

## HOUSING RESOURCES

### **HOUSING LINK**

If you're looking for a renter or a rental, HousingLink is the twin city metropolitan area's source for rental properties and affordable housing related information. Contact them at [www.housinglink.org](http://www.housinglink.org) or 612-522-2500

### **METROPOLITAN COUNCIL HRA**

Metro HRA administers the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program for Champlin residents. The rent assistance program utilizes the existing private rental market to provide decent, safe, and sanitary housing opportunities for low-income seniors, disabled individuals, families, and singles at an affordable cost. Contact them at [www.metrocouncil.org/housing/HRA/sec8.htm](http://www.metrocouncil.org/housing/HRA/sec8.htm) or 651-602-1880 for more information.

### **MINNESOTA HOUSING**

Minnesota Housing has information for first-time homebuyers, home improvement loans, foreclosure assistance, reverse mortgage counseling and rental programs. For more information contact them at [www.mnhousing.gov](http://www.mnhousing.gov) or 651-296-7608 or 1-800-657-3769

### **COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP OF SUBURBAN HENNEPIN**

CAPSH provides information on homeownership, post purchase and foreclosure prevention services, homeownership classes, reverse mortgage information, energy assistance and financial management. Contact them at [www.cashenn.org](http://www.cashenn.org) or 952-933-9639

### **HOMELine**

HOME Line is a tenant advocacy organization that provides legal, organizing, education and advocacy services free or at low cost so renters throughout Minnesota can solve their rental housing issues. Home Line works to improve public and private policies relating to rental housing by involving affected tenants in the process. Contact them at [www.homelinemn.org](http://www.homelinemn.org) or 612-728-5767

### **MINNESOTA MULTI-HOUSING ASSOCIATION**

Minnesota Multi-Housing Association (MHA) is a state-wide nonprofit trade organization. With nearly 2,100 members representing more than 250,000 housing units throughout Minnesota, MHA is the voice of the state's multi-housing industry. If you are a landlord or tenant and have questions you can contact them at [www.mmha.com](http://www.mmha.com) or 952-858-8222

### **MINNESOTA HOME OWNERSHIP CENTER**

Minnesota Home Ownership Center offers free counseling services related to foreclosure prevention, how to talk with lenders, how to buy a home, and other topics related to home ownership throughout Minnesota. Contact them at [www.hocmn.org](http://www.hocmn.org) or 651-659-9336

## REFERRALS

Attorney Generals Office - Landlord/Tenants Rights & Responsibilities - [www.ag.state.mn.us](http://www.ag.state.mn.us)  
or 651-296-3353

Christians Reaching Out in Social Services (CROSS) - [www.crossfoodshelf.com](http://www.crossfoodshelf.com) or 763-425-1050

First Call for Help - United Way 211 - [www.unitedwaytwincities.org](http://www.unitedwaytwincities.org) or 651-291-0211

Greater Minneapolis Crisis Nursery - [www.crisisnursery.org](http://www.crisisnursery.org) or 763-591-0400

Resources for Child Caring - [www.resourcesforchildcare.org](http://www.resourcesforchildcare.org) 651-641-0305

Hennepin County - Human Services & Public Health Dept. - [www.co.hennepin.mn.us](http://www.co.hennepin.mn.us) or  
612-348-4111

Northwest Hennepin Human Services Council - [www.humanrights.state.mn.us](http://www.humanrights.state.mn.us) or  
651-296-5663

Center Point Energy - [www.centerpointenergy.com](http://www.centerpointenergy.com) or 612-372-4720

Excel Energy - [www.xcelenergy.com](http://www.xcelenergy.com) or 763-493-1669

Anoka Electric - [www.anokaelectric.govoffice3](http://www.anokaelectric.govoffice3) or 763-576-2750

Connexus Energy - [www.connexusenergy.com](http://www.connexusenergy.com) or 763-323-2600

Maple Grove Yard Waste Site - [www.mgyardwaste.com](http://www.mgyardwaste.com) or 763-420-4886

Hennepin County Recycling Center & Transfer Station - [www.co.hennepin.mn.us](http://www.co.hennepin.mn.us)  
or 763-425-3736