally assisted housing to be offered the option of providing information regarding an additional contact person or organization. By accepting the applicant's application, the housing provider agrees to comply with the non-discrimination and equal opportunity requirements of 24 CFR section 5.105, including the prohibitions on discrimination in admission to or participation in federally assisted housing programs on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, and familial status under the Fair Housing Act, and the prohibition on age discrimination under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975.	

Check this box if you choose not to provide the contact information.

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Signature of Applicant

Date

The information collection requirements contained in this form were submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520). The public reporting burden is estimated at 15 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Section 644 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. 13604) imposed on HUD the obligation to require housing providers participating in HUD's assisted housing programs to provide any individual or family applying for occupancy in HUD-assisted housing with the option to include in the application for occupancy the name, address, telephone number, and other relevant information of a family member, friend, or person associated with a social, health, advocacy, or similar organization. The objective of providing such information is to facilitate contact by the housing provider with the person or organization identified by the tenant to assist in providing any delivery of services or special care to the tenant and assist with resolving any tenancy issues arising during the tenancy of such tenant. This supplemental application information is to be maintained by the housing provider and maintained as confidential information. Providing the information is basic to the operations of the HUD Assisted-Housing Program and is voluntary. It supports statutory requirements and program and management controls that prevent fraud, waste and mismanagement. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information, unless the collection displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Privacy Statement: Public Law 102-550, authorizes the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to collect all the information (except the Social Security Number (SSN)) which will be used by HUD to protect disbursement data from fraudulent actions.