

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING

RESOLUTION NO. 5418

APPROVING CHANGES TO THE PUBLIC HOUSING ADMISSIONS AND CONTINUED OCCUPANCY POLICY RELATING TO IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PASSAGE POINT CONDITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, on August 8, 2003, the King County Housing Authority (KCHA) entered in an agreement with the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for participation in the Moving to Work (MTW) Demonstration Program; and,

WHEREAS, as a participant in the MTW program KCHA is authorized and encouraged to modify federal program regulations in order to develop policies, procedures and programs that increase housing choice for low income households; and,

WHEREAS, among the key initiatives of KCHA's FY 2013 MTW Plan is the implementation of the Passage Point Conditional Housing program in partnership with the YWCA; and,

WHEREAS, the program is intended to enable residents of Passage Point, a unique supportive housing program targeting a prisoner re-entry population with children in foster care, to graduate to more independent living within KCHA's Public Housing program while continuing to build family independence, housing stability and economic self-sufficiency; and

WHEREAS, in order to implement the program, a minor modification of KCHA's Public Housing Admissions and Continued Occupancy Policy (ACOP) is required to allow Passage Point residents who have achieved program goals (as documented by the YWCA) the ability to receive priority selection for a KCHA administered Public Housing unit; and

WHEREAS, implementation of these changes will ensure continuity of support for families as they transition toward self-sufficiency – while assisting KCHA's efforts to meet one of the key goals of the MTW demonstration; and

WHEREAS, Board approval to modify the Public Housing program's ACOP is required before KCHA can implement such changes;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING:

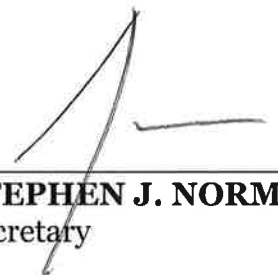
- (1.) The Board of Commissioners hereby approves implementation of the Passage Point Conditional Housing program; and,
- (2.) Authorizes the Housing Authority to make the necessary changes to the Public Housing ACOP in order to ensure efficient and successful program operation.

ADOPTED AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING THIS 28TH DAY OF JANUARY 2013.

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING, WASHINGTON



Doug Barnes, Chair
Board of Commissioners



STEPHEN J. NORMAN
Secretary