

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF SIGNIFICANT AMENDMENT
TO THE FIVE-YEAR AND ANNUAL PHA PLAN**

The North Chicago Housing Authority (NCHA) hereby provides notice of a proposed Significant Amendment to its Five-Year and Annual Public Housing Agency (PHA) Plan.

NCHA proposes to amend its plans to dispose of its Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) units and transfer associated housing assistance to the Lake County Housing Authority (LCHA), subject to approval by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). This includes 471 Housing Choice Vouchers (HCV), 70 Veteran Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH), 5 Family Unification Program Vouchers (FUP) and the Family Self-Sufficiency Program (FSS) along with the corresponding Annual Budget Authority, Administrative Fees and supporting grant funds.

Purpose of the Amendment:

The proposed Significant Amendment will allow NCHA to reposition its housing portfolio through the disposition of its ACC units and the transfer of assistance to LCHA. This action is intended to ensure continuity of housing assistance for current residents, improve administrative efficiency, and support long-term program sustainability.

Public Review Period:

The proposed Significant Amendment to the Five-Year and Annual PHA Plan will be available for public review for a period of at least 45 days, beginning on March 25, 2026.

The documents will be available for review at:

- NCHA Administrative Offices: 1440 Jackson St. North Chicago IL, 60064
- NCHA Website: <https://northchicagohousing.org/>

Public Hearing:

Two public hearings will be held to receive comments on the proposed Significant Amendment:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Thursday, May 14, 2026, at <u>10:00 a.m.</u>
Kukla Tower
1440 Jackson St.
North Chicago IL 60064 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Thursday, May 14, 2026, at <u>1:00 p.m.</u>
Lake County Housing Authority
33928 N. US HWY 45.
Grayslake IL 60030 |
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All interested persons are encouraged to attend and provide comments. Written comments may also be submitted during the public review period to:

North Chicago Housing Authority
publiccomment@lakecountyha.org or by leaving a message at (847) 223-1170 ext. 2320.

Resident Consultation:

NCHA will conduct resident consultation in accordance with HUD requirements. Residents affected by the proposed disposition will receive notice and opportunities to provide input.

Accommodations:

Persons requiring reasonable accommodation, including language assistance or auxiliary aids, should contact NCHA at 847-223-1170 at least 5 business days in advance of the hearing.

Equal Housing Opportunity

This notice is published in accordance with HUD requirements governing Significant Amendments to the PHA Five-Year and Annual Plans.