

RENT INCREASE REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS

Before submitting a rent increase request, please review the following important information.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE OWNER/AUTHORIZED AGENT

- Rent Increase During the Initial Lease Term Rent increase changes must be requested in accordance with the Lease and must be made effective after the initial term of the lease.
- **60-day Notice Requirement** Request for rent increases must be submitted to the LACDA and the tenant *at least* 60-days prior to the effective date of the rent change.
- Ensure Sufficient Notice Is Provided. Rent increase notices must be submitted in writing to your tenant, with a copy to LACDA, at least 60 days in advance of the effective date of an increase, and attached to the Rent Increase Request Form. Please notify your tenant and the LACDA at the same time of your intent to increase the rent. AHA cannot approve an increase if we do not have a proper copy of your 60-day notice to your tenant. Requests received with less than 60- days' notice will be denied.
- Rent Roll If the unit is in a building with 2 or more units, the owner must attach a rent roll. A
 rent roll is the owner's up-to-date official ledger/list of all rental units in the building or complex.
 The rent roll must include each unit's address and apartment number, effective date of the
 current lease, rent amount, bedroom size, and indicate if the units are subsidized or
 unsubsidized.
- Wait for LACDA Approval Before Implementing the Increase. It is important to note that
 rent increases are not automatically approved. When requesting a rent increase, the LACDA
 must conduct a rent reasonableness review of the rental market area. The results of the review
 determine whether or not the request can be approved. This review generally takes an average
 of 30 days.

REVIEW OF RENTAL MARKET AREA

The LACDA will compare the information provided with information gathered from a third party rent comparable system to ensure the asking rent is reasonable in relation to current market rents charged by other owners for comparable units in the unassisted market.

For units located in a building with 2 or more units, LACDA will ensure that the asking rent is not higher than rents currently charged on recently leased unassisted tenants in the building.

SUBMISSION

While the LACDA recommends requests be submitted online via the owner portal, <u>haportal.lacda.org/Login</u>, requests may also be Faxed to the Alhambra main office - (626) 943-3850. Requests may be mailed to:

LACDA – Main Office

P.O. Box 1503

Alhambra, CA 91802

LACDA – Antelope Valley Office
2323 E. Palmdale Blvd., Ste. B
Palmdale, CA 93550

To expedite the request, please include a copy of the tenant's notice.



RENT INCREASE REQUEST FORM

Secondary Phone Number(s) Owner/Business Name Primary Phone Number(s) SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY OWNER/AUTHORIZED AGENT **Tenant Name Tenant ID Number Unit Address** Street Unit# City State Zip PART 1: REQUEST If this unit is subsidized, indicate the type of subsidy: **Effective Date:** ☐ Section 202 Tax Credit Home Section 515 Rural Development Section 221(d)(3)(BMIR) Section 236 (Insured or (Describe other subsidy, include noninsured) state or local subsidy) PART 2: UNIT INFORMATION **Unit Type** (check one) ☐ Single Family Detached □ Semi-Detached ☐ Rowhouse/Townhouse (one family under one roof) (Duplex, attached on one side) (attached on two sides) Low-Rise Apartment Building ☐ High-Rise Apartment Building **Manufactured Home** (4 stories or fewer) (5+stories) (mobile home) Condominium Shared Housing Room Square Footage Number of **Number of** Number of Half-Number of Units in **Bedrooms Bathrooms Bathrooms Building/Complex*** PART 3: AMENITIES & HOUSING SERVICES (Check one from each category where applicable) **Heating System: Cooling System:** ☐ Base Board Space Heater None Central Swamp Cooler ☐ Central ∃Window/Wall Radiator None Unknown ☐ Heat Pump ∃Boiler Unknown Other Window/Wall ☐ Other ิไFurnace Available Washer/Dryer Washer/Dryer Washer On-site Dryer Laundry Type: YES ☐ NO Hook-ups Only Laundry Provided Dishwasher: YES [NO] YES [Garbage Disposal: NO Microwave: YES [NO Swimming Pool: ☐ YES ☐ NO Ceiling Fans: □ YES □ NO Gated Community: NO ☐ YES ☐ 1-Carport 2-Carport 1-Car Garage 2-Car Garage Parking Type 3-Car Garage Assigned Unassigned 1-Space \square YES \square NO 2 Spaces 3+Spaces Street Covered Open Driveway None PART 4: PROPERTY OWNER CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that this information is subject to verification by the Los Angeles County Development Authority.

Signature

Date

Print your name