

FAIR HOUSING POLICY STATEMENT

Equal housing opportunity for all persons, regardless of race, color, national origin, religion, age, sex, familial status, marital status, or disability, is a fundamental policy of Copper Country Habitat for Humanity. Copper Country Habitat for Humanity is committed to diligence in assuring equal housing opportunity and nondiscrimination to all aspects of its housing financing activities. Copper Country Habitat for Humanity has an ethical as well as legal imperative to work aggressively to ensure that Copper Country Habitat for Humanity financed housing programs comply fully with all state, and federal fair housing laws.

If you believe you are the victim of housing discrimination you can contact the **Michigan Department of Civil Rights** at <u>http://www.michigan.gov/mdcr/1,1607,7-138-4953-6202--,00.html</u> or call their Fair Housing hotline number at 1-800-482-3604.

You may also contact the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development at <u>http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/housing/file.htm</u> or call their Housing Discrimination hotline number at 1-800-669-9777.

Michigan Fair Housing Agencies: Fair Housing Center of Metropolitan Detroit 1249 Washington Blvd Suite 1312 Detroit, MI 48226 (313) 963-1274 / (313) 963-4817 fax

Fair Housing Center of Greater Grand Rapids

1514 wealthy Street, SE, Suite 226 Grand Rapids, MI 49506 (616) 451-2980 / (616) 451-2657 fax

Fair Housing Center of Southeastern Michigan P.O. Box 7825

Ann Arbor, MI 48107 (724) 994-3426 / (734) 665-2974 fax

Fair Housing Alliance of Mid-Michigan

209 East Washington, Suite 234 Jackson, MI 48903 (517) 788-4275 / (517) 780-4774 fax

Housing Center of Southwest Michigan 323 North Burdick Kalamazoo, MI 49007 (616) 276-9100 / (6160 276-9101 fax Additional Resources: Fair Housing Act as Amended (Title VIII) http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/housing/title8.htm

Frequently asked questions about the Fair Housing Act http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/housing/faq.htm

HUD's Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/aboutfheo/aboutfh eo.cfm

National Fair Housing Advocate www.fairhousing.com

People with Disabilities http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/disabilities/sect50 4.cfm http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/disabilities/index.c fm http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/adahom1.htm

Accessibility Requirements for Buildings http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/disabilities/accessibilityR.cfm

