ATTENTION LANDLORDS STOP AND READ

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW WILL RESULT IN THE DELAY OF YOUR UNIT GOING UNDER LEASE WITH THE HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER PROGRAM

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- Please note your lease must be in a form consistent with state law and **MUST INCLUDE**:
 - The names of all household members.
 - The name of the owner.
 - The term of the lease and provisions for renewal (initial term must be one year).

 PLEASE LEAVE LEASE DATES BLANK. Lease dates are contingent on the date the unit passes inspection.
 - The contract rent.

to make payment.

- The utilities and appliances to be furnished by the owner.
- The utilities and appliances to be furnished by the resident. 2. Tenancy Addendum Form HUD-52641-A: Read, sign, date (last page) - this addendum contains all the HUD language necessary to conform to federal regulations. It is part of the lease by reference. 3. Request for Tenancy Approval Form: Complete in FULL (2-sided document) 4. Disclosure of Lead Based Paint Form: Read, initial, sign, and date 5. Owner Certification Form: Read, complete, sign, and date 6. Protecting Tenants at Foreclosure Act of 2009: Read, sign, and date 7. VAWA(Violence Against Womens Act) Notification: Read and keep for your records 8. Mandatory Direct Deposit Enrollment: This MUST be completed for us to make payment, along with a copy of a voided check for all new landlords

Did you provide us with a copy of the Management Agreement? If you are not the legal owner of the property you must provide us with the management agreement authorizing you to be the agent for this property

9. Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification: This MUST be completed for us



TENANCY ADDENDUM Section 8 Tenant-Based Assistance Housing Choice Voucher Program

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing

OMB Approval No. 2577-0169 exp. 04/30/2026

(To be attached to Tenant Lease)

OMB Burden Statement. The public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to be up to 0.5 hours, including the time for reading the contract. No information is collected on this form. The form is required to establish contract terms between the participant family and owner and is required to be an addendum to the lease (24 CFR § 982.308(f). Assurances of confidentiality are not provided under this collection. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions to reduce this burden, to the Office of Public and Indian Housing, US. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC 20410. HUD may not conduct and sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection displays a valid control number.

1. Section 8 Voucher Program

- a. The owner is leasing the contract unit to the tenant for occupancy by the tenant's family with assistance for a tenancy under the Section 8 housing choice voucher program (voucher program) of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).
- b. The owner has entered into a Housing Assistance Payments Contract (HAP contract) with the PHA under the voucher program. Under the HAP contract, the PHA will make housing assistance payments to the owner to assist the tenant in leasing the unit from the owner.

2. Lease

- a. The owner has given the PHA a copy of the lease, including any revisions agreed by the owner and the tenant. The owner certifies that the terms of the lease are in accordance with all provisions of the HAP contract and that the lease includes the tenancy addendum.
- b. The tenant shall have the right to enforce the tenancy addendum against the owner. If there is any conflict between the tenancy addendum and any other provisions of the lease, the language of the tenancy addendum shall control.

3. Use of Contract Unit

- a. During the lease term, the family will reside in the contract unit with assistance under the voucher program.
- b. The composition of the household must be approved by the PHA. The family must promptly inform the PHA of the birth, adoption or court-awarded custody of a child. Other persons may not be added to the household without prior written approval of the owner and the PHA.
- c. The contract unit may only be used for residence by the PHA-approved household members. The unit must be the family's only residence. Members of the household may engage in legal profit making activities incidental to primary use of the unit for residence by members of the family.
- d. The tenant may not sublease or let the unit.
- e. The tenant may not assign the lease or transfer the unit.

4. Rent to Owner

- a. The initial rent to owner may not exceed the amount approved by the PHA in accordance with HUD requirements.
- b. Changes in the rent to owner shall be determined by the provisions of the lease. However, the owner may not raise the rent during the initial term of the lease.
- During the term of the lease (including the initial term of the lease and any extension term), the rent to owner may at no time exceed:
 - The reasonable rent for the unit as most recently determined or redetermined by the PHA in accordance with HUD requirements, or

(2) Rent charged by the owner for comparable unassisted units in the premises.

5. Family Payment to Owner

- a. The family is responsible for paying the owner any portion of the rent to owner that is not covered by the PHA housing assistance payment.
- b. Each month, the PHA will make a housing assistance payment to the owner on behalf of the family in accordance with the HAP contract. The amount of the monthly housing assistance payment will be determined by the PHA in accordance with HUD requirements for a tenancy under the Section 8 voucher program.
- c. The monthly housing assistance payment shall be credited against the monthly rent to owner for the contract unit.
- d. The tenant is not responsible for paying the portion of rent to owner covered by the PHA housing assistance payment under the HAP contract between the owner and the PHA. A PHA failure to pay the housing assistance payment to the owner is not a violation of the lease. The owner may not terminate the tenancy for nonpayment of the PHA housing assistance payment.
- e. The owner may not charge or accept, from the family or from any other source, any payment for rent of the unit in addition to the rent to owner. Rent to owner includes all housing services, maintenance, utilities and appliances to be provided and paid by the owner in accordance with the lease.
- f. The owner must immediately return any excess rent payment to the tenant.

