August 6, 2020

Dear RCHA tenants and Healthy Home participants,

Are you a senior and would like to receive free locally-grown produce once a week during the growing season? If so, contact Josh Wanstreet at 304-940-4096 or at jwanstreet@rchawv.org by August 13 for more information.

The Healthy Home program is resuming home visits by request. Visits will require staff and participants to wear masks and visits can be arranged to be held in community rooms or in participants’ residences at their choosing. To arrange a home visit contact Rosanna Williams at 304-642-5423 or Josh Wanstreet. If you or someone else in your household are sick please stay home and contact your doctor for medical advice.

For tenants that receive rental assistance through Section 8, they should report income changes directly to Section 8 as soon as they are aware of the change or if they will have trouble paying for utilities. For more information call Michelle Teter at 304-636-6495 ext. 18 or 304-642-5160.

As a reminder, if you do not have transportation or any other way to acquire essential items such as food, prescription re-fills, toilet paper or other hygiene products please contact us and we will do what we can to help you. For more information contact Josh Wanstreet at 304-940-4096.

The RCHA has launched the Randolph WORC program. The program offers training opportunities to unemployed and under-employed residents of Randolph County. It is focused on three high-growth industries in the region: Health Care Services, Wood Product Manufacturing and Construction. For more information call 304-940-4596 or visit the site online at https://www.randolphworc.com/

YouthBuild North Central West Virginia located in Elkins is hiring. Do you know someone 16-24 years old who would like to earn their high school diploma equivalency (TASC) and/or receive job training skills in construction or healthcare while getting paid to do so? For more information visit http://youthbuildncwv.org/about-us/ or call 304-637-9008.

Feed the City is held at the Railyard Restaurant in Elkins on the last Tuesday of every month offering a fresh meal, from 4:30pm until the food runs out (weather permitting). For more information call 304-637-4563.
The West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources has a COVID-19 hotline for information about the pandemic and updates at 1-800-887-4304 or visit their website https://dhhr.wv.gov/COVID-19/Pages/default.aspx

Country Roads Transit in Randolph County is currently only offering Demand Response pickup requests. Call 304-636-6472 with at least 24 hrs. in advance to arrange being picked up. Additionally, the RCHA has Country Roads travel vouchers available upon request for those needing transportation for shopping or medical appointments. Contact Josh Wanstreet at 304-940-4096 to request vouchers.

Davis Medical Center is offering drive-thru COVID-19 testing to the public Monday through Saturday from 8:30am – 4pm. Call 304-636-3300 for more information.

Valley Health Care Inc. is offering COVID-19 testing to the public at its Elkins and Mill Creek locations Monday through Friday 8am – 4pm. Call 304-636-0133 for more information.

The CDC recommends that people wear masks in public settings and when around people who don’t live in your household, especially when other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain. Masks may help prevent people who have COVID-19 from spreading the virus to others. Masks are most likely to reduce the spread of COVID-19 when they are widely used by people in public settings. Masks should NOT be worn by children under the age of 2 or anyone who has trouble breathing, is unconscious, incapacitated, or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.

Pneumococcal disease can cause severe infections of the lungs (pneumonia), bloodstream (bacteremia), and lining of the brain and spinal cord (meningitis). Vaccines are the best way to prevent pneumococcal disease. Talk to your clinician to make sure you are up to date on these and other recommended vaccines.

If you would like to receive future newsletters and updates through email please contact Josh Wanstreet at jwanstreet@rchawv.org

Try to be a rainbow in someone's cloud.  
~ Maya Angelou
FREE TRAINING

Registration is Now Open To Attend the September Wood Manufacturing Technician Certification Class

Contact Trecie at 304-940-3966
Website: www.randolphworc.com/

Information session dates and times are:
August 4th @ 10 a.m. August 6th @ 1 p.m.
August 8th @ 10 a.m. August 11th at 5 p.m

Why Take This Training?

- Learn Skills required in Wood Product Manufacturing
- Learn What It takes to be a good employee at the local wood product companies
- Earn Industry certifications, Like OSHA 10, CPR/First AID
- Learn How to Use Common Wood Industry Tools