

August 24, 2022

- To: Harwich Preservation Committee
- From: Harwich Housing Authority, Tracy Cannon Executive Director
- RE: Harwich CPC Funds Rental Assistance Program (2020 Article #32)

Please accept this memo as a current status report on the funds distributed by the CPC for the purpose of Rental Assistance administered by the Harwich Housing Authority.

At present, we are aiding 7 families for a total of \$2226.00 per month. Presently we are beginning to receive more inquiries and applications now that the COVID funding and RAFT funds are beginning to dry up. Another big factor is that many people have called inquiring, but do not currently have housing and can find nothing to rent within the reasonable rent limits. We expect the applications to continue to rise, and in the meantime the 7 families have been very grateful to have some buffer from the everrising housing costs.

Thank you for the opportunity to run this very important program for the families and employees of the Town of Harwich.

I welcome any questions you might have.

Respectfully,

Tracy Cannon

Executive Director, Harwich Housing Authority