

## Motion to Approve

### Debt Write-Off from Former State Public Housing Tenants Owing

**WHEREAS**, on a bi-annual basis the Massachusetts Department of Housing & Community Development encourages housing authority's to write-off the debts of former tenants that have separated from their lease that still have a balance owed to the local housing authority; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fitchburg Housing Authority's accounting records lists twenty (20) former tenants from June to December 2021 that owe the authority \$ 22,905.33 in uncollected rent, fees fines and assorted charges (See Attachment); and




**WHEREAS**, the FHA has determined that such uncollected rents, fees, fines and charges are uncollectable and would not be cost-effective to collect such funds.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Fitchburg Housing Authority – in accordance with DHCD's established policies and practices hereby writes off the attached list of debts as being uncollectible.


Board Members Present: 4 Members Absent 1 Quorum (Three Members): yes (Yes / No)

Votes for Approval 4 Votes Denying Motion 0 Abstentions: 0

Signatures of Fitchburg Housing Authority Members Approving this Motion:

  
David L. Rogerson  
  
Daniel W. Bushman  
  
Linda Byrne, Chair

26 Jan 22  
Date

  
Douglas M. Bushman  
Executive Director & Board Secretary

26 JAN 22  
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