# LEAD HAZARD CONTROL & HEALTHY HOMES PROGRAM INFORMATION

The City of Cleveland, Department of Community Development, Lead Hazard Control Program has grant funds available to remediate lead-based paint hazards for low income populations. Priority will be given to units occupied by lead poisoned children under the age of six.

#### Homeowners

If you are an owner occupant, you may be eligible for funding if:

- The property was built before 1978
- The property is within the City limits of Cleveland
- A child under 6-years-old lives or visits the property at least 20 hours a week
- You are income eligible at or below 80% Area Median Income (AMI)
- Taxes are current or a payment plan is approved
- The property is not in foreclosure
- The property is in decent, safe and sanitary condition
- Property is structurally sound with no major deficiencies

2021 Owner Occupied Income Guidelines								
80% Area		Family Size						
Median Income	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Annual Income	\$44,050	\$50,350	\$56,650	\$62,900	\$67,950	\$73,000	\$78,000	\$83,050
Monthly Income	\$3,671	\$4,196	\$4,721	\$5,242	\$5,663	\$6,083	\$6,500	\$6,921

### **Rental Property Owners & Tenants**

If you are a rental property owner or tenant, you may be eligible for funding if:

- The property was built before 1978
- The property is within the City limits of Cleveland
- Taxes are current or a payment plan is approved
- The property is not in foreclosure
- The property is in decent, safe and sanitary condition

- Property is structurally sound with no major deficiencies
- Tenants are income eligible at or below 50% Area Median Income (AMI)
- A child under 6-years-old lives or visits the property at least 20 hours a week

Rental property owners may be subject to a minimum contribution of \$600 per unit to the project. Upon the City's inspection, the City may provide a list of in-kind repairs that are to be completed prior to the receipt of grant funding. Property repairs completed as in-kind work must be completed before any Lead Hazard Control Program work begins.

2021 Tenant Occupied Income Guidelines								
50% Area		Family Size						
Median Income	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Annual Income	\$27,550	\$31,450	\$35,400	\$39,300	\$42,450	\$45,600	\$48,750	\$51,900
Monthly Income	\$2,296	\$2,621	\$2,950	\$3,275	\$3,538	\$3,800	\$4,063	\$4,325

#### **Eligible Activities**

Eligible activities may include interior and exterior lead hazard control with additional assistance for healthy homes hazards. Eligible activities are determined by City of Cleveland staff during an onsite inspection. All painted surfaces in the interior and exterior of the structure will be inspected visually and using a handheld machine to determine the condition and presence of any lead-based paint, respectively. Items identified as lead-based paint hazards may be addressed with grant funding; lead-based paint components that are intact and do not exhibit signs of deterioration are not eligible for repairs. If the scope of work exceeds the available amount of assistance the property owner may be required to contribute to the project or seek additional assistance. Roof replacement, whole house siding, rebuilding foundations, rebuilding garages and rebuilding porches are not eligible activities.

#### Relocation

Occupants residing in units accepted into the program will be relocated during all lead abatement work. The tenant/occupants may choose from three different relocation options at the pre-construction conference. If the tenant/occupants choose to receive a flat rate relocation stipend, the stipend check will be made out to the main applicant or the named authorizing official.



# LEAD HAZARD CONTROL PROGRAM APPLICATION AND CHECKLIST

## Homeowners & Renters/Tenants – Income Documentation

If you are a homeowner or renter/tenant you are responsible for completing Sections A of the application and submitting the following income documents:

- $\Box$  Completed Application
- $\hfill\square$  Government Issued Identification (for all persons age 18 and over)
- $\hfill\square$  Birth Certificates or Official Birth Documents for all children under the age of six (6)
- $\hfill\square$  Blood Screening Test within 6 months for all children under the age of six (6)
- □ Visiting Child Care Form, for any children under the age of six (6) that visit more than 20 hours a week (if applicable)
- $\hfill\square$  Most Recent Tax Return for occupants age 18 and over
- $\square$  6 consecutive months of checking account statements for all account holding occupants age 18 and over
  - $\hfill\square$  Submit statements for ALL accounts if any occupant has more than one account
- $\square$  1 month of saving account statements for all account holding occupants age 18 and over
- $\hfill\square$  Proof of Income for Occupants Age 18 and over:

 $\hfill\square$  Eight (8) consecutive weeks of paystubs,

- for all employed occupants age 18 and over
- $\Box$  2019 Social Security/SSI Award Letter
- □ Pension/VA Award Letter
- □ Unemployment Benefits Letter

