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## City Seeks Feedback on the Assessment of Fair Housing

Harrisonburg, Va. – The city of Harrisonburg, along with the Harrisonburg Redevelopment and Housing Authority (HRHA), is asking residents to provide feedback on the assessment of fair housing.

On Tuesday, August 9, a public hearing was held at Harrisonburg’s city council meeting. The draft plan for the assessment of fair housing was presented to the community and available [online](#) to review.

The assessment of fair housing is a legal requirement that both the city and HRHA must complete in order to continue receiving federal housing and community development funding. This document contains an analysis of fair housing data, an assessment of issues and contributing factors, and an identification of fair housing priorities and goals specific to Harrisonburg.

After reviewing this document, members of the public have several ways to submit comments for the draft plan.

A discussion on this topic has been posted to [Be Heard Harrisonburg](#), which serves as a public forum where the community is invited to engage in conversation with the city and other residents. To participate in this discussion, click on the discussion on the homepage or click on “discussions” at the top of the webpage.

Other ways to submit comments are by email to [Kristin.McCombe@harrisonburgva.gov](mailto:Kristin.McCombe@harrisonburgva.gov); by mail to the City Manager’s office at 409 S. Main St., Harrisonburg, VA 22801; or by phone to Kristin McCombe at 540-432-8826.

The city will accept all comments on the assessment of fair housing until September 23.

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