6. Other Fees and Charges

- Rent to owner does not include cost of any meals or supportive services or furniture which may be provided by the owner.
- b. The owner may not require the tenant or family members to pay charges for any meals or supportive services or furniture which may be provided by the owner. Nonpayment of any such charges is not grounds for termination of tenancy.
- c. The owner may not charge the tenant extra amounts for items customarily included in rent to owner in the locality, or provided at no additional cost to unsubsidized tenants in the premises.

7. Maintenance, Utilities, and Other Services

a. Maintenance

- (1) The owner must maintain the unit and premises in accordance with the HQS.
- (2) Maintenance and replacement (including redecoration) must be in accordance with the

standard practice for the building concerned as established by the owner.

b. Utilities and appliances

- (1) The owner must provide all utilities needed to comply with the HQS.
- (2) The owner is not responsible for a breach of the HQS caused by the tenant's failure to:
 - (a) Pay for any utilities that are to be paid by the tenant.
 - (b) Provide and maintain any appliances that are to be provided by the tenant.
- c. Family damage. The owner is not responsible for a breach of the HQS because of damages beyond normal wear and tear caused by any member of the household or by a guest.
- d. **Housing services**. The owner must provide all housing services as agreed to in the lease.

8. Termination of Tenancy by Owner

- a. Requirements. The owner may only terminate the tenancy in accordance with the lease and HUD requirements.
- b. Grounds. During the term of the lease (the initial term of the lease or any extension term), the owner may only terminate the tenancy because of:
 - (1) Serious or repeated violation of the lease;
 - (2) Violation of Federal, State, or local law that imposes obligations on the tenant in connection with the occupancy or use of the unit and the premises;
 - (3) Criminal activity or alcohol abuse (as provided in paragraph c); or
 - (4) Other good cause (as provided in paragraph d).

c. Criminal activity or alcohol abuse

- (1) The owner may terminate the tenancy during the term of the lease if any member of the household, a guest or another person under a resident's control commits any of the following types of criminal activity:
 - (a) Any criminal activity that threatens the health or safety of, or the right to peaceful enjoyment of the premises by, other residents (including property management staff residing on the premises);
 - (b) Any criminal activity that threatens the health or safety of, or the right to peaceful enjoyment of their residences by, persons residing in the immediate vicinity of the premises;
 - (c) Any violent criminal activity on or near the premises; or
 - (d) Any drug-related criminal activity on or near the premises.
- (2) The owner may terminate the tenancy during the term of the lease if any member of the household is:
 - (a) Fleeing to avoid prosecution, or custody or confinement after conviction, for a crime, or attempt to commit a crime, that is a felony under the laws of the place

- from which the individual flees, or that, in the case of the State of New Jersey, is a high misdemeanor; or
- (b) Violating a condition of probation or parole under Federal or State law.
- (3) The owner may terminate the tenancy for criminal activity by a household member in accordance with this section if the owner determines that the household member has committed the criminal activity, regardless of whether the household member has been arrested or convicted for such activity.
- (4) The owner may terminate the tenancy during the term of the lease if any member of the household has engaged in abuse of alcohol that threatens the health, safety or right to peaceful enjoyment of the premises by other residents.

d. Other good cause for termination of tenancy

- (1) During the initial lease term, other good cause for termination of tenancy must be something the family did or failed to do.
- (2) During the initial lease term or during any extension term, other good cause may include:
 - (a) Disturbance of neighbors,
 - (b) Destruction of property, or
 - (c) Living or housekeeping habits that cause damage to the unit or premises.
- (3) After the initial lease term, such good cause may include:
 - (a) The tenant's failure to accept the owner's offer of a new lease or revision;
 - (b) The owner's desire to use the unit for personal or family use or for a purpose other than use as a residential rental unit; or
 - (c) A business or economic reason for termination of the tenancy (such as sale of the property, renovation of the unit, the owner's desire to rent the unit for a higher rent).
- (4) The examples of other good cause in this paragraph do not preempt any State or local laws to the contrary.
- (5) In the case of an owner who is an immediate successor in interest pursuant to foreclosure during the term of the lease, requiring the tenant to vacate the property prior to sale shall not constitute other good cause, except that the owner may terminate the tenancy effective on the date of transfer of the unit to the owner if the owner:
 - (a) Will occupy the unit as a primary residence; and
 - (b) Has provided the tenant a notice to vacate at least 90 days before the effective date of such notice. This provision shall not affect any State or local law that provides for longer time periods or addition protections for tenants.

