



ABC Housing Co-op

Personal Information Protection Statement

I agree that ABC Housing Co-op may collect and keep the following information about me:

- 1. Financial information to set initial housing charges based on household income. If I do not qualify for subsidy, the co-op will destroy this information one year after making that decision.
- 2. Financial information yearly to set housing charges based on household income
- 3. Eligibility information to qualify for the supplementary Home Owner Grant.
- 4. Co-op census information, including a record of all residents in each unit for security.
- 5. Relationship of co-applicant to applicant, dates of birth of applicant and all future occupants
- 6. Date of birth for purposes of conducting a credit check and reporting unpaid debts to a collection agency or credit bureau.
- 7. Whether I meet the age requirements for membership (16, 17, 18 or 19) as set out in the co-op's Rules

I agree that this personal information may be made available to people in the following positions, if the information is needed for their duties:

- 1. Co-op auditor
- 2. Employees of the Agency for Co-operative Housing or CMHC (Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation)
- 3. Municipal employees dealing with the Home Owner Grant (for grant application)
- 4. Co-op lawyer
- 5. Security committee (for co-op census information)
- 6. Co-op staff or management
- 7. Designated staff, committees, or directors who have designated official duties for:



- applications for membership:
- income review and setting housing charges:
- applications for the Home Owner Grant:
- collecting signatures for the Home Owner Grant:
- collecting co-op census information:
- credit checks:
- landlord and other reference checks:
- maintaining secure filing and storage of personal information (both hard copy and computer):
- 8. Board of directors only if it is in connection with the Board's official duties
- 9. Credit check agency (for credit check only when you first applied for membership)
- 10. General meeting only if it is relevant to an appeal, I make of a board decision.

I understand that ABC Housing Co-operative will use the information to:

- 1. Contact me about this application
- 2. Determine my eligibility for housing and membership in the Co-op
- 3. Establish the size of unit for my household, based on co-op occupancy standards
- 4. Decide if I qualify for subsidy and to calculate the subsidy and housing charges yearly
- 5. Determine eligibility for supplementary Home Owner Grant
- 6. Ensure safe evacuation of all household members in case of emergency
- 7. Conduct a credit check before accepting my application
- 8. Comply with the co-op's operating agreement or program rules with CMHC (Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation)
- 9. Decide on any request for an internal move



I understand that the co-op will destroy personal information that it no longer needs:

- One year after a decision was made for credit checks and for any information on inactive applicants.
- Seven years for financial information on members.

I have read and received a copy of this statement.	
Signed	Date

All members of the household 19 years of age and older must sign this statement.