

## **Asset Management Notice**

To: All Owners and Managers Notice # 2022-12

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## I. Novogradac Rent Calculator discrepancies for Cumberland County

It has come to our attention that the rents identified on the Novogradac website may be incorrect for properties located in the Cumberland County region that are not in a region covered under the Portland HMFA.

When using the Rent and Income Calculator tool and selecting Cumberland County – Cumberland County ME (part) HUD Metro – the results being returned are those associated with Cumberland County – Portland, ME HUD Metro instead of the HUD published Cumberland County – Cumberland County ME.

If you are a project in Cumberland County, not identified as a town within the Portland MSA, and you are using Novogradac, please check to ensure that the income and rent limits you have implemented at the property fall within the proper ranges of the correct income and rent limits posted on our website at: Rent - Income Charts (mainehousing.org)

This has been reported to Novogradac and they are researching the issue.

## II. Revised Addendum A to HUD Model Lease 90105a and 90105b

In June 2022, Notice #2022.06, we released a revision to Addendum A for the HUD Model Lease 90105a (effective date 2/2022). We are now releasing a revision to the Addendum A for the HUD 202 Model Lease 90105b (effective 10/2022).

Both Addendums are available on our website at: <u>Property Management Forms</u> (<u>mainehousing.org</u>)

For properties required to use the HUD Model Lease 90105a or 90105b, these revised addendums should be updated at the next lease renewal and tenants should be given proper notice of lease change ahead of time. Only the Addendum is required to be updated; property managers do not need to update the full lease.



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