

# **CommunityDevelopmentAuthority**

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**TO:** CDA Board

**FROM:** Deborah Rakowski, Housing Operations Manager

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**SUBJECT:** Housing Operations Report

#### **COVID Response & Recovery**

- All CDA offices have continued to be closed to the public and we will continue to follow
  guidance from our local public health department and the City of Madison. CDA administrative
  staff, including Section 8 Housing Specialists, continue to telework and are available via phone
  or email.
- Polling Locations CDA staff have contacted the Dane County League of Women's Voters and
  the City of Madison Clerk's office to begin preparations for the November election. We are
  currently planning to open polling locations at East Madison Community Center and Romnes
  Apartments but to keep the location at Brittingham Apartments closed. Staff have begun work of
  providing an update to residents and providing information to residents on how to obtain an
  absentee ballot.
- On Tuesday, September 1, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention along with the Department of Health and Human Services announced a new order to stop residential evictions to halt the spread of COVID-19. This new order was published on Friday, September 4<sup>th</sup> and is scheduled to last until December 31 unless extended. At the time of the writing of this report, HUD has not yet released any new guidance to housing authorities regarding this new order. The new order institutes a temporary eviction moratorium but does not prevent the charging of any fees or penalties from tenants and allows for evictions for criminal behavior and behavior, which threatens the health and safety of other residents. In addition, residents are still required to continue to pay rent.

### **Other Updates**

- The HUD Milwaukee Field Office has approved the CDA's Section 18 disposition application to reposition the subsidy on 32 units of Public Housing to the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program. The application was approved on August 26<sup>th</sup>. CDA staff are now working to submit the application to the HUD Special Applications Center.
- Congratulations to the East Site Office staff and the Admissions and Eligibility staff who together reached 100% occupancy in the East AMP in the month of June 2020. The East AMP

averaged 83% occupancy since 2016 primarily due to the Rapid Rehousing program at Wright Street Townhomes, which counted as 28 vacant units in HUD reporting for a period of 2 years. Since 2016, these staff have worked to fill what was a 4-year average of 27 vacant units. In August 2020, all Amps (277 units total) managed by the East Site Office were 100% occupied. A photo of the East Site Office staff is below.



L to R: Brett Seiberlich (Maintenance Worker), Curt Dahl (Custodian), Larry Yszenga (Maintenance Coordinator), Kenia Mancillas-Herrera (Resident Assistance Clerk), DeWayne Johnson (Grounds Custodian), Melissa Steinmann (Program Assistant), Janet Corcoran (East Site Manager)

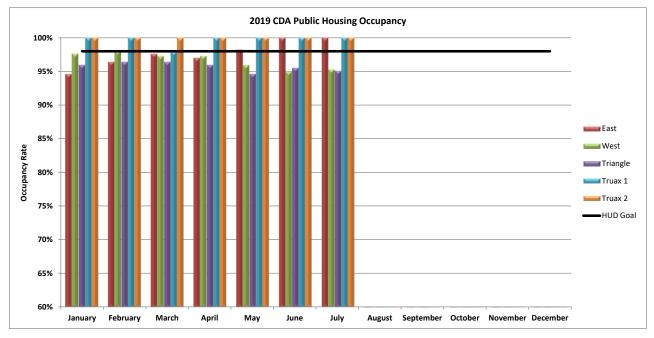
## **2020 Occupancy Report - CDA Housing Operations**



Low-Rent	<b>Public</b>	Housing
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		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
HUE	Occupancy Goal	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
AMP 200 - East	Total ACC Units	166	166	166	166	166	166	166	166	166	166	166	166
	Vacant Units	9	6	4	5	3	0	0					
	Occupancy Rate	94.58%	96.39%	97.59%	96.99%	98.19%	100.00%	100.00%					
AMP 300 -West	Total ACC Units	297	297	297	297	297	297	297	297	297	297	297	297
	Vacant Units	7	6	8	8	12	15	14					
	Occupancy Rate	97.64%	97.98%	97.31%	97.31%	95.96%	94.95%	95.29%					
AMP 400 - Triangle	Total ACC Units	224	224	224	224	224	224	224	224	224	224	224	224
	Vacant Units	9	8	8	9	12	10	11					
	Occupancy Rate	95.98%	96.43%	96.43%	95.98%	94.64%	95.54%	95.09%					
AMP 500 -Truax 1	Total ACC Units	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47
	Vacant Units	0	0	1	0	0	0	0					
	Occupancy Rate	100.00%	100.00%	97.87%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%					
AMP 600 - Truax 2	Total ACC Units	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
223	Vacant Units	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
		-	-		-	-	100.00%	100.00%					
	Occupancy Rate	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%					

<sup>\*</sup> HUD Approved Units off-line for modernization



### Section 8 Project-Based Voucher Program

		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Truax Phase 1	Total Units	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
	Vacant Units	3	4	2	3	3	2	1					
	Occupancy Rate	87.50%	83.33%	91.67%	87.50%	87.50%	91.67%	95.83%					

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Parkside	Total Units	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
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	Vacant Units	5	4	3	2	2	1	1					
	Occupancy Rate	94.79%	95.83%	96.88%	97.92%	97.92%	98.96%	98.96%					
Karabis	Total Units	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
	Vacant Units	0	0	1	1	1	1	2					
	Occupancy Rate	100.00%	100.00%	95.00%	95.00%	95.00%	95.00%	90.00%					

### **2020 Housing Choice Voucher Utilization Report**



	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
ACC Vouchers Total Funding Available (Monthly)	1910 1,224,379	1915 1,244,617	1915 1,244,617	1915 1,244,617	1915 1,244,617	1915 1,244,617	1915 1,244,617					
Homeownership Family Unification (FUP)	39 71	39 72	39 75	39 71	41 70	40 73	39 67					
Portable Vouchers Tenant Protection Vouchers	17	13	33 25	18	22 25	26 25	24 24					
Veterans Affairs Supported Housing (VASH) All Other Vouchers	155 1360	168 1367	154 1410	165 1406	164 1391	157 1403	176 1375					
Total Vouchers  Voucher Utlization Rate	1642 86%	1659 87%	1736 91%	1699 89%	1713 89%	1724 90%	1705 89%					
Total Housing Assistance Payments (HAP)	1,109,918 91%	1,137,577 91%	1,193,117 96%	1,172,819 94%	1,215,111 98%	1,233,221 99%	1,245,209 100%					
Per Unit Cost (PUC)	676	686	687	690	709	715	730					
Project Based Vouchers Leased Total Project Based Vouchers Available	179 202	190 202	185 202	187 202	185 202	185 202	189 202					
PBV Utilization Rate	89%	94%	92%	93%	92%	92%	94%					

