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Housing Choice Voucher Wait List Opening Announcement

On **Tuesday, March 24, 2020 at 8:00 a.m.** the Housing Authority of the County of Merced (Authority) will open the wait list and begin accepting online applications for the Housing Choice Voucher program until the closing of the wait list at on **Friday, April 3, 2020** at 4:00 p.m. at which time applications will not be accepted.

When: **March 24, 2020 at 8:00 a.m.** the wait list opens and the Authority will begin accepting preapplications online only thru **April 3, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.**

Where: Applications may only be submitted **ONLINE** by visiting the Authority's website application portal at **www.merced-pha.com**, select the **Applicant Portal Login** link to access the Online Application System, and **select the link that says "Click here to register and apply for a waiting list."**

What You Need: A valid email account is required to register online. Applicants who already have an account may access the preapplication by logging into their existing account and applying from there.

Submitting duplicate preapplications does not increase the chances of being selected from the wait list. Only submit 1 preapplication.

Once the preapplication has been accepted, a confirmation email will be delivered to the registered email address. **Please save the number as your receipt of the preapplication submission.**

Persons with disabilities who need assistance must contact the Authority to request a reasonable accommodation prior to the close of the wait list.

CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENT

On **April 3, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.**, the Authority will be closing its **Low-Income Public Housing (LIPH)** and its **Project Based Voucher (PBV) program(s)** wait lists. Preapplications will be accepted for these programs until that time.

