Authorization for the Release of Information PHA requesting release of information: David City Housing Auth. Friend Housing Auth. Gresham Housing Auth. Stromsburg Housing Auth. 1125 3rd Street 1027 2<sup>nd</sup> Street 120 Maud St - PO Box 224 517 E 7<sup>th</sup> St #100 David City, NE 68632 Friend, NE 68359 Gresham, NE 68367 Stromsburg, NE 68666 Authority: 42 U.S.C. 14371 and 3535(d), implemented at Failure to Sign Consent Form: Your failure to sign the consent form may result in the denial of eligibility or termination of 24CFR 982.551(b). assisted housing benefits, or both. Denial of eligibility or Purpose: In signing this consent form, you are authorizing termination of benefits is subject to the HA's grievance procedures HUD and the above-named HA to request information and Section 8 informal review and hearing procedures. including but not limited to: identity and marital status, employment income, welfare income, assets, residences Sources of Information: The groups or individuals that may be and rental activity, Medical or Child Care Allowances, asked to release the authorized information include but are not Credit and Criminal Activity. HUD and the HA need this limited to: information to verify your eligibility for assisted housing benefits and that these benefits are set at the correct level. Previous Landlords (including Public Housing Agencies) HUD and the HA may participate in computer matching Courts and Post Offices programs with these sources in order to verify your eligibility and level of benefits. Schools and Colleges Law Enforcement Agencies Uses of Information to be Obtained: HUD is required to protect the information it obtains in accordance with the Support and Alimony Providers Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. HUD may disclose Past and Present Employers information (other than tax return information) for certain routine uses, such as to other government agencies for law Welfare Agencies enforcement purposes, to Federal agencies for State Unemployment Agencies employment suitability purposes and to HAs for the purpose of determining housing assistance. The HA is also Social Security Administration required to protect the information it obtains in accordance Medical and Child Care Providers with any applicable State privacy law. HUD and HA employees may be subject to penalties for unauthorized Veterans Administration disclosures or improper uses of the information that is Retirement Systems obtained based on the consent form. Banks and other Financial Institutions Who Must Sign the Consent Form: Each member of your Credit Providers and Credit Bureaus household who is 18 years of age or older must sign the consent form. Additional signatures must be obtained from **Utility Companies** new adult members joining the household or whenever members of the household become 18 years of age. Consent: I consent to allow HUD or the HA to request and obtain any information form any Federal, State, or local agency, organization, business, or individual for the purpose of verifying my eligibility and level of benefits under HUD's assisted housing programs. I understand that Has that receive information under this consent form cannot use it to deny, reduce or terminate assistance without first independently verifying the information obtained. In addition, I must be given an opportunity to contest those determinations. This consent form expires 15 months after signed.

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Head of Household	Date	Social Security Number (if any) of He	ad of Household
Other Family Member	Date	Other Family Member over age 18	Date
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Penalties for Misusing this Consent:

HUD, the HA and any owner (or any employee of HUD, the HA or the owner) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information collected based on the consent form. Use of the information collected based on this form is restricted to the purposes cited above. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or participant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than \$5,000. any applicant or participant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD, the HA or the owner responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.