



REGIONAL HOUSING PARTNERSHIP Public Comment Session Guidelines

Time shall be reserved during each regularly scheduled RHP meeting for Public Comment. The following guidelines pertain to all speakers who will be addressing the Regional Housing Partnership (RHP) during the Public Comment Sessions. Please note that public comment is live-streamed on the internet during the RHP meeting, and the video is retained by the Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission.

- Individuals who wish to address the RHP are requested to place their name, address of residence or employment, and the subject they wish to address on the speakers' sign-in list posted at the entrance to the meeting.
 - At regularly scheduled RHP meetings, 30 minutes will be afforded for members of the public to address the voting members. During this time, up to ten (10) individuals who have registered on the sign-up sheet available at the entrance of the meeting prior to the meeting on a first-come/first-served basis.
- Each speaker is allotted a maximum time of 3 minutes to address the RHP.
- Members of the RHP will not respond to public comments.
- Written comments and materials brought for the RHP Voting Members will be accepted by the Chair at the end of public comment and will be made available to the RHP.
- Speakers are requested to address items on the RHP agenda or topics relevant to regional housing.
- Please respect the time limit allotted to each speaker (3 minutes). The Chair will indicate when your time has expired and the next speaker will be invited to begin.
- No person may speak more than once during any public comment session.
- Speakers are permitted to have someone join them or give their time to another person.