



City of Phoenix
Housing Department

2016 City of Phoenix Wait List Lottery Update

Thank you for your interest in the City of Phoenix Housing Choice Voucher Program.

The City of Phoenix opened its Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher wait list from August 8, 2016 to August 19, 2016 and received more than 27,000 pre-applications. In the next few weeks, the City will conduct a computerized lottery to select 10,000 pre-applications to be placed on the 2016 Section 8/HCV wait list. **For those who submitted more than one pre- application, only the first pre-application based on date and time will be entered into the lottery.**

The results of this lottery will be posted online at phoenix.gov/housing by October 31, 2016 and notification letters will be sent via the United States Postal Service (USPS) to all applicants who were selected for the lottery at the address they provided. The online posting of selected lottery pre-applications will be based on the confirmation receipt number you received. If you have lost your receipt number, you can verify your placement on the waitlist at waitlistcheck.com call (602) 262-7497 after the lottery results have been posted.

Applicants who are selected will be informed in writing that:

- Your application number has been selected in the wait list lottery;
- The estimated wait time before being contacted to determine full eligibility could be up to five years;
- Applicants are required to keep the Phoenix Section 8/HCV program up to date about changes to their contact information. If mail that has been sent to you is returned to the Housing Authority by the post office, your name may be removed from the wait list. [You may update your address by completing an Update Form.](#)

In the event the City of Phoenix opens its wait list in the future, all applicants who were not selected, and who wish to be considered in the future, must apply again in accordance with the terms outlined in such future openings of the wait list.