Thank you for your interest in the Pequot Lakes Housing Programs.

Attached you will find the application for housing with the HRA. The application process is an extremely important step in obtaining your new home. The application contains all of the information required by Housing and Urban Development to determine your eligibility for public housing. Please take the time to fill out the application accurately and in **full**.

You may return your application by mail, fax, email or hand delivered to our office at the address listed below. Office hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00am to 4:00pm. We are closed weekends and holidays.

Our contact information :

Pequot Lakes H.R.A.
P.O. Box 243
Pequot Lakes, MN 56472
Office number: 218-568-4555
Fax number: 218-568-8968

Please call for email address and once again, thank you for your interest in Pequot Lakes HRA

Pequot Lakes Housing & Redevelopment Authority
4469 Main St PO Box 243
Pequot Lakes MN 56472

Rental Application Section 8/236

☐ **Initial** **Date/Time Rec'd** _____
☐ **Recertification**

Applicant's Name _____ Tel.#

Address _____ Unit # _____ Emergency Contact _____

City _____ State Zip _____ Em Contact Number:

All applicants, age 18 or older, other than co-head or spouse, are required to complete a separate application.

Any applicant who purposefully falsifies, misrepresents or withholds any information related to program eligibility or submits inaccurate and/or incomplete information on this application or during the interview may be rejected for housing. All questions must be answered; for those questions that do not apply the applicant is required to indicate so by answering "not applicable".

HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION

Complete in your own handwriting. List the Head of Household and all other persons who will be living in the unit.
Give the relationship of each family member to the head. Each household member age 18 years or older must sign this application.

Member's Full Name	Relationship	Date of Birth	Social Security #
	Head		

The Department of Housing and Urban Development requires that, for statistical purposes only, we report the race and ethnicity of the Head of Household for applicants. You are not required to answer, nor does your answer affect your position on our waiting list or your eligibility for housing.

Race of Head of Household ☐ White ☐ Black ☐ Asian/Pacific Islander ☐ American Indian/Native American

Ethnicity of Head of Household ☐ Hispanic ☐ Non Hispanic

Are you a Non-Citizen Student ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you a United States Citizen? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If no, are you a Non-Citizen with eligible alien status? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Citizenship or Eligible Alien Status must be verified by an acceptable document recognized by the Federal government.

CURRENT HOUSING STATUS

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Name of Landlord: _____ Phone #: _____

Landlord's Address: _____

How long have you resided at your current address: From _____ To: _____

PREVIOUS HOUSING

If less than 3 years provide additional information on an additional sheet.

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Name of Landlord: _____ Phone #: _____

Landlord's Address: _____

How long did you resided at this address: From _____ To: _____

HOUSEHOLD EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION
(Use additional sheets if necessary)

Household Member's Employer _____ Phone #: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Starting Date _____ Position _____ Supervisor _____

Salary: $ _____ ☐ Annually ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Weekly ☐ Weekly ☐ Hourly

Household Member's Employer _____ Phone #: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Starting Date _____ Position _____ Supervisor _____

Salary: $ _____ ☐ Annually ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Weekly ☐ Weekly ☐ Hourly

HOUSEHOLD INCOME INFORMATION
(All information will be verified by a third party)

For each household member age 18 or older (including family members temporarily absent), list current and anticipated income for twelve-month period commencing on anticipated date of occupancy or recertification. Include all full time, part time and seasonal. If a household member has more than one source of income, use a separate line for each source.

	DO YOU RECEIVE OR EXPECT TO RECEIVE:	Yes	No	Monthly Amount
1	Wages, salaries, (includes overtime, tips, bonuses, commissions, self-employment)?	☐	☐	$
2	Does any member work for someone who pays them in cash?	☐	☐	$
3	Regular pay for a member of the armed forces?	☐	☐	$
4	Welfare or disability benefits (Examples: MFIP, SSI, etc.)?	☐	☐	$
5	Worker's compensation?	☐	☐	$
6	Unemployment benefits, or severance pay?	☐	☐	$
7	Child support? (If court ordered, include even if it is not being received)	☐	☐	$
8	Alimony?	☐	☐	$
9	Social Security payments (include unearned income of minor children)?	☐	☐	$
10	Pensions (PERA, railroad, etc.)?	☐	☐	$
11	Retirement benefits?	☐	☐	$
12	Death benefits?	☐	☐	$
13	Annuities or life insurance dividends?	☐	☐	$
14	Lump sum payment(s) (i.e., inheritance, insurance settlements, lottery winnings, capital gains)?	☐	☐	$
15	Net income from rental property?	☐	☐	$
16	Regular cash contributions or gifts from individuals not living in the unit?	☐	☐	$
17	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
18	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
19	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
20	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
21	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
22	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
23	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	$
24	Other (list)? _____	☐	☐	

