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RAHALL ANNOUNCES HOUSING VOUCHERS FOR HUNTINGTON

WASHINGTON - U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D-W.Va.) announced today that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has awarded the Huntington Housing Authority funds for housing vouchers.

Rahall said the \$120,000 given the authority by H.U.D. will allow for the purchase of 25 housing vouchers which will aid low income persons in obtaining housing.

"The housing voucher program allows persons unable to afford decent housing the opportunity to present vouchers in lieu of rental payments," Rahall said. "It also allows for the use of existing housing units and that saves many dollars when compared to the construction of new, low-rent housing units."

The funds will be made available Wednesday, September 30, 1987.