9. Protections for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, or Stalking

- a. Purpose: This section incorporates the protections for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking in accordance with subtitle N of the Violence Against Women Act of 1994, as amended (codified as amended at 42 U.S.C. 14043e et seq.) (VAWA) and implementing regulations at 24 CFR part 5, subpart L.
- b. Conflict with other Provisions: In the event of any conflict between this provision and any other provisions included in Part C of the HAP contract, this provision shall prevail.
- c. Effect on Other Protections: Nothing in this section shall be construed to supersede any provision of any Federal, State, or local law that provides greater protection than this section for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.
- d. **Definition:** As used in this Section, the terms "actual and imminent threat," "affiliated individual", "bifurcate", "dating violence," "domestic violence," "sexual assault," and "stalking" are defined in HUD's regulations at 24 CFR part 5, subpart L. The terms "Household" and "Other Person Under the Tenant's Control" are defined at 24 CFR part 5, subpart A.
- e. VAWA Notice and Certification Form: The PHA shall provide the tenant with the "Notice of Occupancy Rights under VAWA and the certification form described under 24 CFR 5.2005(a)(1) and (2).

f. Protection for victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, or Stalking:

- (1) The landlord or the PHA will not deny admission to, deny assistance under, terminate from participation in, or evict the Tenant on the basis of or as a direct result of the fact that the Tenant is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, if the Tenant otherwise qualifies for admission, assistance, participation, or occupancy. 24 CFR 5.2005(b)(1).
- (2) The tenant shall not be denied tenancy or occupancy rights solely on the basis of criminal activity engaged in by a member of the Tenant's Household or any guest or Other Person Under the Tenant's Control, if the criminal activity is directly related to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, and the Tenant or an Affiliated Individual of the Tenant is the victim or the threatened victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking. 24 CFR 5.2005(b)(2).
- (3) An incident or incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault or stalking will not be construed as serious or repeated violations of the lease by the victim or threatened victim of the incident. Nor shall it not be construed as other "good cause" for termination of the lease, tenancy, or occupancy rights of such a victim or threatened victim. 24 CFR 5.2005(c)(1) and (c)(2).
- g. Compliance with Court Orders: Nothing in this Addendum will limit the authority of the landlord, when notified by a court order, to comply with the court order with respect to the rights of access or control of property

- (including civil protection orders issued to protect a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking) or with respect to the distribution or possession of property among members of the Tenant's Household. 24 CFR 5.2005(d)(1).
- h. Violations Not Premised on Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, or Stalking: Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit any otherwise available authority of the Landlord to evict or the public housing authority to terminate the assistance of a Tenant for any violation not premised on an act of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking that is in question against the Tenant or an Affiliated Individual of the Tenant. However, the Landlord or the PHA will not subject the tenant, who is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, to a more demanding standard than other tenants in determining whether to evict or terminate assistance. 24 CFR 5.2005(d)(2).

i. Actual and Imminent Threats:

- (1) Nothing in this section will be construed to limit the authority of the Landlord to evict the Tenant if the Landlord can demonstrate that an "actual and imminent threat" to other tenants or those employed at or providing service to the property would be present if the Tenant or lawful occupant is not evicted. In this context, words, gestures, actions, or other indicators will be construed as an actual and imminent threat if they meet the following standards for an actual and imminent threat: "Actual and imminent threat" refers to a physical danger that is real, would occur within an immediate time frame, and could result in death or serious bodily harm. In determining whether an individual would pose an actual and imminent threat, the factors to be considered include: the duration of the risk, the nature and severity of the potential harm, the likelihood that the potential harm will occur, and the length of time before the potential harm would occur. 24 CFR 5.2005(d)(3).
- (2) If an actual and imminent threat is demonstrated, eviction should be used only when there are no other actions that could be taken to reduce or eliminate the threat, including, but not limited to, transferring the victim to a different unit, barring the perpetrator from the property, contacting law enforcement to increase police presence, developing other plans to keep the property safe, or seeking other legal remedies to prevent the perpetrator from acting on a threat. Restrictions predicated on public safety cannot be based on stereotypes, but must be tailored to particularized concerns about individual residents. 24 CFR 5.2005(d)(4).
- j. Emergency Transfer: A tenant who is a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking may request an emergency transfer in accordance with the PHA's emergency transfer plan. 24 CFR 5.2005(e). The PHA's emergency transfer plan must be made available upon request, and incorporate strict confidentiality measures to ensure that the PHA does not disclose a tenant's dwelling unit location to a person who committed or threatened to commit an act of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking against the tenant;

For transfers in which the tenant would not be considered a new applicant, the PHA must ensure that a request for an

emergency transfer receives, at a minimum, any applicable additional priority that is already provided to other types of emergency transfer requests. For transfers in which the tenant would be considered a new applicant, the plan must include policies for assisting a tenant with this transfer.

k. Bifurcation: Subject to any lease termination requirements or procedures prescribed by Federal, State, or local law, if any member of the Tenant's Household engages in criminal activity directly relating to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, the Landlord may "bifurcate" the Lease, or remove that Household member from the Lease, without regard to whether that Household member is a signatory to the Lease, in order to evict, remove, or terminate the occupancy rights of that Household member without evicting, removing, or otherwise penalizing the victim of the criminal activity who is also a tenant or lawful occupant. Such eviction, removal, termination of occupancy rights, or termination of assistance shall be effected in accordance with the procedures prescribed by Federal, State, and local law for the termination of leases or assistance under the housing choice voucher program. 24 CFR 5.2009(a).

