

**PHILADELPHIA HOUSING AUTHORITY
SECTION 3 RESIDENCY
SELF-CERTIFICATION FORM
FORM - 6**

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete this form to verify your qualification as a Section 3 resident.

1) I, _____, am a legal resident of the City of (PRINT NAME) Philadelphia and am either a resident of Philadelphia Housing Authority ("PHA") housing or meet the income eligibility guidelines for a low or very low income person, as set forth on the next page.

2) **I certify that I am a Section 3 resident because (check all that apply):**

I am a PHA resident and my Client ID # is: _____, or

I am City of Philadelphia resident who lives within ½ mile radius of a site where Section 3 contracted work is being performed; there are a total of _____ people living in my household and with my total annual household income is \$_____.

3) My home address and phone number are:

(MUST BE A **STREET** ADDRESS NOT A P.O. BOX #) (APT. NUMBER)

(PHA SITE NAME – IF APPLICABLE)

(CITY) (STATE) (ZIP) (HOME TEL.) (CELL NO.)

4) The last four digits of my social security number are: _____

I certify that all of the information given above is true and correct. If found to be inaccurate, I understand that I may be disqualified as an applicant and/or a certified Section 3 individual which may be grounds for termination of training, employment, or contracts that resulted from this certification. I attest under penalty of perjury that my total household income annually, based on my total household size as listed above is at or below the income amount for that specific size at the time of this document is being signed. I understand that proof of this statement may be requested in the future.

SECTION 3 HUD INCOME LIMITS (Effective 7/22/14)

All residents of public housing developments of the Philadelphia Housing Authority qualify as Section 3 residents.* Additionally, individuals residing in the City of Philadelphia within a ½ mile radius of a site where Section 3 contracted work is being performed, who meet the income limits set forth below, can also qualify for Section 3 status

Eligibility Guideline		
Number in Household	Very Low Income	Low Income
1 individual	\$ 27,600	\$ 44,150
2 individuals	\$ 31,550	\$ 50,450
3 individuals	\$ 35,500	\$ 56,750
4 individuals	\$ 39,400	\$ 63,050
5 individuals	\$ 42,600	\$ 68,100
6 individuals	\$ 45,750	\$ 73,150
7 individuals	\$ 48,900	\$ 78,200
8 individuals	\$ 52,050	\$ 83,250

* Section 3 is a provision in the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. Section 1701u and 24 C.F.R. Section 135.1). Its purpose is to ensure that economic opportunities, to the greatest extent feasible, are given to low and very low-income persons, particularly to recipients of government housing assistance. Section 3 job opportunities relate to new hiring due to contracts with PHA. Section 3 residents are PHA residents, or persons who live within ½ mile radius where a Section 3 contract is being performed and who have a household income that is low income or very low income under HUD's income limits.

For Strawberry 3 Section 3 Job Bank applicants: a version of this form is available online and can be completed electronically when you register. If you are completing this form in hard copy, please return this form by mail or in person to:

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