

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
FAIR HOUSING TASK FORCE COMMITTEE MEETING**

**Tuesday, September 4, 2012 – 3:30 PM
Two Civic Center Plaza
Eighth Floor Conference Room**

A G E N D A

1. Roll Call and Confirmation of a Quorum
2. Analysis of Type A Accessible Units – Survey Instrument Review
Presentation: Roberto Tinajero, Assistant Director
and
Lisa M Tomaka, MS, MPA
Institute for Policy and Economic Development
(IPED)
The University of Texas at El Paso
3. Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice – El Paso
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Determination of Task Force Process to Address Impediments to
Fair Housing Choice
4. Other Business
5. Discussion and Approval of the Next Meeting Date

If you have any questions, please contact Rhoda Tillman at 541-4666

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2012 Survey of Type A Accessible Multi-family Dwelling Units

The Institute for Policy and Economic Development at UTEP is conducting a short survey about the availability of ADA Type A accessible dwelling units in apartment complexes. **Your participation in this survey is completely voluntary and all answers will be kept confidential.** Your feedback is very valuable to better understand the current market conditions of ADA Type A accessible dwelling units. This survey takes about ten minutes of your time to complete. **Please complete this survey and return it in the postage-paid envelope.** If you have any questions regarding this survey, please contact Roberto Tinajero at 747-5096 or at rtinajero@utep.edu

Your time and participation in this effort are greatly appreciated!

1. Please provide the zip code in which you currently reside and the year you were born.

ZIP Code _____

Year you were born _____

2. Including yourself, how many persons live in your place of residence?

☐ 1

☐ 2

☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ 6 or more

3. Please select the option below that best describes your current place of residence.

☐ Rent a House

☐ Rent a Condominium or Townhouse

☐ Rent an Apartment

☐ Rent a Mobile Home

☐ Own a House

☐ Own a Condominium or Townhouse

☐ Own a Mobile Home

☐ Don't Know

4. Please indicate your YEARLY HOUSEHOLD income.

☐ \$10,000 or Less

☐ \$10,001 to \$20,000

☐ \$20,001 to \$30,000

☐ \$30,001 to \$40,000

☐ \$40,001 to \$50,000

☐ \$50,001 to \$60,000

☐ \$60,001 to \$70,000

☐ \$70,001 to \$80,000

☐ \$80,001 to \$90,000

☐ \$90,001 to \$100,000

☐ Over \$100,000

☐ Don't Know

5. Do you require personal assistance or the assistance of a walking aid (for example: wheelchair, walker, crutches, cane) to move from place to place?

☐ Yes → Skip to Question 8

☐ No

6. If NO, are you responsible for a person that requires personal assistance or the assistance of a walking aid (for example: wheelchair, walker, crutches, cane) to move from place to place?

☐ Yes → Please CONTINUE
with Question 7

☐ No → Please STOP. This concludes the survey.
Thank you for your Participation!

7. How old is the person you are responsible for? _____

8. *In general, a dwelling unit is considered "accessible" if it has routes and doorways throughout that are usable by a person in a wheelchair, grab bars or reinforced walls in the bathrooms, lower counters, and reachable light switches, outlets, and controls.*

Based on the previous characteristics, do you consider your place of residence to be accessible?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Not Sure

9. *In general, Type A accessible dwelling units must have bathtubs and showers with a permanent seat against the wall or a removable in-tub or in-shower seat. In addition, they must have showerheads mounted on an adjustable vertical bar with a hose.*

Based on the previous characteristics, do you consider your place of residence to be a Type A accessible unit?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Not Sure

10. Would you consider moving into a Type A accessible apartment?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Not Sure

11. If you consider moving into a Type A accessible apartment, in what zip code would you prefer to live?

Preferred ZIP Code _____

12. If you consider moving into a Type A accessible apartment, what kind of unit would best meet your needs?

☐ Studio / One Bedroom

☐ Two Bedrooms

☐ Three or More Bedrooms

13. What is the MAIN REASON you would NOT consider living in a Type A accessible apartment?

Thank you for your participation!