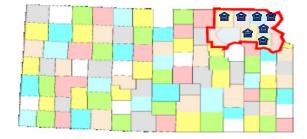
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We provide comprehensive education and social services to low-income community members through collaborative partnerships focused on promoting the development of individuals and families, empowerment, and economic security.



Housing Choice Voucher Program

A Guide for Prospective Landlords



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What is the Housing Choice Voucher Program?

It is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). It provides rental subsidies to low-income families and individuals. Family income and composition primarily determines eligibility.

As a landlord, why should I participate?

- You will stabilize vacancies, as a family receiving a subsidy will be less likely to vacate.
- You will receive a reasonable rent that will cover your operating expenses and provide you with a return on your investment.
- You will receive prompt payment each month from the Public Housing Authority (PHA), in addition to the portion which your tenant pays.
- Your current tenant can receive rental assistance if income limits are met.



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What type of housing is eligible?

All types can be considered...single family, duplex, apartment and mobile home.

- Units must be suitable size for tenant(s) as determined by Housing Authority Guidelines.
- (a) Unit must be decent, safe and sanitary.
- Init will be inspected and must meet Housing Quality Standards of the Housing Authority.
- Unit must not exceed reasonable rent; rent must be affordable for tenant(s) in accordance with HUD Regulations.
- Unit must be located in Atchison (except City of Atchison), Brown, Doniphan, Jackson, Jefferson, Marshall or Nemaha Counties.

You are the landlord; you choose your tenants. You maintain the property yourself and may evict for good cause.

What about contracts and leases?

You complete a lease agreement with the tenant. You also arrange a security deposit with tenant up to the maximum permitted by law. You sign a "Housing Voucher Contract" with NEK-CAP, Inc. PHA. The Housing Voucher Contract outlines the Authority's "guarantees" and your "responsibilities" to which both agree, for as long as tenant is assisted with rent. If a problem arises that a tenant and owner cannot resolve after earnest effort, the Housing Authority will attempt to mediate a satisfactory solution.

As a landlord, I am interested in participating in NEK-CAP, Inc PHA Housing Assistance Program. I have the following properties in Atchison (outside the City of Atchison), Brown, Doniphan, Jackson, Jefferson, Marshall, and/or Nemaha Counties. (*Return this portion to NEK-CAP, Inc.*)

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