



OREGON HOUSING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

November 3, 2009

**NOTICE OF:
THE AMENDMENT OF OREGON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES FOR THE
INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNT (813-300)
and
PUBLIC HEARING**

Purpose of Notice

Oregon Housing and Community Services (OHCS) intends to adopt permanent amendments to the Oregon Administrative Rules for the Individual Development Accounts (IDAs). The proposed amendments will revise the application and approval process for the fund and will eliminate a redundant rule.

This notice is to advise you:

- That these rules are available for public review and comment,
- Where you can obtain a copy of these rules,
- Who to contact to obtain additional information, and
- How to provide comments on the rules and the date, time and location for the public hearing.

OHCS invites persons interested in commenting on the on the proposed rules to attend a public hearing or provide written comments on the proposed rulemaking to the department. The department will also solicit options that should be considered for achieving the rule's substantial goals while reducing any potential negative economic impact of the rules on business (ORS 183.335(2)(b)(G)).

Where can I obtain a copy of these rules?

You may obtain a copy of these rules on Oregon Housing and Community Services Department's website: http://www.ohcs.oregon.gov/OHCS/COM_PublicNotices.shtml#Public_Hearings

A copy may also be requested by contacting Sandy McDonnell at 503.986-2012, by email at sandy.mcdonnell@hcs.state.or.us, or in writing at the following address:

Sandy McDonnell
Administrative Services Manager
Oregon Housing and Community Services Department
North Mall Office Building
725 Summer Street NE, Suite B
Salem OR 97301-1266

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When will be the public comment period end?

Comments on the proposed rulemaking will be accepted through December 22, 2009 at 5:00 p.m.

How can I submit comments?

Comments can be submitted:

- In person during the public hearing on December 21, 2009 @ 2:00 p.m.
- In writing, sent to the attention of Sandy McDonnell at the above address.
- By email to loren.shultz@hcs.state.or.us.

Public Hearing - Location, Date and Time

Oregon Housing and Community Services Department will conduct a public hearing concerning this rulemaking action on:

December 21, 2009 at 2:00 p.m.

Oregon Housing and Community Services
North Mall Office Building
725 Summer Street NE
Conference Room 124B
Salem, OR 97301-1266

The location for the public hearing is accessible for persons with disabilities. If you need assistance to participate in the public hearing, please contact Sandy McDonnell@ 503.986-2012, sandy.mcdonnell@hcs.state.or.us, at least two days prior to the meeting.

Information on the Proposed Rules

For information on the proposed amendments to the rules, contact Loren Shultz, at 503.986-2008, by email at loren.shultz@hcs.state.or.us or in writing at the above address.

Attachments

- Notice of Proposed Rulemaking Hearing
- Statement of Need and Fiscal Impact