

Required Attachment B: Membership of the Resident Advisory Board or Boards

Members of the Resident Advisory Board or Boards: The Resident Advisory Board (RAB) was originally developed using the following method. Participants are mailed an invitation to make comments or recommendations on the draft Five-Year and/or Annual Plan and to also consider serving on the resident advisory board. A notice was also posted in the main lobby of the contract administrator office to advertise that opportunity to review and comment on the Five-Year and/or Annual Plan.

RAB has had meetings and each year a mailing is conducted by the PHA to solicit interest in reviewing the Five-Year and/or Annual Plans. This year's mailing included the Annual Plans, a survey response form, a self-addressed stamp envelope and a cover letter. The mailing invites program participants to serve or to continue to serve on the resident advisory board and/or make comments or recommendations on the draft Five-Year and/or Annual Plan.

In addition, each year we advertise this public notice in the following newspapers, as well as, post on the City of Hartford website and have available at the Hartford Public Library:

Hartford Courant Legal Ads
285 Broad Street
Hartford, CT 06115
(860) 241-6200
(860) 241-3866 Fax
publicnotices@courant.com

The Hartford News
563 Franklin Avenue
Hartford, CT 06114-2517
(860) 296-6128
Hartfordnews@aol.com

Northend Agent
P.O. Box 2308
Hartford, CT 06146
Email: sallen@northendagents.com

The comments that are received will be collected prior to the public hearing and added to the comments already provided. This effort is undertaken to further increase client participation in the review process of the Five-Year and/or Annual Plan.

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through Hartford Organizing for Power and Equality (HOPE):

1. We would like for the public hearing to be at time that more people would be able to attend such as morning and evening.
2. We would like for you to send a notice to everyone who has your Section 8 voucher and who is on the waiting list about the plan so people who are affected would have an opportunity to speak.
3. Who is the Resident Advisory Board for the City and Imagineers?
4. If SEVRA II passes, will you be willing to make repairs with the voucher money if an owner has not made it so that tenants will not be displaced?

Comment received through direct mailing:

The following recommendations: Assist more people with low-income and people displaced from fire.

In response to the comments received, the City of Hartford has committed to expanding the notification process and to schedule the public hearing later in the evening. In response to the questions on the proposed SEVRA II legislation, the City of Hartford is committed to utilizing the full menu of options available to successfully handle landlords who do not make repairs and which negatively impact Section 8 tenants. When the final version of SEVRA has passed Congress and regulations are promulgated by HUD on making repairs with voucher money, the City of Hartford will be in a position to effectively develop administrative policy.

5-Year and Annual Plan Comments for plan years 2010-2014:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing conducted on February 22, 2010 include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None

Comments received through public hearing were: None

Comments received through direct mailing were: None. However, one person responded that she wanted to continue in being a member of the Resident Advisory Board and checked off that she was interested in attending a board meeting.

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2011:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None

Comments received through public hearing were: None

Comments received through direct mailing conducted on February 25, 2011 were: None. One program participant responded in the affirmative in continuing in being a member of the RAB, however was not interested in attending a RAB meeting.

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2012:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None
Comments received through public hearing held on 4/9/2012 were: None
Comments solicited and received through direct mailing conducted on February 13, 2012 to program participants listed below in lieu of Resident Advisory Board were: None.

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2013:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None
Comments received through public hearing were: None
Comments solicited and received through direct mailing conducted on February 15, 2013 to program participants listed below in lieu of Resident Advisory Board were: One program participant responded in the affirmative in continuing to be a member of the RAB, however was not interested in attending RAB meeting and also stated that there were heat problems and was planning on moving however since airing her dilemma on the news it was rectified and is now staying in unit.

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2014:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None
Comments received through public hearing were: None
Comments solicited and received through direct mailing conducted on February 28, 2014 to program participants listed below in lieu of Resident Advisory Board were: One program participant responded in the affirmative in continuing to be a member of the RAB, however was not interested in attending RAB meeting.

5-Year and Annual Plan Comments for plan years 2015-2019:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None
Comments received through public hearing were: None
Comments received through direct mailing conducted on January 29, 2015 were: One program participant responded in the affirmative in continuing to be a member of the RAB, however was not interested in attending RAB meeting.

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2016:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None
Comments received through public hearing were: None
Comments solicited and received through direct mailing conducted on February 24, 2016 to program participants listed below in lieu of Resident Advisory Board were: Two program participants responded in the affirmative in continuing to be a member of the RAB, however they were not interested in attending RAB meeting.

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2017:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were: None
Comments received through public hearing were: None
Comments solicited and received through direct mailing to program participants listed below in lieu of Resident Advisory Board were: None

Annual Plan Comments for plan year 2018:

The comments that were received in response to the public notice, the public hearing or through the direct mailing include the following:

Comments received through public notice were:
Comments received through public hearing were:
Comments solicited and received through direct mailing to program participants listed below in lieu of Resident Advisory Board were:

Resident Advisory Board Members:

VIRGINIA	ALICEA
ANTONIO	BATISTA
CHERYL	BELL
ROSE	BOWMAN
CHRISTINE	COLLINS
ALICIA	COLON
SHERYL	CONLEY
MARIA	COX
ILIANA	DAVILA
AMELIA	DAVIS
MARIA	DELGADO
JESSICA	DIAZ
DELIA	FLORES
NANCY	GALARZA
VIRGINIA	GRANT
MONIQUE	GRAY
GARY	HANKERSON
CLAUDIA	JACKSON

KATINA	JAMES
SHARONDA	JAMES
OLIVIA	JOHNSON
TRICIA	JONES-ANDE
RUBY	MINNIFIELD
NEREIDA	ORTIZ
MINERVA	PADILLA
BARBARA	PENNINGTON
ALLEN	REDDING JR
KRYSTAL	ROSA
MARIBEL	SANCHEZ
MARIA	SANTIAGO
AYANNA	SCOTT
JOSE	VELASQUEZ
YVETTE	WILLIAMS