# Homeowners & Rental Property Owners – Property Information

If you are a homeowner or rental property owner you are responsible for completing Section B of the application and submitting the following documents related to

- $\hfill\square$  Completed Application
- □ Government Issued Identification
- $\hfill\square$  Proof of Insurance Submit a copy of your current insurance declaration page
- $\hfill\square$  Proof of property tax payment plan from Cuyahoga County Treasurer (if applicable)
- $\hfill\square$  Copy of most recent mortgage statement



- □ Child Support Award Letter
- □ Alimony Award Letter
- □ Zero Income Affidavit (if applicable)
- $\hfill\square$  Monthly Public Assistance Award letters
- (TANF/Food Stamps)
- 18 and over

# LEAD HAZARD CONTROL & HEALTHY HOMES PROGRAM APPLICATION

The family occupying the residence should complete the next two pages. Income documents such as pay stubs & bank statements will also need submitted.

**Occupant Contact Information:** 

Name:				Owner  Renter	🗆 Vacan	t		
Address:			Up / Do	own, Cleveland, Ohio Zip Co	ode:			
Phone Number:		Email:						
	Adult Household Occupants, Age 18 & Over							
Name	Date of Birth	Race	Hispanic?	Source of Monthly Income:	Bank Account?	File Taxes?		
		<ul> <li>White</li> <li>Black or African</li> <li>American</li> <li>Black/African</li> <li>American &amp; White</li> <li>Other,</li> </ul>	□ Yes □ No	Employment \$      Social Security \$      Disability \$      Pension \$      Child Support \$      Public Assistance \$      Rental \$      Other,\$	□ Yes □ No	□ Yes □ No		
		White Black or African American Black/African American & White Other,	☐ Yes ☐ No	Employment \$      Social Security \$      Disability \$      Pension \$      Child Support \$      Public Assistance \$      Rental \$      Other,\$	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ Yes □ No		
		White Black or African American Black/African American & White Other,	☐ Yes ☐ No	Employment \$      Social Security \$      Disability \$      Pension \$      Child Support \$      Public Assistance \$      Rental \$      Other,\$	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No		
		<ul> <li>White</li> <li>Black or African</li> <li>American</li> <li>Black/African</li> <li>American &amp; White</li> <li>Other,</li> <li></li></ul>	□ Yes □ No	Employment \$      Social Security \$      Disability \$      Pension \$      Child Support \$      Public Assistance \$      Rental \$      Other. \$	☐ Yes ☐ No	□ Yes □ No		

Is any other adult in your household authorized to sign program documents and receive the relocation stipend?

□ Yes If **yes**, who? \_

An authorizing official may be a spouse, significant other or roommate; this person must reside in the unit.



Minor Children Occupants, Age 18 & Under						
	Date of				Tested	Lead
Name	Birth	Race	Hispanic?	Source of Income?	for Lead?	Poisoned?
		□ White	$\Box$ Yes	Social Security	🗆 Yes	□ Yes
		Black or African American	🗆 No	Disability	🗆 No	🗆 No
		Black/African American & White		Food Stamps		
		□ Other,		Amount \$		
		□ White	□ Yes	Social Security	□ Yes	□ Yes
		Black or African American	🗆 No	Disability	🗆 No	🗆 No
		Black/African American & White		Food Stamps		
		□ Other,		Amount \$		
		□ White	□ Yes	Social Security	□ Yes	□ Yes
		Black or African American	🗆 No	Disability	🗆 No	🗆 No
		Black/African American & White		Food Stamps		
		□ Other,		Amount \$		
		□ White	□ Yes	Social Security	□ Yes	□ Yes
		Black or African American	🗆 No	Disability	🗆 No	🗆 No
		Black/African American & White		Food Stamps		
		□ Other,		Amount \$		
		□ White	□ Yes	Social Security	□ Yes	□ Yes
		Black or African American	🗆 No	Disability	🗆 No	🗆 No
		Black/African American & White		Food Stamps		
		□ Other,		Amount \$		
Will your household size	change withi	n the next twelve (12) months? (examp	le: pregnancy,	adoption, etc.)		
□ Yes If <b>yes</b>	, please expla	ain:				
□ No						

Do any occupants age eighteen (18) and over attend school full time?

□ Yes If yes, who? \_

🗆 No

Do any children under age six (6) visit your household more than twenty (20) hours a week?

