Housing Authority Of Pompano Beach



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PUBLIC NOTICE FOR THE OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE WAITING LIST ONLY online pre-applications will be accepted

Housing Choice Voucher (Section 8) Waiting List

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF POMPANO BEACH (HAPB) WILL BE ACCEPTING ONLINE APPLICATIONS FOR THE HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER (HCV) SECTION 8 PROGRAM. Preliminary applications must be completed online beginning AUGUST 8th, 2019, at 12:00 a.m. and will close at 11:59 p.m. on August 9th, 2019. A computer lottery process will randomly select 500 pre-applications. The 500 randomly selected pre-applications will be added to the waiting list for the Housing Choice Voucher Program Waiting List.

PRE-APPLICATION INFORMATION: Pre-applications will <u>only</u> be available for completion online at the website: https://pompano.myhousing.com. Devices which can access the internet (i.e. computers, smartphones, tablets, etc.) may be used to complete the application. If you do not have computer access at home, you may go to a public library or any other place where computers are available to access the website to complete the application. https://pompano.myhousing.com. The following information is needed in order to successfully submit the pre-application: Names, social security numbers, birthdates and income information for everyone in the household. You will receive a confirmation number upon completion of your pre-application.

Submission of a pre-application does not guarantee placement on the waiting list. Due to the high level of interest in the HCV Section 8 Program, the HAPB will use a lottery system to randomly select 500 names from all pre-applications submitted and those selected pre-applications will be placed on the wait list. The time of receipt of the pre-application during the wait list opening has no bearing on whether an application will be selected. **There is no advantage to applying immediately after the wait list opens as the lottery numbers will be randomly generated after the pre-application period has closed.** Families will be listed on the wait list in the order determined by their selection in the lottery. Once the waiting list has been defined and families selected, we will apply a local preference, if applicable.

There are two (2) Local Preferences for selection of eligible families: 1) Working Preference is given to families where the head of household, spouse, or co-head is working (20 hours weekly), attending school or a training program; or in which the head, spouse or co-head is 62 or older; or a person with a disability. 2) Resident Preference applies if applicant lives or works in the City of Pompano Beach.

- No telephone calls, walk-ins, mail-ins or drop-off pre-applications will be accepted.
- Submission of a pre-application does not guarantee placement on the waiting list.
- Only one pre-application per household will be considered throughout the entire process. Any family that submits more than one pre-application will have all pre-applications disqualified.

Starting September 9th, 2019, you can check the status of your pre-application by visiting our website at www.hapb.org. Please keep your confirmation number for reference. Only families selected will receive notification from the HAPB by September 9th, 2019. Please do not call the HAPB for updates.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: If you have a disability which limits your ability to access the process and you require assistance to complete the pre-application, email your request to <u>pompanoha@hapb.org</u> or write your request to <u>Housing Choice Voucher Wait List</u>, 321 West Atlantic Boulevard, Pompano Beach, FL 33060. **Requests must be received by August 6**, **2019**, at 3:00pm and must include your contact information and the type of assistance you are requesting.