HOUSEHOLD ASSETS
(All information will be verified)

DO YOU HAVE MONEY HELD IN	Yes	No	Current Balance			Yes	No	Current Balance
1 Checking Accounts	☐	☐	$	9	401K*	☐	☐	$
2 Savings Accounts	☐	☐	$	10	IRA/KEOGH Accounts	☐	☐	$
3 Stocks	☐	☐	$	11	Certification of Deposits	☐	☐	$
4 Capital Investments	☐	☐	$	12	Pension/retirement Funds	☐	☐	$
5 Bonds	☐	☐	$	13	Money Market Funds	☐	☐	$
6 Trusts*	☐	☐	$	14	Treasury Bills	☐	☐	$
7 Securities	☐	☐	$	15	Safety Deposit Box	☐	☐	$
8 Insurance Settlements	☐	☐	$	16	Other Debit/EBT	☐	☐	$

* Include Trusts, 401K, etc., only if the accounts are accessible to the household prior to termination of employment, retirement, or death.

		Yes	No	Value
17	Do you now own Real Estate? If yes, list address (es), expenses paid and income received:	☐	☐	$
18	Do you hold a contract for deed?	☐	☐	$
19	Do you have any coin collections, antique cars, gems/jewelry, stamps or any other items held as an investment (wedding rings and personal jewelry do not count)?	☐	☐	$
20	What assets are held jointly with another person? List person and asset(s).	☐	☐	$

List below all items from above that were checked "YES"

# from Above	Name of company, financial institution or source	Mailing address of company financial institution or source	Phone Number of company, financial institution or source

Please attach documentation available to verify income (i.e., divorce/settlement papers, tax returns, etc.)

I/We hereby certify that I/we have____have not____sold or disposed of any assets for less than Fair Market Value during the two year(24 month) period preceding the date of this application. Any assets sold or disposed of for less than Fair Market Value are identified below.

Household Member	Asset & Estimated Amount	Date sold/disposed	Amount Received
	$		$
	$		$
	$		$

HOUSEHOLD ALLOWANCE INFORMATION
(All information will be verified)

All or part of your household's expenses may be allowable as a deduction from your annual income. Eligible expenses include child care costs, payments on outstanding medical bills, medical insurance premiums, costs of assistive devices, cost of attendant care and any other medical and dental costs NOT covered by an outside source: e.g., insurance, Medicare, state agency or charitable organization.

DO YOU EXPECT TO INCUR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING EXPENSES:	Yes	No	Amount
1 Child care, which enables you or another household member to work, go to school or to seek employment?	☐	☐	$
2 Attendant care for a handicapped or disabled household member, so that an adult household member can work, seek employment or go to school?	☐	☐	$
3 Medicare premiums?	☐	☐	$
4 Other medical insurance premiums?	☐	☐	$
5 Outstanding medical bills on which you are currently paying>	☐	☐	$
6 Cost of assistive devices for a handicapped or disabled household member?	☐	☐	$
7 Do you receive medical assistance through a public assistance agency/program?	☐	☐	$
8 Will be a student during this and/or upcoming calendar year?	☐	☐	
9 Do you expect to have any additional medical expenses during the next twelve (12) months? If yes, please explain:			$

MISCELLANEOUS

The following questions pertain to yourself and every member of your household who will occupy the unit. **Write** either YES or NO in response to each question. Add an explanation must be provided below if the answer is YES. Use additional sheets, if necessary.

_____ Does your household have any needs that might be better served by an apartment which is accessible to persons with mobility, hearing or visual impairments?

