

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
COUNTY OF HAWAII  
ANNUAL PLAN for FISCAL YEAR 2016  
HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER PROGRAM**

The Office of Housing and Community Development administers the Housing Choice Voucher (Section 8) Program for the County of Hawai'i through the Existing Housing Division. As required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Section 8 Program, the County of Hawai'i has completed a proposed Public Housing Agency (PHA) Plan for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016. The County is providing affected citizens an opportunity to examine the PHA Plan contents and to submit comments in writing or in person at public hearings on:

**9:00AM, Thursday, March 31, 2016**

Office of Housing and Community Development  
50 Wailuku Drive (Conference Room A)  
Hilo, Hawai'i

**-OR-**

Office of Housing & Community Development  
West Hawai'i Civic Center  
74-5044 Ane Keohokalole Highway  
Building B., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Kailua – Kona, HI 96740

The purpose of the County's PHA Plan is to describe the mission of the County's Section 8 housing plans and the agency's goals and objectives for achieving its mission. The Annual Plan provides details about the agency's immediate operations, program participants, programs and services and strategy for handling operational concerns, participant concerns, programs and services for the upcoming fiscal year.

**Public Comment Period**

The proposed 2016 PHA Plan will be available for public review and comment from February 10, 2016 to March 31, 2016, at the Office of Housing and Community Development, Monday through Friday, 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. except holidays. The OHCD office locations are:

Hilo: 50 Wailuku Drive or 1990 Kino`ole Street, Suite 105,  
Kona: West Hawai'i Civic Center, 74-5044 Ane Keohokalole Highway, Bldg B., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

The Plan will also be available on-line at: <http://www.hawaiiicounty.gov/office-of-housing/>

Persons, particularly those who are of very low and low income, are encouraged to submit their comments regarding the PHA Plan objectives and activities. The OHCD will consider any comments and views expressed by citizens on the proposed PHA Plan and may modify the Plan if it deems appropriate.

Citizens who wish to comment on the proposed plan may submit their comments in writing or by fax (959-9308) to the OHCD by 4PM, March 31, 2016, in order for them to be considered. Citizens may also testify at the hearing on the above dates.

Duly submitted by Susan K. Akiyama  
Housing Administrator  
**February 10, 2016**