



May 16, 2019

City of Claremont  
Attn: Jennifer Helé, Human Services Supervisor  
660 N. Mountain Ave.  
Claremont, CA 91711

Dear Ms. Helé:

One whole year is coming to an end, time surely does pass by quickly! I hope Bateman Community Living has met and exceeded your expectations this past year. Carlos Giese and his staff work hard on a daily basis to ensure your meal program runs successfully. If ever any problems or situations are not resolved to your satisfaction, please do not hesitate to give me a call or send an e-mail.

It is also that time when we establish the new rate for the upcoming year. Per our contract, we will use the most recent CPI Index – Food Away from Home Category – Western Region. We are requesting a 3.4 percent increase, which mirrors the April report. Thus, your new rate, which will go into effect July 1, 2019, will be: \$3.99

Thank you for taking the time to review our program and the new rate. If you have any questions, please contact me. Otherwise, please proceed in creating an amendment or new contract as it is our understanding you generate all contracts and/or amendments. We thank you for the opportunity to continue serving the City of Claremont.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard D. Hoelzel".

Richard D. Hoelzel CDM, CFPP  
Regional Director of Operations  
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Enclosure

**Table 1. Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Indexes and percent changes for selected periods West (1982-84=100 unless otherwise noted)**

Item and Group	Indexes			Percent change from-		
	Feb. 2019	Mar. 2019	Apr. 2019	Apr. 2018	Feb. 2019	Mar. 2019
<b>Expenditure category</b>						
All Items.....	266.215	267.370	269.522	2.9	1.2	0.8
All items (December 1977=100).....	430.322	432.189	435.668			
Food and beverages .....	264.248	264.728	265.309	2.4	0.4	0.2
Food .....	263.967	264.503	265.213	2.4	0.5	0.3
Food at home .....	250.208	250.581	250.761	1.6	0.2	0.1
Cereals and bakery products .....	263.999	266.782	268.815	4.6	1.8	0.8
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	257.040	257.109	258.895	0.1	0.7	0.7
Dairy and related products .....	228.867	230.775	227.794	0.2	-0.5	-1.3
Fruits and vegetables .....	334.891	334.352	336.582	3.3	0.5	0.7
Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.....	175.763	174.032	174.734	3.3	-0.6	0.4
Other food at home .....	213.704	214.244	212.510	0.0	-0.6	-0.8
<b>Food away from home.....</b>	<b>281.872</b>	<b>282.618</b>	<b>284.010</b>	<b>3.4</b>	0.8	0.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	264.525	264.272	263.201	1.5	-0.5	-0.4
Housing .....	293.930	295.049	295.968	3.9	0.7	0.3
Shelter .....	339.427	340.834	342.714	4.6	1.0	0.6
Rent of primary residence(1).....	359.909	361.809	363.035	5.0	0.9	0.3
Owners' equiv. rent of residences(1)(2)....	356.837	358.207	359.596	4.5	0.8	0.4
Owners' equiv. rent of primary residence(1)(2).....	356.844	358.215	359.608	4.5	0.8	0.4
Fuels and utilities.....	299.218	300.659	300.944	1.5	0.6	0.1
Household energy .....	250.987	252.622	252.052	-0.4	0.4	-0.2
Energy services(1) .....	252.537	254.042	253.686	-0.4	0.5	-0.1
Electricity(1).....	282.977	284.879	285.156	-0.5	0.8	0.1
Utility (piped) gas service(1).....	195.624	196.211	194.118	-0.1	-0.8	-1.1
Household furnishings and operations .....	133.324	133.339	131.321	0.4	-1.5	-1.5
Apparel .....	116.537	117.775	118.039	-2.4	1.3	0.2
Transportation .....	212.308	214.635	222.493	2.6	4.8	3.7
Private transportation .....	207.509	210.032	217.909	2.9	5.0	3.8
New and used motor vehicles(3).....	100.349	100.725	100.217	0.0	-0.1	-0.5
New vehicles .....	148.132	148.368	147.416	1.0	-0.5	-0.6
New cars and trucks(3)(4).....	102.877	103.032	102.368	0.9	-0.5	-0.6
New cars(4).....	145.594	145.667	144.981	1.8	-0.4	-0.5
Used cars and trucks.....	134.124	135.391	135.162	0.7	0.8	-0.2
Motor fuel .....	234.893	243.824	278.896	5.8	18.7	14.4
Gasoline (all types).....	233.532	242.567	278.093	5.8	19.1	14.6
Gasoline, unleaded regular(4).....	230.505	239.611	275.236	5.8	19.4	14.9
Gasoline, unleaded midgrade(4)(5)....	224.213	231.986	264.429	6.0	17.9	14.0
Gasoline, unleaded premium(4).....	230.957	239.031	271.420	5.9	17.5	13.6
Motor vehicle insurance(6).....	854.341	852.069	851.247	3.2	-0.4	-0.1
Medical Care .....	502.117	503.464	507.429	3.3	1.1	0.8
Medical care commodities .....	382.849	383.737	386.605	2.0	1.0	0.7
Medical care services.....	539.756	541.250	545.566	3.6	1.1	0.8
Professional services .....	356.672	356.551	359.178	0.2	0.7	0.7
Recreation(3).....	114.556	114.948	115.022	1.3	0.4	0.1
Education and communication(3).....	137.144	136.896	136.774	0.9	-0.3	-0.1
Tuition, other school fees, and child care(6) .	1,460.060	1,459.781	1,460.406	5.7	0.0	0.0
Other goods and services .....	443.306	444.421	445.412	2.4	0.5	0.2
<b>Commodity and Service Group</b>						
All Items.....	266.215	267.370	269.522	2.9	1.2	0.8
Commodities .....	184.186	185.324	187.966	1.4	2.1	1.4

Note: See footnotes at end of table.