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COVID-19 The Path Moving Forward

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Dear Residents and Community Partners:

Let me say first of all, we hope your family has been safe over the last several months and thank you for your patience with the staff of the Anniston Housing Authority (AHA), as we have endeavored to provide services in a safe and responsible manner.

This notice is to announce our plan to reopen to the general public on **Tuesday, September 8, 2020.**

The hours of operation will be as follows:

Monday - Thursday: 8:00am - 5:00pm (closed for lunch from 12pm-1pm)

Friday: 8:00am -12:00pm

In the next few days, you will be receiving a special edition of the AHA Newsletter, 'The Informer', which will provide you with the precautions we have already taken and additional actions we will be taking over the next several months.

The Housing Authority has reviewed federal, state and local regulations in developing a plan to reopen in the most responsible manner possible. While there is still a lot of uncertainty that exists, the safety of our customers and staff remain our top priority. We will continue to review data and guidelines and will adjust our plan of operation with safety as the primary driver in our decision making process.

We would like to share some guidance provided by the Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) that should be considered by everyone.

The ADPH reminds the public to follow precautions to prevent illness and the spread of disease.

Preventive measures include:

- Frequent hand washing and not touching eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands
- Covering coughs and sneezes
- Stay home when sick
- Consider social distancing and using good judgement when going out in public
- Wearing a mask when going out in public

In closing, as always, we thank you for your continued support, cooperation and understanding.

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Executive Director