If the Landlord bifurcates the Lease to evict, remove, or terminate assistance to a household member, and that household member is the sole tenant eligible to receive assistance, the landlord shall provide any remaining tenants or residents a period of 30 calendar days from the date of bifurcation of the lease to:

- Establish eligibility for the same covered housing program under which the evicted or terminated tenant was the recipient of assistance at the time of bifurcation of the lease;
- Establish eligibility under another covered housing program; or
- (3) Find alternative housing.
- Family Break-up: If the family break-up results from an occurrence of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, the PHA must ensure that the victim retains assistance. 24 CFR 982.315.
- m. Move with Continued Assistance: The public housing agency may not terminate assistance to a family or member of the family that moves out of a unit in violation of the lease, with or without prior notification to the public housing agency if such a move occurred to protect the health or safety of a family member who is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking; and who reasonably believed they were imminently threatened by harm from further violence if they remained in the dwelling unit, or if any family member has been the victim of sexual assault that occurred on the premises during the 90-calendar-day period preceding the family's request to move.
 - The move is needed to protect the health or safety of the family or family member who is or has been a victim of domestic violence dating violence, sexual assault or stalking; and
 - (2) The family or member of the family reasonably believes that he or she was threatened with imminent harm from further violence if he or she remained in the dwelling unit. However, any family member that has been the victim of a sexual assault that occurred on the premises during the 90-calendar day period preceding the family's move or request to move is not required to believe that he or she was threatened with imminent harm from

further violence if he or she remained in the dwelling unit. 24 CFR 982.354.

n. Confidentiality.

- (1) The Landlord shall maintain in strict confidence any information the Tenant (or someone acting on behalf of the Tenant) submits to the Landlord concerning incidents of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault or stalking, including the fact that the tenant is a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.
- (2) The Landlord shall not allow any individual administering assistance on its behalf, or any persons within its employ, to have access to confidential information unless explicitly authorized by the Landlord for reasons that specifically call for these individuals to have access to the information pursuant to applicable Federal, State, or local law.
- (3) The Landlord shall not enter confidential information into any shared database or disclose such information to any other entity or individual, except to the extent that the disclosure is requested or consented to in writing by the individual in a time-limited release; required for use in an eviction proceeding; or is required by applicable law.

10. Eviction by court action

The owner may only evict the tenant by a court action.

11. Owner notice of grounds

- a. At or before the beginning of a court action to evict the tenant, the owner must give the tenant a notice that specifies the grounds for termination of tenancy. The notice may be included in or combined with any owner eviction notice.
- b. The owner must give the PHA a copy of any owner eviction notice at the same time the owner notifies the tenant
- Eviction notice means a notice to vacate, or a complaint or other initial pleading used to begin an eviction action under State or local law.

12. Lease: Relation to HAP Contract

If the HAP contract terminates for any reason, the lease terminates automatically.

13. PHA Termination of Assistance

The PHA may terminate program assistance for the family for any grounds authorized in accordance with HUD requirements. If the PHA terminates program assistance for the family, the lease terminates automatically.

14. Family Move Out

The tenant must notify the PHA and the owner before the family moves out of the unit.

15. Security Deposit

- a. The owner may collect a security deposit from the tenant. (However, the PHA may prohibit the owner from collecting a security deposit in excess of private market practice, or in excess of amounts charged by the owner to unassisted tenants. Any such PHA-required restriction must be specified in the HAP contract.)
- b. When the family moves out of the contract unit, the owner, subject to State and local law, may use the

security deposit, including any interest on the deposit, as reimbursement for any unpaid rent payable by the tenant, any damages to the unit or any other amounts that the tenant owes under the lease.

- c. The owner must give the tenant a list of all items charged against the security deposit, and the amount of each item. After deducting the amount, if any, used to reimburse the owner, the owner must promptly refund the full amount of the unused balance to the tenant.
- d. If the security deposit is not sufficient to cover amounts the tenant owes under the lease, the owner may collect the balance from the tenant.

16. Prohibition of Discrimination

In accordance with applicable nondiscrimination and equal opportunity laws, statutes, Executive Orders, and regulations, the owner must not discriminate against any person because of race, color, religion, sex (including sexual orientation and gender identity), national origin, age, familial status or disability in connection with the lease. Eligibility for HUD's programs must be made without regard to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status.

17. Conflict with Other Provisions of Lease

- a. The terms of the tenancy addendum are prescribed by HUD in accordance with Federal law and regulation, as a condition for Federal assistance to the tenant and tenant's family under the Section 8 voucher program.
- b. In case of any conflict between the provisions of the tenancy addendum as required by HUD, and any other provisions of the lease or any other agreement between the owner and the tenant, the requirements of the HUD-required tenancy addendum shall control.

