

Chapter 11

Special Programs

AHFC encourages residents to actively participate in the overall mission of public housing, create a positive living environment, and improve the quality of life at each housing site. This chapter specifies the various ways residents can provide comments to AHFC, suggest improvements, and develop activities to promote stronger resident communities.

1. Tenant Participation

HUD and AHFC encourage resident participation and the active involvement of residents in creating a positive living environment and actively participating in the overall mission of public housing. Residents have a right to organize and elect a resident council to represent their interests. See Tenant Participation in this section.

2. Tenant Opportunities Program

AHFC does not receive this type of funding.

3. Family Investment Centers

AHFC operates three family investment centers, but no longer receives funding specifically for this activity. Regulations at 24 CFR 964.300 no longer apply to AHFC.

4. Resident Board Members

AHFC has a Resident Advisory Board that provides input to AHFC decisions relating to the administration, operation, and management of federal public housing and Section 8 tenant-based rental assistance programs. See Resident Advisory Board in this section.

5. Designated Housing Plans

AHFC has a designated housing plan for its Chugach Manor property. See Chugach Manor Designated Housing Plan in this section.