

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Housing Authority of the City of Fort Myers (HACFM) will begin accepting preapplications from interested persons (Registrants) who want to be considered for HACFM's Public Housing (PH) and Project Based Voucher (PBV) units at our Southwest Florida Housing Management (SWFLHM) properties. The pre-application period will open Monday, September 19, 2022, at 9:00am (Eastern Standard Time) and remain open until Wednesday, September 21, at 5:00pm (Eastern Standard Time). Submission of a pre-application provides a change for Registrants to apply for a specific property's waitlist. However, submission of a pre-application does not guarantee that the Registrant will be selected.

The following communities waiting list will be open:

Landings at East Pointe (PBV - Family), East Pointe Place (PBV - Family), Renaissance Preserve (PH - Family) and Renaissance Senior (PH - Senior).

All Pre-applications must be submitted online at:

http://www.hacfm.org/

- Pre-applications will be accepted 24 hours a day, from smartphones, tablets, or any electronic device with access to internet anytime the waiting list are open. Interested persons without access to the internet who want to be a registrant may go to sites with computers available for public use such as libraries.
- Paper applications will not be distributed or accepted. No mailed, faxed, or hand delivered applications will be accepted. Pre-applications will not be accepted at HACFM administration building, or any property owned or operated by HACFM.
- For registrants with no access to electronic devices, a kiosk is set up at 4224 Renaissance Preserve Way, Fort Myers, Florida 33916 to submit your pre-application online.
- You must have a valid email address to complete the pre-application and to receive Housing Authority notifications.
- Registrants must be 18 years of age or older.
- Only one pre-application per adult will be accepted. All pre-applications containing a duplicate SSN will be disqualified.
- There is no cost to submit a pre-application, and no agent of HACFM will ask a Registrant for any payment.

Registrants who require assistance in completing a pre-application because of a disability and need a reasonable accommodation may call our waiting list hotline at 239-344-3232 during the period of September 19, 2022, through September 21, 2022, and we will return your call. HACFM will verify that the limitations imposed by the disability require the requested accommodation. If HACFM determines that the limitations imposed by the disability do not require a request for accommodation, the Registrant will be required to apply online.

This number is only available to persons with special needs. If you have resources to access the internet (family, friends, etc.) please do not use this number as resources are limited.

- Registrants with hearing or speech disabilities using TDD or TTY technology may call Florida Relay Services by dialing 7-1-1 for assistance.
- HACFM's ACOP dictates applicants for the PH program is done by preference if applicable, the time and date of application.
- HACFM's Administrative Plan dictates applicant selection for the PBV program is done by preference if applicable, then time and date of application.
- Frequently asked questions regarding the Public Housing and Project Based Voucher program waitlist opening may be found on the waitlist online website at: HACFM website at http://www.hacfm.org/.

Housing Authority of the City of Fort Myers does not discriminate against registrants, applicants, or participants based on their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, or familial status.