18. Changes in Lease or Rent

- a. The tenant and the owner may not make any change in the tenancy addendum. However, if the tenant and the owner agree to any other changes in the lease, such changes must be in writing, and the owner must immediately give the PHA a copy of such changes. The lease, including any changes, must be in accordance with the requirements of the tenancy addendum.
- b. In the following cases, tenant-based assistance shall not be continued unless the PHA has approved a new tenancy in accordance with program requirements and has executed a new HAP contract with the owner:
 - If there are any changes in lease requirements governing tenant or owner responsibilities for utilities or appliances;
 - If there are any changes in lease provisions governing the term of the lease;
 - (3) If the family moves to a new unit, even if the unit is in the same building or complex.
- c. PHA approval of the tenancy, and execution of a new HAP contract, are not required for agreed changes in the lease other than as specified in paragraph b.
- d. The owner must notify the PHA of any changes in the amount of the rent to owner at least sixty days

before any such changes go into effect, and the amount of the rent to owner following any such agreed change may not exceed the reasonable rent for the unit as most recently determined or redetermined by the PHA in accordance with HUD requirements.

19. Notices

Any notice under the lease by the tenant to the owner or by the owner to the tenant must be in writing.

20. Definitions

Contract unit. The housing unit rented by the tenant with assistance under the program.

Family. The persons who may reside in the unit with assistance under the program.

HAP contract. The housing assistance payments contract between the PHA and the owner. The PHA pays housing assistance payments to the owner in accordance with the HAP contract.

Household. The persons who may reside in the contract unit. The household consists of the family and any PHA-approved live-in aide. (A live-in aide is a person who resides in the unit to provide necessary supportive services for a member of the family who is a person with disabilities.)

Housing quality standards (HQS). The HUD minimum quality standards for housing assisted under the Section 8 tenant-based programs.

HUD. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

HUD requirements. HUD requirements for the Section 8 program. HUD requirements are issued by HUD headquarters, as regulations, Federal Register notices or other binding program directives.

Lease. The written agreement between the owner and the tenant for the lease of the contract unit to the tenant. The lease includes the tenancy addendum prescribed by HUD.

PHA. Public Housing Agency.

Premises. The building or complex in which the contract unit is located, including common areas and grounds.

Program. The Section 8 housing choice voucher program.

Rent to owner. The total monthly rent payable to the owner for the contract unit. The rent to owner is the sum of the portion of rent payable by the tenant plus the PHA housing assistance payment to the owner.

Section 8. Section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 United States Code 1437f).

Tenant. The family member (or members) who leases the unit from the owner.

Voucher program. The Section 8 housing choice voucher program. Under this program, HUD provides funds to a PHA for rent subsidy on behalf of eligible families. The tenancy under the lease will be assisted with rent subsidy for a tenancy under the voucher program.

Request for Tenancy Approval

U.S Department of Housing and Urban Development

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Housing Choice Voucher Program

Office of Public and Indian Housing

When the participant selects a unit, the owner of the unit completes this form to provide the PHA with information about the unit. The information is used to determine if the unit is eligible for rental assistance.

1.Name of Public Housing Agency (PHA)					2. Address of Unit (street address, unit #, city, state, zip code)					
Alachua County Housing Authority 703 NE 1st Street Gainesville, FL 32601										
3.Requested Lease Star Date	t	4. Number of	of Bedrooms	5.Yea	ar Constructed	6.Proposed Rent	7.Security Amt	Deposit		e Unit Available nspection
9.Structure Type						10. If this unit is	s subsidiz	ed, indicate	type (of subsidy:
Single Family Det	tached	(one family	under one	roof)		Section 202 Section 221(d)(3)(BMIR)				
Semi-Detached (duplex	, attached o	on one side)			Tax Credit	П	OME		
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Low-rise apartme	ent buil	ding (4 sto	ries or fewer	·)		Section 515	5 Rural De	evelopment	<u>.</u>	
High-rise apartmo						Other (Describe Other Subsidy, including any state or local subsidy)				
11. Utilities and App The owner shall prov for the utilities/appli	Manufactured Home (mobile home) 11. Utilities and Appliances The owner shall provide or pay for the utilities/appliances indicated below by an "O". The tenant shall provide or pay for the utilities/appliances indicated below by a "T". Unless otherwise specified below, the owner shall pay for all utilities and provide the refrigerator and range/microwave.									
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Range/Microwave										

12. Owner's Certifications					Check one of the following:			
a. The program regulation requires the PHA to certify that the rent charged to the housing choice voucher tenant is not more than the rent charged for other unassisted comparable units. Owners of projects with more than 4					Lead-based paint disclosure requirements do not apply because this property was built on or after January 1, 1978.			
units must complete the following section for most recently leased comparable unassisted units within the premises.					The unit, common areas servicing the unit, and exterior painted surfaces associated with such unit or common			
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b. The owner (including a principal or other interested party) is not the parent, child, grandparent, grandchild, sister or brother of any member of the family, unless the PHA has determined (and has notified the owner					and/or lead-based paint hazards in the unit, common areas or exterior painted surfaces, including a statement that the owner has provided the lead hazard information pamphlet to the family.			
	and the family of such determination) that approving leasing of the unit, notwithstanding such relationship, would provide reasonable accommodation for a family member who is a person with disabilities.				13. The PHA has not screened the family's behavior or suitability for tenancy. Such screening is the owner's responsibility.			
					14. The owner's lease must include word-for-word all provisions of the HUD tenancy addendum.			
					The PHA will arrange for inspection of the unit and will ify the owner and family if the unit is not approved.			
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Print or Type Name of Owner/Owner Representative					t or Type Name of Household Head			
Owner/Owner Representative Signature				Hea	d of Household Signature			
Business Address				Pre	sent Address			

