

Regional Human Rights/Fair Housing Commission Serves the Elk Grove Community

Housing discrimination is against the law. Know your rights!



Protected Classes

It is illegal for a housing provider to deny you housing because of your:

- ❖ Race
- ❖ Color
- ❖ Religion
- ❖ National origin
- ❖ Sex
- ❖ Familial status (children)
- ❖ Disability
- ❖ Marital status
- ❖ Sexual Orientation
- ❖ Ancestry
- ❖ Source of Income

Examples of Housing Discrimination

It is illegal for a housing provider to do any of the following:

- ❖ Deny or limit your access to certain facilities because you have children
- ❖ Charge you a higher security deposit because you are in a wheelchair
- ❖ Enforce rules differently against you because of your race
- ❖ Refuse to allow you to keep your service animal or companion animal
- ❖ Charge a pet deposit for your service animal or companion animal

The Regional Human Rights/Fair Housing Commission is a joint powers agency that is authorized to enforce fair housing laws in the City of Elk Grove. This month, the Commission will be available from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm at the Elk Grove City Hall, 8401 Laguna Palms Way, Elk Grove, California on Wednesday April 21st and April 28th. Please call (916) 444-6903, ext. 135 if you would like to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins are welcome.

In addition to fair housing, you may also ask questions relating to other aspects of landlord-tenant law, such as security deposits, notices, and landlord entry into your dwelling.