

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS
TO ALL RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF TAMPA AND HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY
REGIONAL ASSESSMENT OF FAIR HOUSING**

The City of Tampa, Hillsborough County, and the Tampa Housing Authority are in the process of drafting an Assessment of Fair Housing (AFH). The AFH is an analysis of fair housing data, fair housing issues and contributing factors, and an identification of fair housing priorities and goals to affirmatively further fair housing in the region as required under the federal Fair Housing Act and local Human Rights Ordinances.

Entitlement communities and public housing authorities are required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development(HUD) to complete an AFH every five years. The City, County, and the THA are required to take meaningful actions, to combat discrimination, to overcome patterns of segregation, and to foster inclusive communities free from barriers that restrict access to opportunity based on race, color, religion, sex, familial status, national origin, disability, age, sexual orientation, or gender identity/expression.

The City and County will hold public meetings to inform residents about the AFH as well as provide an opportunity for all to participate in the fair housing planning process and provide feedback on fair housing issues in the region.

Upcoming Public Meetings

Date/Time	City of Tampa	Hillsborough County
Monday September 26, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.	West Tampa Library 2312 W. Union St. Tampa, FL 33607	Town & Country Regional Public Library 7606 Paula Drive Tampa, FL 33615-4116
Tuesday September 27, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.	Hyde Park United Methodist Church 500 W. Platt St. Tampa, FL 33606	Bruton Memorial Library 302 W McLendon Street Plant City, FL 33563
Wednesday September 28, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.	University Area Community Development Corporation 14013 N. 22 nd St. Tampa, FL 33613	
Thursday September 29, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.	Cyrus Greene Community Center 2101 E. MLK Blvd. Tampa, FL 33601	Hillsborough County SouthShore Community Resource Center 201 14 th Avenue SE Ruskin, FL 33570

Persons living and working in Tampa and Hillsborough County are encouraged to attend and provide input. Anyone unable to attend these meetings but wishing to make their views known may do so by submitting written comments to:

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In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and ss 286.26, Florida Statutes, the public meetings will be held in locations that are accessible to persons with disabilities. Reasonable accommodations will be made for individuals with disabilities or persons with Limited English Proficiency requiring auxiliary aids or services. Persons needing a special accommodation to participate in any proceeding should contact City Clerk's office for assistance at least five (5) working days prior to the meeting date; if hearing impaired, telephone the Florida Relay Service Numbers, (800) 955-8771 (TDD) or (800) 955-8700(v) for assistance please call 813-274-8397.