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Telephone Number

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Disclosure of Information on Lead-Based Paint and/or Lead-Based Paint Hazards

Lead Warning Statement

Agent

Housing built before 1978 may contain lead-based paint. Lead from paint, paint chips, and dust can pose health hazards if not managed properly. Lead exposure is especially harmful to young children and pregnant women. Before renting pre-1978 housing, lessors must disclose the presence of known lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the dwelling. Lessees must also receive a federally approved pamphlet on lead poisoning prevention.

Lessor's Disclos	sure						
(a) Presence of	lead-based paint and/or lead-ba	sed paint hazards (Check (i) or (ii):				
(i)	_Known lead-based paint and/or l	ead-based paint hazards ar	e present in the housing				
	(explain).		<u> </u>				
(ii)	Lessor has no knowledge of lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the housing. reports available to the lessor (Check (i) or (ii) below): Lessor has provided the lessee with all available records and reports pertaining to lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the housing (list documents)						
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Lessee's Acknow	ledgment (initial)						
	has received copies of all infor	rmation listed above.					
	has received the pamphlet Protect		1 Your Home.				
Agent's Acknowl	edgment (initial)						
	has informed the lessor of the le her responsibility to ensure co		42 U.S.C. 4852d and is aware				
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	arties have reviewed the informa ation they have provided is true		the best of their knowledge				
Lessor	Date	Lessor	Date				
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HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER OWNER CERTIFICATION FORM

(Street address of assisted unit)
(City, State, & Zip Code)
1. Ownership of assisted unit: I certify that I am the legal or the legally-designated agent for the above referenced unit, and that the prospective tenant has no ownership interest in this dwelling unit whatsoever.
Please note: If you are the management agent/property manager, you will need to provide us with a copy of the management agreement/contract.
2. Approved residents of assisted unit: I understand that the family members listed on the dwelling lease agreement as approved by the Alachua Count Housing Authority are the only individuals permitted to reside in the assisted unit. I also understand that I am not permitted to live in the unit while I am receiving housing assistance payments on behalf of the assisted family.
3. Housing quality standards (HQS): I understand my obligation in compliance with Housing Assistance Payments Contract to perform necessary maintenance so the unit continues to comply with HQS during the term of this contract.
4. Tenant rent payments: I understand that the ACHA determines the tenant's portion of the contract rent, and that it is illegal to charge ar additional amounts for rent or another item not specified in the lease that have not been specifically approved by the ACHA.
5. Reporting vacancies or abandoned units: I understand that should the assisted unit become vacant, I am responsible for notifying the ACHA immediately in writing.
6. Enforcement of lease: I understand that I must enforce my lease for serious or repeated lease violations.
7. Administrative and criminal actions for intentional violations: I understand that failure to comply with the terms and responsibilities of the Housing Assistance Payments contract is grounds for termination of participation in the Section 8 Program. I understand that knowingly supplying false incomplete or inaccurate information is punishable under Federal or State Criminal law.
Signature of Landlord/Agent Date





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PROTECTING TENANT AT FORECLOSURE ACT OF 2009

ATTENTION HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER HOLDERS AND LANDLORD/AGENT:

Voucher Holders who are residing in dwellings that have been foreclosed are protected by a new federal law that was passed on May 20, 2009.

Under the new federal law, leases of voucher tenants continue after a foreclosure sale. The new owner of the property must follow these rules regarding the lease and evictions:

- If the lease has a fixed term (for example, one-year lease) and the lease has not expired, the tenant has a right to remain in the unit. The **tenant cannot be evicted until the end of the lease term**, except as a result of actions taken by the tenant, by members of his/her family or by his/her guests that **warrant eviction for** "good cause."
- The foreclosure is not considered good cause for eviction. The new owner wanting to sell the property is not considered good cause for an eviction.
- If the lease ends in less than 90 days, or the tenant has a month to month lease, the new owner may not evict the family without giving a minimum 90 days' notice.
- There is **one exception** to the information listed above. If the **new owner wants to occupy the dwelling as his/her primary residence**, the new owner **may give the tenant a 90-day notice to vacate** the dwelling, even if the lease runs longer than 90 days.

If the new owner of the foreclosed dwelling gives the tenant an eviction notice, the tenant should give him/her a copy of this notice and give Alachua County Housing Authority (ACHA) a copy of the eviction notice.

Since the **old lease carries over to the new owner**, the tenant must continue to pay his/her portion of the rent to the **new owner and continue to abide by all relevant terms** of the lease. The new owner should **provide the tenant with rent payment instructions**: where to pay rent and to whom the rent check (or money order) should be payable.

The new owner of the property must contact ACHA and ask for a landlord change of ownership packet to receive the remaining portion of the rent during the balance of the lease term.

