



HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES

SECTION 8 TENANT NEWSLETTER

February 2018

Los Angeles Regional Reentry Partnership

The Los Angeles Regional Reentry Partnership (LARRP) will be hosting a free expungement fair at the Amity Foundation on February 3, 2018.

If you have past convictions of any kind and you want to find out if you can remove them or you need help getting them removed, reduced, or expunged, then register for this free expungement clinic taking place at the Amity Foundation.

Attorneys and paralegals from the Los Angeles County Public Defenders Office will be onsite providing free post-conviction relief. The details are as follows:

Date & Time	Location
Saturday, February 3rd 10:00am to 2:00pm	Amity Foundation 3750 S. Grand Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90007

To register go to: <http://bit.ly/2CNPLak>. If you have any questions email info@lareentry.org or call (213) 226-6420.

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S8 Advisory Meeting

Section 8 Advisory Meetings are an opportunity for participants in the Section 8 program to provide the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles (HACLA) with input on Section 8 policies, procedures, and practices, as well as to learn about changes and challenges to the Section 8 program. The following is the next scheduled Advisory Meeting:

Date & Time	Location
Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at 2:00pm	Independent Square 2455 S. Saint Andrews Pl. Los Angeles, CA 90018

If you would like to attend, e-mail S8Advisory@hacla.org

The Housing Authority will be closed on:
Monday, February 19th in observance of Presidents' Day

You can find the Tenant Newsletter online at:
<http://www.hacla.org/s8formspolicies>

Walk in Hours

For all participant families are as follows:

Tuesdays and Thursdays
8:00am to 4:00pm

Property Listings

Property listings are available online at: <http://www.hacla.org/propertylistings>. You can also call the toll free phone number at 1-877-428-8844 to receive printed listings.

Report Changes

You must report changes per the Family Obligations form you sign at the time of your annual reexamination.

Report Fraud

If you suspect anyone of committing fraud, please call (800) 461-9330., or file a report online at: www.convercent.com/reports. Your name will remain anonymous.

Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO) Workshops

These workshops provide a basic overview of the Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO). The February workshops will cover: RSO Basics and updates. Below is the schedule of the upcoming workshops. To RSVP, call the Housing + Community Investment Department (HCID) at (213) 928-9075. You must reserve in advance. Reservations must be received one day prior to session.

Location	Date(s)	Time
2130 East 1st Street., Suite 2600 Los Angeles, CA 90033	Thursday, February 8, 2018	10:00am (Spanish)
690 Knox St., Suite 125 Los Angeles, CA 90502	Tuesday, February 13, 2018	10:00am
3550 Wilshire Blvd. 15th Flr. Los Angeles, CA 90010	Wednesday, February 14, 2018	10:00am
6400 Laurel Canyon Blvd., Suite 610 North Hollywood, CA 91606	Thursday, February 15, 2018	10:30am
1200 W. 7th St., Rm 100 Los Angeles, CA 90017	Wednesday, February 21, 2018	6:30pm
1200 W. 7th St., Rm 100 Los Angeles, CA 90017	Thursday, February 22, 2018	6:30pm (Spanish)
1645 Corinth Ave., Suite 104 Los Angeles, CA 90025	Wednesday, February 28, 2018	10:30am

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Secure Your Dog, Keep Your Section 8

If your dog is not secured, the Housing Authority Inspector cannot enter the premises to do an inspection. You may lose your Section 8 assistance if the inspector is not able to inspect your home.

Help with Filing Your Tax Returns

You can file your tax returns free through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program. VITA offers free tax help to individuals who make \$54,000 a year or less. This tax season, IRS-certified volunteers will provide free basic income tax return preparation with electronic filing to qualified individuals throughout the County of Los Angeles.

You may also qualify for cash back tax credits like CalEITC and Federal EITC. Call the L.A. County Department of Consumer and Business Affairs (DCBA) at (800) 593-8222 or visit dcba.lacounty.gov for more information.

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