

**East Providence Housing Authority
NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT
AMENDMENT TO THE
Housing Choice Voucher Administrative Plan
Housing Choice Voucher Program**

The East Providence Authority (EPHA) is requesting public comment on proposed changes to the [HCV Administrative Plan](#). The HCV Administrative Plan sets forth EPHA's policies for the operation of the Housing Choice Voucher Program in the context of federal laws and regulations.

The public comment period begins on May 16, 2013 and ends on June 17, 2013. Comments submitted during this comment period shall be considered by the EPHA before formal adoption.

East Providence Housing Authority shall hold a public hearing to receive comments on the proposed changes on June 17, 2013 at 1:30 p.m., at East Providence Housing Authority, 99 Goldsmith Avenue, East Providence, RI 02914. The EPHA Board of Commissioners will also accept public comment on the proposed changes at their meeting on Tuesday, May 28, 2013 at 4:30p.m., at City View Manor, 99 Goldsmith Avenue, East Providence, RI 02914. The following is a brief outline of the major policy changes being proposed:

MAJOR POLICY CHANGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Raising minimum rent from \$25.00 to \$50.00• Applicants that owe money to any public housing authority will be denied assistance unless the family pays the full amount of the debt within 14 days of being notified of the amount owed.

The draft Administrative Plan is available for inspection at EPHA's offices at 99 Goldsmith Avenue and on EPHA's webpage: www.ehousing.org. Written comments will be accepted until June 17, 2013. If you would like to request a disability-related accommodation or make a comment, please direct your communication to:

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