□ Yes If **yes**, please list their information below:

🗆 No

Visiting Children, Under Age 6							
				Relation to	Tested	Lead	
Name	Date of Birth	Race	Hispanic?	Occupant	for Lead?	Poisoned?	
		□ White	□ Yes		□ Yes	□ Yes	
		Black or African American	🗆 No		🗆 No	🗆 No	
		Black/African American & White					
		□ Other,					
		□ White	□ Yes		□ Yes	□ Yes	
		Black or African American	🗆 No		🗆 No	🗆 No	
		Black/African American & White					
		□ Other,					

The occupant certifies that the earnings listed above represent the total household income and understands that all income, asset and employment information is subject to verification by the City of Cleveland every six months until repair work has started. <u>The occupant</u> <u>certifies that anyone age 18 and over will submit 8 weeks of paystubs and 6 months of bank statements, if applicable.</u> The applicant hereby affirms under penalty of perjury that all information contained on this application is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.



# OCCUPANT AGREEMENT TO CONDITIONS

The current occupant of the property affirms that he/she desires to be enrolled in the City of Cleveland Lead Hazard Control grant program for repair of lead-based paint hazards and hereby gives permission to the City of Cleveland to provide lead hazard reduction work at the property.

As a condition of participation in the Program, the current occupant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- That the occupant will maintain the property free from dust. dirt and debris. and inform the property owner of any loose and flaking paint that I am aware of and keep the property free of debris and bare soil to the extent allowed by my agreement with the owner.
- That the City of Cleveland will have access to all areas of the structure, including but not limited to, rooms, hallways, closets, common areas, basement, attic, all exterior porches, rear and front yards.
- That upon bid award, contractors will be given access to the unit Monday through Saturday, between the hours of 8:00am and 5:00pm.
- That contractors are authorized to use electricity and water at the property without reimbursement to the occupant or property owner.
- That the City of Cleveland will determine the specific scope of and extent of work to be performed by the Program at the property. The written specifications will become part of this agreement and provided as a grant or loan to the owner.
- That the occupant will follow the instructions in the Preparing Your Home for Lead Hazard Control Work Guide.
- That the occupant will attend a workshop on lead safe home maintenance practices prior to the start of work funded by the Program.
- That the occupant will indemnify and hold the City of Cleveland, its respective officers, agents, and employees, harmless from any and all liability suits, losses, judgments, damages, or any other demands arising out of the Lead Hazard Control Program or the actions or omissions of the Enrollee while performing its duties under this Agreement. This indemnification shall survive the term of this Agreement.
- That submission and approval of this application does not guarantee funding.

The occupant certifies that the income for all persons in the home stated represents the total income for the past year prior to this application and understands that all income, asset and employment information is subject to verification by the City of Cleveland every six months until repair work has started.

By submitting this application the occupants grant permission to the City of Cleveland, Ohio, Lead Hazard Control grant program supervisors, inspectors, employees and contractors employed, to enter the premises listed in the application to perform work under the Lead Hazard Control Program.

The occupant hereby affirms under penalty of perjury that all information contained on the application is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Occupant Signature



# WALK AWAY POLICY AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The mission of the Cleveland Lead Hazard Control Program is to address lead-based paint hazards in your home. Regardless of eligibility, an owner or occupant may not receive assistance through the Cleveland Lead Hazard Control Program when the property owner or occupant is responsible for conditions that obstruct that mission. Such conditions include, but are not limited to:

- 1. When an owner knowingly misrepresents information relevant to his or her eligibility for assistance through the program.
- 2. When the occupant refuses to allow entry into all areas of the unit(s).
- 3. When, following the initial inspection of the home, a determination is subsequently made that the home is not structurally sound or cannot be rehabilitated economically.
- 4. When the occupant/property owner fails to demonstrate normal and responsible care of the property. Such failure would include willfully allowing:
  - a. Abuse by animals: evidence of unsanitary conditions or of severe damage to floors, carpets, furnishings or yards caused by animal feces or urine.
  - b. Illegal or improper use of the property: use of property for purposes other than as a residence in violation of building and zoning ordinances and/or criminal statues
  - c. Deliberate abuse: excessive damage to the home or fixtures, not easily attributable to normal wear and tear.
  - d. Poor housekeeping and maintenance: extreme conditions of clutter or filth in or around the house when such conditions:
    - i. Constitute a potential health or safety hazard to staff, contractors, employees or others; and/or
    - ii. Will severely hamper or increase the cost of rehabilitation work.
- 5. The property owner, occupant or either party's agent becomes verbally or physically abusive and/or threatens City of Cleveland staff members, contractors, subcontractors or employees of contractors.
- 6. When during the course of the rehabilitation process, the property owner or occupant continually does not respond to or obstructs City of Cleveland staff, the contractors, their subcontractors or employees as they attempt to discharge their required responsibilities in good faith under the written terms of the Cleveland Lead Hazard Control Program.

