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Fraud Alert

Fraudulent Service Charging to Sign up for Housing Assistance

(San Bernardino, CA) A fraudulent website “Section8programs.com” is charging prospective Housing Choice Voucher (commonly referred to as Section 8) applicants a \$15 “one-time registration” fee to submit an application for the program. This is a scam! Housing Authorities do not charge fees to apply to any of their affordable housing programs!

We urge our partners and program participants to please spread the news on this scam. Families who are in desperate need of affordable housing are being taken advantage of through scams like this.

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The Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino is one of the nation’s most progressive housing authorities. As the largest provider of affordable housing in the County, we proudly serve in excess of 30,000 people, most of whom are seniors, disabled individuals, and children. We also work on providing our families with the resources, skills, and motivation to achieve their personal goals. For more information on the Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino, please visit www.hacsb.com.