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IHCDA Announces Change for Housing Choice Voucher Program in Fulton County

The Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority (IHCDA) began the administration of the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program in Fulton County as of January 1, 2015, following the closure of the Fulton County Housing Authority.

IHCDA has sub-contracted with the Peru Housing Authority to administer the 175 Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) program vouchers earmarked for Fulton County on behalf of IHCDA. The Peru Housing Authority was selected by IHCDA due to their close proximity to Fulton County and their proven ability to effectively administer the program. The Peru Housing Authority also serves Cass, Grant, Howard and Miami counties.

Area residents and landlords currently participating in the HCV program, on the waiting list or residents interested in learning more about the program may contact the Peru Housing Authority at (765) 473-6601.

The Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) program provides eligible households with vouchers to help pay the rent on privately owned houses or apartments of their choosing. The vouchers are generally administered and can be applied for through local housing authorities. The availability of the programs can differ from region to region. For more information, visit www.ihcda.in.gov/2333.htm.

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The Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority (IHCDA), chaired by Lt. Governor Ellspermann, provides housing opportunities, promotes self-sufficiency and strengthens communities in order to build an Indiana with a sustainable quality of life for all Hoosiers in the community of their choice. For more information, visit www.ihcda.in.gov or www.in.gov/myihcda.

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