The City of Cleveland's staff may decline, withhold and/or terminate assistance, under any circumstance, including, but not limited to those listed above. The owner and occupant acknowledge that both parties have received a copy of this policy. The owner and applicant understand that processing of the application will proceed once all necessary documents have been submitted to the Lead Hazard Control Program.

Tenant/Owner Signature

**Property Owner Information** This section should be completed by the property owner. Owner Information



Name:		Social Security Number:				
Address:		City:		State:	Zip Code:	
Phone Number:		Email:				
Is the property owned under a business?	□Yes □No	lf <b>yes</b> , what	is the business name:			
Is anyone else authorized to sign program	n documents?	□Yes □No	If <b>yes</b> , list the name ar	nd title of any ad	lditional authorizing offi	cials:
Authorizing Official Name:			Relati	on to Owner/Bu	siness:	
An authorizing official may be a spous	e or business j	partner; at leasi	one Authorizing Official	should be locally	v available to sign docun	nents.
Property Information						
Address:			Cleveland, Ohio Zip C	ode:	# of units:	
Unit #1 (up/down/address #):		□Vacant	Unit #3 (up/down/a	address #):		□Vacant
Unit #2 (up/down/address #):		□Vacant	Unit #4 (up/down/a	address #):		□Vacant
If your taxes are <b>delinquent</b> , you approved. <u>Code Violations</u> Have you or your company received notion If <b>yes</b> , please list the reason for	e that this pro	perty is in viola		⊡Yes ⊡No	Housing Code Violatio	
<u>Mortgage</u> Is there a mortgage(s) on the property? If <b>yes</b> , what is the status of the If <b>yes</b> , please submit a copy of	mortgage(s) p	ayments:	Current Delinquent			
Insurance Is the property insured with a comprehen If <b>yes</b> , please submit a copy of		• •				
Property Owner Document Submittal Che Completed Section A for all C Copy of Government Issued Copy of Most Recent Mortga Copy of Insurance Declaration	Occupied Units Identification ge Statement,					



# PROPERTY OWNER AGREEMENT TO CONDITIONS

The Property Owner affirms that he/she owns the property described in Section A above, and that he/she desires to be enrolled in the City of Cleveland Lead Hazard control grant program to make the home lead safer, and hereby gives permission to the City of Cleveland to provide lead hazard reduction work at the property.

As a condition of participation in the Program, I acknowledge and agree to the following:

- <u>That I will continue to keep the lead-safe units available to low-income residents for a period of not less than three years and will retain records of occupancy and marketing to low-income residents for not less than five years.</u>
- That submission and approval of this application does not guarantee funding.
- That the City of Cleveland will have access to all areas of the structure, including but not limited to, rooms, hallways, closets, common areas, basement, attic, all exterior porches, rear and front yards.
- That upon bid award, contractors will be given access to the unit Monday through Saturday, between the hours of 8:00am and 5:00pm.
- That contractors are authorized to use electricity and water at the property without reimbursement to the occupant or property owner.
- That the City of Cleveland will determine the specific scope of and extent of work to be performed at the property.
- That I received a copy of the City of Cleveland Department of Community Development Preparing Your Home for Lead Hazard Control Work Guide and will follow all applicable guidelines listed in it.
- That I received information on lead safe home maintenance practices.
- That I am responsible for the non-lead repairs identified by the Lead Hazard Control Program and that lead hazard control will not begin until the repairs are completed and documented (In-kind work).
- That I will maintain the property free from loose and flaking paint, use lead safe methods for future repairs, and keep the property free of bare soil.
- That submission and or approval of this application does not exempt you from complying with open building code, housing choice voucher program, Cleveland Department of Public Health Lead Hazard Control Order or any other orders on your property. Remaining in compliance with any open orders is the responsibility of the property owner at all times.
- That I will indemnify and hold the City of Cleveland, its respective officers, agents, and employees, harmless from any and all liability suits, losses, judgments, damages, or any other demands arising out of the Lead Hazard Control Program or the actions or omissions of the Enrollee while performing its duties under this Agreement. This indemnification shall survive the term of this Agreement.

