



## **Manufactured Homeowner and Resident Testimonial**

MHAction local leaders are collecting stories from homeowners and residents in their communities to share with elected officials and federal regulators at the Consumer Finance Protection Bureau. We believe it's important for lawmakers and regulators to better understand the issues residents of manufactured home communities are facing. Please share your personal experience of living in a manufactured home community in the space below, feel free to attach additional pages if you'd like. We've included sample questions you may want to consider when writing your story.

Please scan and email completed forms to [Shandra.bp@gmail.com](mailto:Shandra.bp@gmail.com).

**Name:**

**Age:**

**Gender:**

**Race:**

**State:**

**Zip Code:**

**Phone Number and/or Email:**

### **Questions to consider:**

- What should lawmakers and regulators know about life in a manufactured home community?
- What would you like to see change in your community, and what do you hope remains the same?
- When did you first move into your community, and why did you choose to move there?
- What has your experience been with lot fee increases? Have you struggled to pay increases, or seen friends and neighbors struggle?
- Have you experienced changes in ownership of your community? How have ownership changes impacted your quality of life?
- Have you experienced maintenance or infrastructure problems?
- Is the owner of your community involved in the sale of homes in your community? Do they offer lease to own contracts? Do they take possession of homes if homeowners are unable to pay lot fees?
- Are you a recipient of Social Security benefits? Are you a working parent or grandparent? Are you a caregiver for an ill or disabled friend or relative? What other economic situations impact your life as a manufactured homeowner?





Story Use Consent Form

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**Date:**

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*Signed:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Date:* \_\_\_\_\_