

**Notice of Comment Period
on Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing.**

The Housing and Community Development Commission (HCDC) is currently accepting public comment on the draft Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing report. This report discusses barriers to fair housing and housing choice in Multnomah County, including discrimination encountered in financing, renting or buying a home based on race, color, religion, national origin, gender, disability, sexual orientation, source of income and/or the presence of children in the household (family status). Individuals and organizations are invited to review the draft Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing report and submit comments by email to tlehto@ci.portland.or.us or by letter to the Bureau of Housing and Community Development, 421 SW 6th Ave., Room 1100, Portland, OR 97204, attention Tracy Lehto. All comments must be received by 5 p.m., October 26, 2005.

To view the report, or for more information about the Analysis of Impediments process, visit <http://www.portlandonline.com/bhcd> or contact Tracy Lehto at tlehto@ci.portland.or.us or 503-823-2355

The Analysis of Impediments process will include recommendations to address identified impediments to fair housing. Recommendations will be developed and presented for comment at a later date.

If you require an accommodation to review or make comment, please contact Tracy Lehto.