I hereby grant permission to the City of Cleveland, Ohio, Lead Hazard Control grant program its supervisors, inspectors, employees and contractors employed, to enter the premises listed in identified as the premise to undergo lead hazard reduction to perform work under the Lead Hazard Control Program.

I, the undersigned, do affirm under penalty of perjury that the information contained in the application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



# PROPERTY OWNER AGREEMENT TO MAINTENANCE CONDITIONS

#### **RECITALS:**

- 1. The City's Department of Community Development, through its Lead Hazard Control Program ("the Program"), its agents and subcontractors, will complete or have completed lead hazard control and/or other associated activities at the address indicated in section B above.
- 2. By way of receiving the benefits of the Program, the Property Owner has taken on certain continuing obligations. In consideration of the foregoing, and mutual promises contained in this Agreement, the parties agree as follows:

### **ARTICLES I: OBLIGATIONS OF THE PROPERTY OWNER**

By executing this Agreement, the City and the Property Owner agree to be bound by this Agreement, and the Property Owner agrees to perform the following continuing obligations upon receipt of grant funding to the properties identified in the above recitals:

- 1. To be responsible for monitoring surfaces with confirmed lead based paint to ensure surfaces do not become defective or hazardous.
- 2. The Lead Inspection Risk Assessment previously forwarded to the property owner identifies all surfaces that tested positive for lead and these are subject to this agreement.
- 3. To monitor any lead-based paint surface noted on the Positives Report of the Lead Inspection Risk Assessment to ensure that the surface does not become deteriorated creating a lead hazard.
- 4. To monitor the property at least once each Twelve (12) months and to keep written record of such monitoring.
- 5. To require that anyone performing maintenance on the Property for a fee will, at a minimum, hold a State of Ohio Lead Safe Renovator's certificate or its recognized equivalent.
- 6. To ensure that any person performing maintenance on any leaded surface is notified in writing that they are working on a lead-based paint containing surface and will perform maintenance in a lead safe manner and in compliance with State and Local regulations.
- 7. Maintain all records of maintenance for a period of three years from the date of this Agreement.

#### ARTICLES II: DEFAULT AND REMEDIES

- 1. Property Owner shall be in default of this Agreement if the Property Owner fails to comply with the obligations identified in Article I, above, or otherwise fails to maintain the Property free from lead hazards for a period of three (3) years from the date of this agreement.
- 2. Upon the City's determination that a default has occurred, and notice is provided pursuant to Article 4 below, the City may file a civil action with a court of competent jurisdiction to recover costs for the lead abatement work including all tenant relocation expenses.
- 3. Costs for lead abatement work shall include the City's legal fees for enforcement of this agreement, and those costs incurred for Hazard Control according to the specifications contained within the project folder and subsequently paid to the Construction Contractor, and any relocation costs, if any.

#### ARTICLES III: RIGHT TO RE-INSPECT THE PROPERTY

In addition to the remedies outlines above, the Property Owner Agrees that the City, or its authorized agent, may re-inspect the Property and shall, if requested by the City, notify any tenants occupying the Property that the City is authorizing to enter and re-inspect the Property. The Property Owner agrees that the City shall have the right to obtain a lawful order of entry.



#### **ARTICLES IV: NOTICES**

All notices which may be properly or necessary shall be sent by regular mail, postage prepaid, to the following addresses or to such other addresses as either party may designate for such purpose:

To the City:

Lead Hazard Control Grant Program Cleveland City Hall | Room 302 601 Lakeside Avenue East Cleveland, Ohio 44114 To the Owner:

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

#### **ARTICLES V: CONSTRUCTION OF AGREEMENT**

All terms used in this Agreement, regardless of number or gender, shall be construed to include any other number and any other gender, as the context or sense of this Agreement may require.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which, when so executed and delivered, shall be deemed an original, but such counterparts together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

In Witness Whereof,

Owner's Name

Owner's Signature

Date

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF LEAD PAMPHLET

Unit Address: \_\_\_\_\_, Cleveland, Ohio \_\_\_\_\_

I have received a copy of the lead hazard information pamphlet, Protect Your Family from Lead in Your Home, informing me of the potential risk of lead hazard exposure from renovation activity to be performed in my dwelling unit. I received this pamphlet before the work began.

