



**SALISH KOOTENAI HOUSING AUTHORITY**  
**OF THE FLATHEAD RESERVATION**

Dear Applicant,

Attached is an application for **Housing Improvement Program (HIP)**, also known as the home rehabilitation program. You must fill in all the blanks; please print as clearly as possible. In order to process your application all information requested must be supplied and the **income verification must be attached, for every member of the household over age of eighteen (18)**. If you are working, a copy of your current check stub will be sufficient. If you are receiving Social Security, General Assistance, AFDC (Welfare), or any retirement benefits, you should attach a copy of your last check or a current letter that refers to the benefits you are receiving. All income supporting your family must be verified. **Proof of ownership with a legal description and home ownership insurance is required**. The HIP Program follows the Salish & Kootenai Housing Authority Criminal & Drug Related Criminal Activity Policy; you will find this policy attached to the back of application. Please read the Salish & Kootenai Housing Authority Criminal & Drug Related Criminal Activity Policy thoroughly and sign where indicated. Applications received without this policy signed will be considered incomplete and could hinder the processing of application.

Once your application is returned and your income verification is verified, it will be presented to the Home Improvement Board for approval when it reaches the top of the waiting list. Please keep in mind that there are Federal Regulations that restrict the number of times a person can receive assistance. Types of assistance are also limited. You will be notified of the status of your application as soon as it is processed.

If you have any questions please feel free to call me at the Housing Authority Office. The number is (406) 675.4491 or (406) 883.4211, extension 1507.

Sincerely,



Michelle Morigeau, Home Improvement Program Coordinator  
Salish & Kootenai Housing Authority