

Mexico Housing Authority

July 2016 Newsletter



Water Usage/Outdoor Water Spigots

We have recently noticed that some of our Residents are using the outdoor water spigots for personal use. THIS IS A VIOLATION OF YOUR LEASE. MHA provides water, sewer and trash service to our residents free of charge. In order to continue providing this service at no cost we ask that residents DO NOT use the outdoor water spigots for any reason. Continuous usage may result in the termination of your lease and/or excess water charges being charged to your account. SWIMMING POOLS OF ANY SIZE ARE NOT ALLOWED ON MHA PROPERTY.

Preventative Maintenance Coming Soon!

Preventative Maintenance...

Maintenance and Management will be in your units **sometime between July 5-July 8, 2016** for Preventative Maintenance. Make sure your screen doors are unlocked and pets are put away.

Thank you, Management

Important Dates

MHA will be closed on Friday, July 1, 2016 for an Administrative Work Day.

MHA will be closed on Monday, July 4, 2016 in observance of Independence Day .

Our office will resume normal business hours on Tuesday, July 5, 2016.

RAB giveaway and the Resident Association Meeting will be held on Thursday, July 14, 2016 from 3:00 to 4:00 pm at the Garfield Community Center.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.....



Pest Control

Bug Out Pest Control and Management will be in your unit once a month to spray for pests. Please make sure that your screen doors are unlocked and that your pets are secured.

Friday, July 8, 2016———Trinity, Central, Garfield, Tyronn Lue, Seminary, Union, Calhoun, Bolivar

Friday, July 22, 2016———Boulevard, Hassen, Buchanan, Breckenridge, Singleton, Liberty, Missouri, Wade, Fieldcrest, Macfarlane, Holt, Lafayette



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Breathe Healthily, Live Happily

HUD SMOKEFREE POLICIES IN PUBLIC HOUSING

As many of you know, Mexico Housing Authority will soon be going Smoke Free. The tentative date of this change is January 1, 2017. You will be seeing updated information about this change in your newsletters starting now, but please feel free to call our office if you have any questions.

- ❖ **A NO-SMOKING rule is NOT a 'NO-SMOKER' rule.**
 - THIS SIMPLY MEANS YOU WILL HAVE TO STEP OUTSIDE AWAY FROM THE BUILDING. MANY SMOKERS ALREADY SMOKE OUTSIDE.

- ❖ **The air will be healthier for EVERYONE who lives in a NON-SMOKING building.**
 - SECOND HAND SMOKE IS THE SMOKE THAT COMES FROM THE BURNING END OF A CIGARETTE, CIGAR, OR PIPE. SECOND HAND SMOKE CAN MAKE OUR CHILDREN SICK. CHILDREN WHO LIVE IN HOMES WHERE PEOPLE SMOKE MAY GET SICK MORE OFTEN WITH COUGHS, WHEEZING, EAR INFECTIONS, BRONCHITIS AND PNEUMONIA. SECOND HAND SMOKE CAN ALSO CAUSE LUNG CANCER AND HEART DISEASE.

- ❖ **TENANTS AND THEIR FAMILIES WILL BE SAFER FROM HOUSE FIRES.**
 - Also, there will be less damage to your units as well. Smoking can stain walls and ceilings, furniture and curtains, and leave a thin residue on your belongings which can be hard to clean.

- ❖ **IF YOU ARE READY TO QUIT SMOKING, HERE ARE A FEW RESOURCES FOR HELP.**
 - lungusa.org
 - cdc.gov/smoking
 - smokefree.gov
 - National Tobacco Quit Line 1-800-QUIT-NOW
 - American Cancer Society