## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS BOARD MEETING

## July 12, 2007 8:30 am Capitol Extension Hearing Room E1.010 1500 N. Congress

#### A G E N D A EMERGENCY ADDENDUM

# CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL CERTIFICATION OF QUORUM

Elizabeth Anderson Chair of Board

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs is declaring an emergency under the Texas Government Code §551.045 based on imminent public health and safety from the reasonably unforeseen circumstances of the most severe flooding since 1957 that has left persons and families in impacted counties without safe housing or in some cases homeless and will add to the Agenda Items for the Board meeting currently scheduled Thursday, July 12, 2007 in the Room E1.010 in the State Capital Extension. The new Agenda Item is:

Item 9. Presentation, discussion and possible approval of creating a preference in the Department's Public Housing Agency Plan to allow the use of Section 8 Vouchers under the jurisdiction of the Department to be used by persons eligible under the existing guidelines who have been displaced or are otherwise without safe affordable housing or homeless in counties that have been impacted by disasters. The requests must be made within 90 days of the disaster and may result in the disaster impacted person or family receiving assistance before someone currently on a waiting list.

Note: This Notice is being posted within the seven day posting period for Board materials, as is required by Texas Government Code §2306.032 no documentation will be placed in the Board Materials and the presentation will be made orally at the Board meeting.

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