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### **Boulder Housing Partners Opens Lottery for Housing Choice Program**

Boulder, CO--Boulder Housing Partners (BHP) will open a lottery for the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program on February 11, 2015. Applicants will be accepted online only at [www.boulderhousing.org](http://www.boulderhousing.org).

BHP currently manages more than 850 Section 8 Housing Choice vouchers in Boulder. Program participants rent from a private landlord and pay approximately 30 to 40 percent of their income in monthly rent. BHP pays the remainder of the rent through federal subsidies.

The lottery will open at 9 a.m. on February 11 and close at 4 p.m. on February 13. Computers are available at local libraries. Computers will also be available during the lottery opening at the BHP main office at 4800 Broadway, Boulder Co 80304. Winning lottery numbers will be posted on March 12 on the BHP website ([www.boulderhousing.org](http://www.boulderhousing.org)), on the main office front door and in the Boulder Daily Camera.

BHP provides assistance to nearly 2,000 households in the City of Boulder. Residents include area workers, seniors, families and people with disabilities. Housing selection priorities are first to applicants who live or work within the city limits of Boulder, or households with an adult who attends school full-time within the city limits of Boulder. From this group, selection priority goes to applicants who are elderly, are living with a disability, or are members of families with children. Applicants who are not living, working, or have an adult household member attending school full-time within the city limits of Boulder and are single-person households (not disabled or 62 and over) will not be selected.

**About Boulder Housing Partners:** Boulder Housing Partners is the housing authority serving the City of Boulder since 1966. BHP builds, owns, and manages quality affordable housing for low and moderate-income Boulder residents, and helps those residents pursue successful, productive, and dignified lives. BHP is one of only 35 public housing authorities in the United States participating in the prestigious [Moving to Work](#) program, which encourages innovation by providing flexibility in the use of federal funds.

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