Print Name:

Applicant #1 Signature or Authorizing Official:

Date



## ADDITIONAL AFFIDAVITS, IF NEEDED:

The following documents are additional documents to be used by applicants as needed:

#### VISITING CHILD CARE FORM:

The Visiting Child Care Form is to be completed if a child under the age of 6 visits your home more than 20 hours a week. *This does not include children that live full time with the applicant.* 

#### NO BANK ACCOUNTS AFFIDAVIT:

The No Bank Accounts Affidavit is to be completed if any adult occupant age 18 and over does not have ownership in any bank account.

#### ZERO INCOME AFFIDAVIT:

The Zero Income Affidavit is to be completed if an adult occupant age 18 and over does not receive any income.



# VISITING CHILD CARE FORM

*Instructions:* If a child under the age of 6 visits your home more than 20 hours a week please have this form completed by the child's parent or guardian. A separate form should be submitted for each visiting child.

Tenant/Owner Name:	
Unit Address:	, Cleveland, Ohio

The above individual has applied to the City of Cleveland's Lead-Based Paint Hazard Control Program. In order for the above tenant/occupant to participate in the program, the visiting child's parent or guardian must complete the following information and provide a copy of the child's birth certificate. Visiting children should have a lead blood test performed within 6 months of the start of repairs.

Visiting Child's Name:		
Visiting Child's Date of Birth:		
Visiting Child's Hispanic Ethnicity:	□Hispanic	□Not Hispanic
Visiting Child's Race: Visiting Child's Relation to Applicant:	□American India	□Black or African American □Black/African American & White n or Alaskan Native □Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander n or Alaskan Native & Black/African American □Asian n or Alaskan Native & White □Asian & White □Other, Multi-racial
Visiting Child's Parent's Name:		
Visiting Child's Permanent Residence:		
Visiting Child's Parent's Phone:		

How many hours a week does your child spend at the tenant/occupant's address?

I understand that this statement is being used to determine the household eligibility for one or more programs administered by the City of Cleveland.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this certification is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein may constitute an act of fraud.

I hereby affirm that the information contained in this document is true.

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 and any owner (or any employee of HUD or the owner) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper use 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 willingly 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 or the owner responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.

Visiting Child's Parent Signature

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Tenant/Owner Signature

# NO BANK ACCOUNTS AFFIDAVIT

Ι,

\_\_\_\_, a resident at \_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_, a resident at \_\_\_\_\_, Cleveland, Ohio, \_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify that I do not have ownership in any bank account at this time. I further certify that I have not closed any bank account, removed my name from any bank account or withdrawn funds from any bank account in the past six months.

I certify that I do not anticipate having ownership in a bank account within the next twelve (12) months.

I certify that I have provided proof of income documentation for all income I receive.

I understand that this statement is being used to determine the household eligibility for one or more programs administered by the City of Cleveland.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this certification is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein may constitute an act of fraud.

Signature Date Sworn before me and subscribed in my presence this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 .

Notary

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 and any owner (or any employee of HUD or the owner) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper use 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 willingly 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 or the owner responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.



## ZERO INCOME AFFIDAVIT

Ι.



\_\_\_\_\_, a resident at \_\_\_\_\_

Cleveland, Ohio, \_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify that I do not receive income from any of the following sources:

- 1. Wages from employment (including commissions, tips, bonuses, fees, etc.),
- 2. Income from operation of a business;
- 3. Rental income from real or personal property;
- 4. Interest or dividends from assets;
- 5. Social Security payments, annuities, insurance policies, retirement funds, pensions, or death benefits;
- 6. Unemployment or disability payments;
- 7. Cash assistance from public assistance agencies;
- 8. Workers compensation benefits
- 9. Periodic allowances such as alimony or child support
- 10. Monies received from friends or family members not residing in the home that I reside
- 11. Sales from self-employed resources;
- 12. Any other source not named above.

I currently have no income of any kind and there is no imminent change expected in my financial status or employment status during the next 12 months.

How will you pay for rent and utilities?	
How will you pay for food and clothing?	
How will you pay for medical expenses?	
How will you pay for transportation expenses?	

Are you the account holder	<sup>.</sup> on any bank	account(s)?
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I understand that this statement is being used to determine the household eligibility for one or more programs administered by the City of Cleveland.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this certification is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein may constitute an act of fraud.

Signature	Date	
Sworn before me and subscribed in my presence this	day of	, 20
	Notary	

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