_____ Do you or anyone else in your household qualify for housing because of a handicap or disability?

_____ Will anyone else live in the unit on either a full-time or part-time basis?

_____ Do you have sole legal and physical custody of your children? If no explain: _____

_____ Are you now living or have you lived in a government-subsidized development? If yes, when: _____

Name of Development: _____

Address: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

_____ Has your housing assistance ever been terminated for fraud, non-payment of rent or utilities, failure to cooperate with recertification procedures, for drug-related criminal activity or for any other reason? If yes, explain: _____

_____ Have you or any member of your household ever been arrested or convicted of a felony, or a misdemeanor other than a traffic violation?

_____ Are you or any member of your household subject to a lifetime registration under the State sex offender registration program?

_____ Do you or any member of your household have a pattern of alcohol abuse that would interfere with the health, safety or right to peaceful enjoyment of the premises by other tenants?

_____ Do you or any member of your household use an illegal drug or other illegal controlled substance?

_____ Have you or any member of your household ever been arrested or convicted of the illegal distribution or manufacture of an illegal drug or other controlled substance?

_____ Have you or any member of your household ever used different names from the names given in this application?

_____ Have you or any member of your household ever used social security numbers different from those listed in this application?

_____ Have you or any member of your household lived in any other state?

Explanation: _____

How did you hear of this housing development? _____

SIGNATURES

I/We understand the information in this application will be used to determine eligibility for Section 8 housing assistance and that this information will be verified. I/We understand that any false information may make me/us ineligible for a unit.

I/We certify that all information given in this application is true, complete and accurate. I/We understand that if any of this information is false, misleading or incomplete, management may decline our application or, if move-in has occurred, terminate my/our lease agreement.

I/We understand that any action(s) by myself/ourselves or my/our household members, whether verbal or non-verbal, that harass, intimidate, threaten or are perceived by management to harass, intimidate or threaten the health or safety of the management stall or interfere with the management of the property is grounds for management to decline my/our application for housing.

I/We understand that if I/we or any member of my/our household suggest or offer bribes of money, material goods, etc., to the management staff responsible for determining either my/our placement on the waiting list of processing of my/our housing application is grounds for management to decline my/our application for housing.

I/We authorize management to make any and all inquiries to verify this information, directly or through information exchanged now or later with rental and credit screening services, and to contact previous and current landlords or other sources for credit and verification information which may be released to appropriate Federal, state or local agencies.

If my/our application is approved, and move-in occurs, I/we certify that only those persons listed in this application will occupy the unit, that it will be my/our only residence, and that there are no other persons for whom I/we have, or expect to have, responsibility to provide housing.

I/We agree to notify management in writing regarding any changes in household address, telephone numbers, income and household composition.

My/Our signature(s), as indicated below, acknowledge that I/we have read and completed each section of this rental application, as applicable.

All household members age 18 or older sign below:

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

PENALTIES FOR MISUSING THIS CONSENT: Title 18, Section 1001 of the U.S. Code states that a person is guilty of a felony for knowingly and willingly making false or fraudulent statements to any department of the United States Government. HUD, the PHA and any owner (or any employee of HUD the PHA or the owner) 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 this verification form is restricted to the purposes cited above. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or participant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than $5,000. Any applicant or participant 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 PHA or the owner responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.

Penalty provisions for misusing the social security number are contained in the Social Security Act at 42 U.S.C. 208(f), (g) and (h). Violation of these provisions are cited as violations of 42 U.S.C. 408(f), (g) and (h).

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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)

- ☐ Emergency
- ☐ Unable to contact you
- ☐ Termination of rental assistance
- ☐ Eviction from unit
- ☐ Late payment of rent
- ☐ Assist with Recertification Process
- ☐ Change in lease terms
- ☐ Change in house rules
- ☐ Other: _____

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.

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.

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and Urban Development
Office of Housing

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LEASE ADDENDUM

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2005

TENANT	LANDLORD	UNIT NO. & ADDRESS

This lease addendum adds the following paragraphs to the Lease between the above referenced Tenant and Landlord.

Purpose of the Addendum

The lease for the above referenced unit is being amended to include the provisions of the Violence Against Women and Justice Department Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA).