Tenants and owners may contact ACHA at (352) 372-2549 if they have questions about this notice.

A **complete copy** of Notice PIH 2009-52, Protecting Tenants at Foreclosure Act – Guidance on New Tenant Protections is available in the ACHA lobby and can be accessed at **www.hud.gov**, go to the search block and type in Notice PIH 2009-52.

Signature of Landlord	Date
Signature of Head of Household	



NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS UNDER VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT-SECTION 8 OWNER/MANAGER

To: Owner/Manager

From: MBQ

A federal law reauthorizing the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) provides certain rights and protections to Section 8-assisted tenants and members of their households. This law requires that you be notified of your rights and obligations under its provisions.

Protections Against Eviction or Termination of Assistance

- I. Under VAWA, if an applicant or participant in the Section 8 program is otherwise eligible, the fact that the applicant or participant is or has been a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking (as these terms are defined in VAWA) is not an appropriate basis for denial of program assistance or for denial of admission.
- 2. VAWA also states that an incident or incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking:
 - (a) will not be considered to be a "serious or repeated" violation of the lease if the tenant is the victim of the incident or incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence or stalking; and
 - (b) shall not be good cause for terminating the tenant's assistance, tenancy, or occupancy rights if the tenant is the victim of such actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence or stalking.

This means that the tenant may not be evicted, nor may his or her assistance be terminated, based on such an incident or incidents of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence or stalking where the tenant is the victim.

- 2. In addition, although you may evict a tenant for certain types of criminal activity as provided in the lease, and the housing agency may terminate a household's assistance in such cases, VAWA states that you may not evict, or terminate tenancy or occupancy rights if the criminal activity is:
 - (a) directly related to domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking; and
 - (b) engaged in by a member of the household, or any guest, or another person under the tenant's control; and
 - (c) the tenant or a member of the tenant's immediate family is the victim or threatened victim of this criminal activity.

Portability to a New Location

As you may know, Section 8 households in good standing may move to another location after one year of assistance and their assistance will follow them. However, the law does not allow this if the family was in violation of its lease when it moved. VAWA creates an exception where a family has complied with all other Section 8 requirements but moved out in violation of the lease in order to protect the health or safety of an individual who:

- (a) was or is the victim of domestic violence, dating violence or stalking, and
- (b) reasonably believed he or she was imminently threatened by harm from further violence if he or she remained in the assisted dwelling unit

In these situations, the family will be allowed to port to a new jurisdiction even though it broke the lease by moving out.

Certification

If you notify a tenant that you intend to terminate the tenant's tenancy based on a matter that is an incident or incidents of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, and the tenant claims protection against eviction or termination of assistance under VAWA, you may request the tenant to deliver a certification as to the incidents in question. You do not have to require it however. If you do require it, you must send the attached HUD approved certification form to the tenant, who will then have 14 business days from receipt to complete it and return it to you or to deliver another form of certification as described below. If the tenant does not do this within the time allowed, he or she will not have protection under VAWA and you may proceed with terminating tenancy and evicting the tenant without reference to the VAWA protections.

The tenant may certify either by:

- (a) completing and delivering to you a HUD-approved certification form mentioned above or
- (b) providing you requests certification with documentation signed by an employee, agent, or volunteer of a victim service provider, an attorney, or a medical professional from whom the victim (the tenant another member of the tenant's immediate family) has sought assistance in addressing domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking or the effects of the abuse. (This certification must be sworn under penalty of perjury); or
- (c) producing and delivering to you, a Federal, State, tribal, territorial, or local police or court record.

Confidentiality

Information provided to you relating to the fact that the tenant or another member of the tenant's household is a victim of domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking must be retained by you in confidence. This information may not be shared or disclosed by you or your agents or employees without the tenant's consent except as necessary for an eviction proceeding or as otherwise required by law.

Limitations

VAWA provides certain limitations and clarifications concerning tenants' rights as described above. In particular, you should know that nothing contained in VAWA:

- I. prevents you from terminating tenancy and evicting, for any violation not involving domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, for which VAWA provide the protections described above. However, you may not in such cases apply any more demanding standard to the tenant you than to other Section 8-assisted tenants.
- 2. prevents you from terminating tenancy and evicting where you can demonstrate "an actual and imminent threat to other tenants or those employed at or providing service to the property." Where you can demonstrate such a threat, the tenant will not be protected from termination of tenancy and eviction by VAWA.
- 3. limits your ability to comply with court orders addressing rights of access to or control of the property. This includes civil protection orders entered for the protection of the victim or relating to distribution or possession of property.
- 4. supersedes any Federal, State or local law that provides greater protections than VAWA.

Owner or Manager Right to Remove Perpetrator of Domestic of Violence

VAWA also creates a new authority under Federal law that allows an owner or manager of a Section 8-assisted property to evict, remove, or terminate assistance to any individual tenant or lawful occupant ofthe property who engages in criminal acts of physical violence against family members or others. This may be done without evicting or taking any other action adverse to the other occupants.

