

Local Housing Policy

LHP - 2024-01

SUBJECT:	Rent Limits for Rent Supplement Programs		
DATE of ISSUE TO HOUSING PROVIDER:			
IMPLEMENTATION DATE:	July 1, 2024	APPROVED BY:	TanasGorbeil
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ASSOCIATED DOCUMENT(S):	-75931EBBAA4B48F		
RELATED POLICY(IES):			
ISSUED TO:	□ Federal Section 95 Private Non-Profit Housing Program		
	Federal Section 26/27 Housing Program		
	Federal Urban Native Non-Profit Housing Program		
	Private Non-Profit Housing Program		
	Municipal Non-Profit Housing Program (Pre-1986)		
	□ Local Housing Corporation		
	□ Affordable Housing/Investment in Affordable		
	Housing/Social Infrastructure Fund Program		
	☑ DNSSAB Rent Supplement Programs		
	DNSSAB H	lousing Access	

### PURPOSE

To inform all housing stakeholders of the local rule, background, and compliance standard under the Housing Services Act, 2011 (HSA), and associated regulations related to the notification of household changes.

## BACKGROUND

Rent Supplements are a vital component of DNSSAB's suite of rental subsidies and increase the number of deeply affordable rental housing units in the Nipissing District. Rent Supplements are subsidies provided to landlords on behalf of a household that requires rental assistance. Supplements are calculated through a rent-geared-to-income (RGI) calculation. The difference between the household's RGI rent and the rent charged for the unit represents the rent supplement assistance.

## LOCAL RULE

Housing Services is proposing a rent limit of 30% above AMR for all-inclusive rental units and 20% above AMR for non-inclusive rental units. In addition, bachelor units would be considered as 1-bedroom units to provide further flexibility. The proposed rent limits are listed below and would be effective July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024. Moving forward, the rent limits would be adjusted annually once the new AMR figures are provided to the DNSSAB by MMAH.



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All-Inclusive Rental Units:

	1-Bedrom	2-Bedroom	3-Bedroom+
AMR	\$964	\$1,202	\$1,438
Proposed Rent Limit	\$1,253	\$1,562	\$1,869
Increase Above AMR	\$289	\$360	\$431

Non-Inclusive Rental Units:

	1-Bedrom	2-Bedroom	3-Bedroom+
AMR	\$964	\$1,202	\$1,438
Proposed Rent Limit	\$1,156	\$1,442	\$1,725

#### ACTION

That Housing Program Administrators will start implementing LHP-2024-01 to calculate rent supplements commencing July 1, 2024 using the Proposed Rent Limit for both all-inclusive rental units and non-inclusive rental units.

## **RESOURCES CITED**

2023 Allowable Rent Tables, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

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