Conflicts with Other Provisions of the Lease

In case of any conflict between the provisions of this Addendum and other sections of the Lease, the provisions of this Addendum shall prevail.

Term of the Lease Addendum

The effective date of this Lease Addendum is _____. This Lease Addendum shall continue to be in effect until the Lease is terminated.

VAWA Protections

1. The Landlord may not consider incidents of domestic violence, dating violence or stalking as serious or repeated violations of the lease or other "good cause" for termination of assistance, tenancy or occupancy rights of the victim of abuse.
2. The Landlord may not consider criminal activity directly relating to abuse, engaged in by a member of a tenant's household or any guest or other person under the tenant's control, cause for termination of assistance, tenancy, or occupancy rights if the tenant or an immediate member of the tenant's family is the victim or threatened victim of that abuse.
3. The Landlord may request in writing that the victim, or a family member on the victim's behalf, certify that the individual is a victim of abuse and that the Certification of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence or Stalking, Form HUD-91066, or other documentation as noted on the certification form, be completed and submitted within 14 business days, or an agreed upon extension date, to receive protection under the VAWA. Failure to provide the certification or other supporting documentation within the specified timeframe may result in eviction.

_____ _____
Tenant Date

_____ _____
Landlord Date

6/13/2012

Special Attention of: All Residents **Notice PIH 2012-28**

From: Barb Carlson, Executive Director **Notice H 2012-11**

TO ALL APPLICANTS OF THE PEQUOT LAKES HOUSING AUTHORITY

Lifetime Sex Offender Screening

Current Tennant:

- We have received notice from HUD that at every Annual Recertification or reexamination, for each resident, there will be a Screening for State Registered Lifetime Sex Offenders
- HUD recommends that at annual recertification or reexamination the PHA ask whether the tenant or any member of the tenant's household is subject to a State lifetime sex offender registration program in any state. Our PHA will use The Dru Sjodin National Sex Offender Database and/or other official federal, state, and local resources and document this information.
- If the recertification screening reveals that the tenant has falsified information or otherwise failed to disclose criminal history on his/hers application and or recertification forms the PHA should pursue eviction.
- If a participant who is subject to such a lifetime registration requirement was erroneously admitted into a federal housing program such as Public Housing, Section 8 Project Based, and is found to be receiving housing assistance the PHA's must pursue eviction.

Applicant /Move In:

- PHA's must perform criminal background checks during application stage to determine if an applicant, or a member of an applicant's household is subject to a lifetime registration requirement under any State sex offender registration program. Criminal background checks must be performed in the state in which the housing is located and for states where the applicant and members of the applicant's household may have resided. **As such, applicants for admission into applicable HUD assistance housing programs must provide a complete list of all states in which <u>any</u> household member has resided.** Failure to accurately respond to any question during the application process is cause to deny the family admission. **Additionally PHA's must ask whether the applicant or any member of the applicant's household, is subject to a lifetime sex offender registration requirement in any state.**
- If the processes described above reveal an applicant's household includes an individual subject to the State lifetime sex offender registration, the PHA must offer the family the opportunity to remove that individual from the household. If the family is unwilling to remove that individual from the household, the PHA must deny admission to the family.
- HUD regulates Mandatory Prohibition of Lifetime Sex Offenders- prohibits admission after June 30, 2011, If any member of a household is subject to a State lifetime sex offender registration.

household member	all states which have resided

_____ _____

Head of Household Applicant Signature Date

_____ _____

Co-Head /Spouse Date

www.nsopw.gov (U.S. Dept. of Justice SMART) _____ _____

Screening Type *****PRINT OUT PROOF***** Management Signature Date

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.

HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet

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

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)

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

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.):
US Dept of HUD 212 3rd Ave South Suite 150 Minneapolis, MN 55401	HRA of Pequot Lakes PO Box 243/4469 Main St Pequot Lakes, MN 56472	MHFA 400 Wabasha St N St Suite 400 St. Paul, MN 55102

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 verity 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:

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

Additional Signatures, if needed:

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 Barters 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 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.

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.

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Name of Applicant or Tenant (Print)

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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.

Lynn Katzenberger

Name of Project Owner or his/her representative

Assistant Director

Title

L Katzenberger

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.