Definitions

For purposes of interpreting and applying VAWA and this notification the following definitions contained in VAWA are applicable:

Domestic Violence- [as defined in Section 40002 of VAWA 1994] which states as follows:

SEC 40002(a)(6)- "DOMESTIC VIOLENCE- The term 'domestic violence' includes felony or misdemeanor crimes of violence committed by a current or former spouse of the victim, by a person with whom the victim shares a child in common, by a person who is cohabiting with or has cohabited with the victim as a spouse, by a person similarly situated to a spouse of the victim under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction receiving grant monies, or by any other person against an adult or youth victim who is protected from that person's acts under the domestic or family violence laws of the jurisdiction."

Dating Violence- [as defined in Section 40002 of VAWA 1994] which states as follows:

SEC 40002(a)(8)- "DATING VIOLENCE- The term 'dating violence' means violence committed by a person-

- (A) who is or has been in a social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with the victim; and
- (B) where the existence of such a relationship shall be determined based on a consideration of the following factors:
 - (i) The length of the relationship.
 - (ii) The type of relationship.
 - (iii) The frequency of interaction between the persons involved in the relationship."

Stalking- "means -

- (A) (i) to follow, pursue, or repeatedly commit acts with the intent to kill, injure, harass, or intimidate another person; and (ii) to place under surveillance with the intent to kill, injure, harass or intimidate another person; and
- (B) in the course of, or as a result of, such following, pursuit, surveillance or repeatedly committed acts, to place a person in reasonable fear ofthe death of, or serious bodily injury to, or to cause substantial emotional harm to
 - (i) that person;
 - (ii) a member of the immediate family of that person; or
 - (iii) the spouse or intimate partner of that person; ..."

Immediate Family Member- "means, with respect to a person-

- (A) a spouse, parent, brother, sister, or child of that person, or an individual to whom that person stands *in loco parentis*; or
- (B) any other person living in the household ofthat person and related to that person by blood or marriage."

Further Information

You may obtain a copy of MBQ's written policy concerning VAWA by contacting our office. You are encouraged consult your legal counsel to develop a suitable written policy of your own that complies with VAWA, and you are further encouraged to conduct the necessary training of property management personnel concerning VAWA'a requirements.



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RE: Mandatory Direct Deposit Enrollment

Dear Owner, Property Manager, Agent or Public Housing Authority:

All owners, property managers, agents, and Public Housing Authorities contracting with the **Alachua County Housing Authority (ACHA)** for the Housing Choice Voucher (Section 8) and HUD Veterans Assistance and Supportive Housing (HUD VASH) Programs are <u>REQUIRED</u> to enroll in the Direct Deposit Program by completing the enclosed Direct Deposit Authorization form, attaching a voided check, and Form W-9.

- 1. Enter all the necessary information on the Authorization Form (all Owners and Authorized Signatories must sign). Please do not omit any information.
- 2. **Attach an original voided check** (photocopy, deposit slips or temporary checks are not acceptable) for the checking account into which you would like the Housing Authority to deposit the funds; you may write "VOID" across the front of the check and blacken the signature portion of your check. If you are having the funds deposited into a savings account you will need to obtain the correct "Routing Number" from your bank in writing, along with the savings account number and submit both with the enclosed authorization form.
- 3. Please return the completed Direct Deposit Authorization form, together with your voided check and Form W-9 to the ACHA.
- 4. To expedite the processing of your application, please complete all requests for information on the form.

Please allow 60 to 90 days for your Direct Deposit Authorization application to be processed.

Should you have any questions, regarding setting up your direct deposit, **please contact Kori Allen**, Finance Director at 352-372-2549 at extension: 520 or via email: kori@acha-fl.com.

Sincerely,

Kori Allen

Finance Director





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Vendor ACH/Direct Deposit Authorization Form

Proof of account ownership (voided check, deposit slip, etc.) is required in addition to completed form.

1. Check One							
☐ New D	irect Deposit		Change Direct Deposit				
2. Vendor/Paye	e Information						
Name:							
Contact's name:							
Address:							
Phone:							
Email:							
3. Financial Insti	itution Information						
Bank Name:							
Name on Bank Acco	unt:						
Bank Account Numb	oer:						
Nine-Digit Bank Rou	iting/Transit Number	(ABA):					
Account Type:	☐ Checking	☐ Savings					
4. Authorization							
I certify that the informat	ion provided on this form	is correct, and I hereb	y authorize Alachua County Housing				
Authority Accounts Payak	ole to electronically deposit	t payments to the ban	k account designated above. It is my				
responsibility to notify ACHA AP (kelsey@acha-fl.com or (352) 372-2549 ext. 516) immediately if I believe there is							
a discrepancy between the amount deposited to my bank account and the amount of the invoice(s) paid. I							
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take no longer than sever	n (7) to ten (10) business da	ays.					
Printed name:	Siş	gnature:	Date:				





Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.									
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above									
n page 3.	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Chefollowing seven boxes.	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):								
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3. I ar	n a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and									
4. The	e FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting	g is correct.								

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid,

	or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual relations and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide you	0 (// 0)/ ()
Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ►

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpaver identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

• Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding,