

Lead Warning

In accordance with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), effective September 6, 1996, all sellers must disclose known lead-based paint and lead-based paint hazards and provide available reports to buyers for any housing built before 1978. Each buyer will receive a pamphlet titled Protect Your Family From Lead In Your Home and be required to sign a "Disclosure of Information on Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Based Paint Hazards."

LEAD WARNING STATEMENT

"Every purchaser of any interest in residential real property on which a residential dwelling was built prior to 1978 is notified that such property may present exposure to lead from lead-based paint that may place young children at risk of developing lead poisoning. Lead poisoning in young children may produce permanent neurological damage, including learning disabilities, reduced intelligence quotient, behavioral problems and impaired memory. Lead poisoning also poses a particular risk to pregnant women. The seller of any interest in residential real property is required to provide the buyer with any information on lead-based paint hazards from risk assessments or inspections in the seller's possession and notify the buyer of any known lead-based paint hazards. A risk assessment or inspection for possible lead-based paint hazards is recommended prior to purchase."

The Department of Transportation does not have any records indicating lead-based paint and/or lead-based paint hazards in the house that is being offered for sale. The purchaser is allowed a 10-day period to conduct a lead-based paint inspection or risk assessment at his/her own expense. However, the house is sold in an "AS IS" condition and no remediation will be done by the Department of Transportation. If a risk assessment is completed by a purchaser within the 10-day period, and the purchaser decides not to exercise his/her Option based on the results of the assessment, the Option Deposit will be refunded without interest.